

A-level

ENGLISH LANGUAGE

Paper 1 Language, the individual and society 7702/1

Thursday 25 May 2023

Morning

Time allowed: 2 hours 30 minutes

MATERIALS

For this paper you must have:

- an AQA 12-page answer book
- the Insert for Section A (enclosed).

INSTRUCTIONS

- Use black ink or black ball-point pen.
- Write the information required on the front of your answer book. The PAPER REFERENCE is 7702/1.
- There are TWO sections:
 - Section A: Textual variations and representations
 - Section B: Children's language development.
- Answer ALL questions from Section A.
- Answer EITHER Question 4 OR Question 5 from Section B.
- Do all rough work in your answer book. Cross through any work you do not want to be marked.

INFORMATION

- The maximum mark for this paper is 100.
- The marks for questions are shown in brackets.
- There are 25 marks for Question 1, 25 marks for Question 2 and 20 marks for Question 3. There are 30 marks for EITHER Question 4 OR Question 5.
- You will be marked on your ability to:
 - use good English
 - organise information clearly
 - use specialist vocabulary where appropriate.
- A set of phonemic symbols can be found on pages 15 and 16 of this paper, for reference.

ADVICE

- It is recommended that you use:
 - 30 minutes reading and preparing the texts
 - 30 minutes writing your Question 1 answer
 - 30 minutes writing your Question 2 answer
 - 20 minutes writing your Question 3 answer
 - 40 minutes writing your Section B answer.

DO NOT TURN OVER UNTIL TOLD TO DO SO

SECTION A

TEXTUAL VARIATIONS AND REPRESENTATIONS

Answer ALL questions from this section.

TEXT A and TEXT B are on the Insert.

TEXT A is an online article from 'BBC News', published in March 2019.

TEXT B is a magazine article from 'The Bystander', published in April 1928.

0 1

Analyse how TEXT A uses language to create meanings and representations. [25 marks]

0 2

Analyse how TEXT B uses language to create meanings and representations. [25 marks]

0 3

Explore the similarities and differences in the ways that TEXT A and TEXT B use language. [20 marks]

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SECTION B

CHILDREN'S LANGUAGE DEVELOPMENT

Answer EITHER Question 4 OR Question 5 from this section.

EITHER

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'Children's language development depends on their experiences of the world around them.'

Referring to DATA SET 1 in detail, and to relevant ideas from language study, evaluate this view of children's language development. [30 marks]

TRANSCRIPTION KEY:

(.)	pause of less than a second
(2.0)	longer pause (number of seconds indicated)
bold	stressed syllables
[italics]	contextual information
11	indicates a phonemic transcription
CAPITALS	indicates raised volume
٢٦	simultaneous speech

A set of phonemic symbols can be found on pages 13 and 14 of the Insert and also on pages 15 and 16 of this paper, for reference.

DATA SET 1

Jo is 4 years old. She is sitting at the kitchen table with her mother, eating her breakfast. She has been given a dried fig to taste for the first time.

Mother: what are you eating Jo (.) do you remember

what they're called

Jo: Mummy close your eyes

Mother: oh okay

Jo: OPEN 5

Mother: did you eat some (.) can you talk to me about it

Jo: they're **sweet**

Mother: sweet

Jo: Mummy look [pointing at the figs on the table]

(.) that one's getting longer and that one's

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getting smaller.

Mother: roh very good

Jo: Linot really small 'cause I didn't eat too much

(1.0) Mummy can put your finger (.) can you

put your finger in **this** (1.0) [puts fingertip and 15

tip of thumb together to make a circle shape and lifts hand towards her mother's face] put

your finger in that

Mother:	inside		
Jo:	yeah [Jo's mother closes her thumb and fingertip around Jo's thumb and fingertip so that they are like two connected hoops]		
Mother:	like a (.) like two rings		
Jo:	and then pull (2.0) [Jo pulls her finger and thumb away from her mother's to break the connected hoops] I winned		
Mother:	yeah [<i>laughs</i>] you winned yeah (1.0) I won		
Jo:	ا won (.)رyou won		
Mother:	I won (.) you won we both won (.) both winners	30	
Jo:	is Daddy a winner		
Mother:	yeah Daddy's a winner		
Jo:	and Nick		
Mother:	Nick's a winner too		
Jo:	what about Auntie Lynne	35	
Mother:	yeah everyone's a winner (.) everyone's a winner		
Jo:	what about babies		

