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Duration — 1 hour 10 minutes

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Fill in these boxes and read what is printed below.

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Town

Forename(s)

Surname

Number of seat

Date of birth

Day | Month | Year

Scottish candidate number

Total marks — 30

Attempt BOTH parts.

In Part 2 attempt EITHER Task 1 OR Task 2.

You must NOT use a dictionary.

Write your answers clearly in the spaces provided in this booklet. Additional space for answers is provided at the end of this booklet. If you use this space you must clearly identify the question number you are attempting.

Use **blue** or **black** ink.

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Total marks — 30

Attempt BOTH Parts.

As a guide, you may wish to spend about 30 minutes on Part 1 and about 40 minutes on Part 2.

Part 1 — Everyday life **15**

Read the task below and write your answer on the lined answer sheets below and on page 03.

Your local council is planning to change the bus route which means that the bus will no longer go along your street. The nearest stop will now be a twenty-minute walk away.

Write a **formal e-mail** to your local council as you are not happy about these proposed changes.

In the email you should include some or all of the following:

- ask why the changes have been made
- describe how they will affect you and your neighbours
- say what you would like the council to do
- explain what further actions you will take.

You should write approximately 140–160 words.

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Part 2 — Work or Study

Read the two tasks below. Task 1 is work-related and Task 2 is study-related.

*Attempt **ONE** task only.*

Write the task number you have selected in the box at the top of page 05. Write your answer on the lined answer sheets on pages 05, 06 and 07.

Task 1 — Work

Report **15**

You work in a public library. In recent years, the number of people using the library has decreased.

You have been asked by your manager to write a **report** with suggestions on how to improve the situation.

You may use some or all of the following as well as your own ideas:

- new resources
- facilities: for example, study spaces
- additional social groups/clubs
- advertising/website
- opening hours.

You should write approximately 200–220 words.

OR

Task 2 — Study

Essay **15**

'The teacher is no longer central to students' learning.'

Discuss the above statement. Refer to your own experience and ideas. You may wish to consider the following:

- the teacher's knowledge
- use of technology
- independent learning
- human interaction
- structure and discipline.

You should write approximately 200–220 words.

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