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2 hours

Candidates answer on the Question Paper

No Additional Materials are required.

READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS FIRST

Write your Center number, candidate number, and name in the spaces provided.

Write in dark blue or black pen.

Do **not** use staples, paper clips, glue, or correction fluid.

DO NOT WRITE IN ANY BARCODES.

Answer all questions in the space provided. If additional space is required, you should use the lined pages at the end of this booklet. The question number(s) must be clearly shown.

Dictionaries are **not** permitted.

The Reading Booklet Insert contains the reading passages for use with all questions on the Question Paper. The Insert is **not** assessed by the Examiner.

The number of points is given in brackets [] at the end of each question or part question.



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Read carefully **Passage A**, *A Change of Direction*, in the Reading Booklet Insert and then answer **Questions 1** and **2** on this Question Paper.

Question 1

You are the journalist, Kaarlo Vatanen. When you reach the village, you write an entry in your journal.

Write your journal entry.

In your journal entry you should explain:

- your feelings about the photographer's behavior that day
- the encounter with the hare and why this has affected you so much
- why you cannot face going home and back to work.

Base your journal entry on what you have read in Passage A, but be careful to use your own words. Address each of the three bullet points.

Begin your journal entry, "What happened to me today has changed my life forever."

Write about 250 to 350 words.

Up to 15 points are available for the content of your answer, and up to 5 points for the quality of your writing.	те

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Question 2

Re-read the descriptions of:

(a) the atmosphere in the car in paragraph 2, beginning "They'd just been";
(b) the movement of the hare in paragraph 3, beginning "On the crest of".
Select four powerful words or phrases from each paragraph. Your choices should include imager Explain how each word or phrase selected is used effectively in the context.
Write about 200 to 300 words.
Up to 10 points are available for the content of your answer.

Read carefully **Passage B**, **Rabbits and Hares**, in the Reading Booklet Insert and then answer **Question 3(a)** and **(b)** on this Question Paper.

Question 3

Answer the questions in the order set.

(a) Notes

What are the differences between rabbits and hares according to Passage B?

Write your answer using short **notes**. Write one point per line.

You do not need to use your own words.

Up to 15 points are available for the content of your answer.

The differences between rabbits and hares are:
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(b) Summary

Now use your notes from **Question 3(a)** to write a summary of the **differences** between rabbits and hares, according to **Passage B**.

You must use **continuous writing** (not note form) and **use your own words** as far as possible.

Your summary should include all 15 of your points in **Question 3(a)** and must be 200 to 250 words.

Up to 5 points are available for the quality of your writing.

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