Mother:	yeah babies are winners (1.0) everyone's a winner (.) you've just got to be kind and gentle and what (.) what about (.) plants?	40
Mother:	that's a different sort of thing isn't it (.) plants aren't sentient they don't have (.) thoughts in the way that we have thoughts (1.0) plants aren't human they're plants	45
Jo:	լwhy is	
Mother:	but I think all plants are winners (.) they're keeping the (.) planet alive aren't they Mummy (.) MUMMY	
Jo:	L Mummy (.) MUMMY	50
Mother:	yes	
Jo:	why does bees collect honey from the flowers	
Mother:	why do [<i>laughs</i>] say that again	
Jo:	why does bees collect honey from the flowers	
Mother:	um that's a good question um that's what they do (.) bees they do it (1.0) they [laughs] I actually don't know why they do it [laughs]	55
Jo:	that's why they do it because they love it	
Mother:	because they love it (.) that's a good answer	
Jo:	and (.) when they (.) when bees die (.) they die	60

Mother: yeah it's not great when a bee dies (1.0) it's

not good for the planet (.) so we've got to

protect the bees

Jo: yep from monsters

Mother: yeah the human monster (2.0) oh hi Nick (1.0) 65

come and have some breakfast

OR

0 5

'Being creative is an essential part of learning to write.'

Referring to DATA SET 2, provided on pages 12 to 14, in detail, and to relevant ideas from language study, evaluate this view of children's language development. [30 marks]

DATA SET 2

Lily is 6 years and 3 months old. She produced this story at school.

13-02-19 To retell the story of Little Red Riding Hood from the wolf's perspective. LO: To retell story events in order. To store in role as the wolf.
LO: To retell story events in order. To stay in role as the wolf. To use conjunctions.
Last week I was searching in the forest for something to eat when
I & Saw a little girl pixing sum glowers
X and I sold to her walr are you going and
She Said back I am going to my X
Granny's house so I rushed theai
but I took a Short ckutx and & when
I got theat I gobbled x her Granny
up but She was to chow!
and then I put her known night of
gour on and hopt this her bed
and pulled the kurers up to X my nose
and then I herd a nock on the &
door and X it was Little Red
Riding Hood She Started to took to me and when I select out of bed I said wall be ber to set you win sho
to me and when I Xelpt out of
sea I said with the soul to my you with the
skreemed and the wood ckute
herd and bonked me on the heady
and now I geele angry! A super retelling!
A super retelling!

TRANSCRIPT OF DATA SET 2

13-02-19 To retell the story of Little Red Riding Hood from the wolf's perspective.

LO: To retell story events in order. To stay in role as the wolf. To use conjunctions.

Last week I was searching in the forest for something to eat when

I so saw a little girl piking sum flowers and I said to her wair are you going and she said back I am going to my Granny's house x so I rushed theai but I took a short ckuts and x when I got thear I gobbled x her G ranny up... but she was to check chouy! and then I put her in the night gown on and hopt into her bed and pulle the kuvers up to X my nose and then I herd a nock on the X door and x it was Little Red Riding Hood she started to torlk to me and when I selpt lept out of bed I said all the ber to aee you with then she skreemed and the wood ckute herd and bonked me on the head x and now I feele angry!

A super retelling!

[The following words were underlined by the teacher: and, so, but, when, but, then, and, and, then, and, when, and.]

END OF QUESTIONS

PHONEMIC SYMBOLS

MONOPHTHONGS

i:	I	ช	u:
see/si:/	sit/sIt/	good/gʊd/	two/tu:/
е	Ð	3:	o:
egg/eg/	<u>a</u> way/əweI/	her/h3:/	four/fo:/
æ	٨	a:	a
cat/kæt/	up/∧p/	ask/ɑ:sk/	on/pn/

DIPHTHONGS

Iə here/hIə/	eight/eɪt/	
℧ə	OI	əʊ
cure/kj℧ə/	boy/bOI/	no/nəʊ/
eə	aɪ	aʊ
there/ðeə/	my/maː/	now/naʊ/

CONSONANTS

р	b	t	d
pen/pen/	bee/bi:/	ten/ten/	do/du:/
t∫	ॳ	k	g
chair/t[eə/	just/ॳॖ∧st/	can/kæn/	\უeg\og
f	v very/verɪ/	θ	ð
s	z	∫	ჳ
so/səʊ/	zoo/zu:/	she/∫i:/	pleasure/pleʒə/
m	n	ŋ	h
me/mi:/	nine/naɪn/	long/lɒŋ/	house/haʊs/
l	r	w	j
love/l∧v/	right/ra I t/	we/wi:/	yes/jes/

? glottal stop

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