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PRELIMINARY EXAMINATION 2 2009 Pre-University 3

GENERAL PAPER 8806/01

Paper 1 4 September 2009

Friday 1 hour 30 minutes

Additional Materials: Writing Paper

READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS FIRST

Write your name, class and admission number in the spaces provided at the top of this page and on all the work you hand in.

Write in dark blue or black pen on both sides of the paper.

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

Answer **one** question.

All questions carry equal marks.

At the end of the examination, fasten all your work securely together.

(Note that 20 marks out of 50 will be awarded for your use of language.)

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This question paper consists of 2 printed pages.

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PAPER 1

Answer **one** question from this Paper.

Answers should be between 500 and 800 words in length.

- 1 It is impossible for the media to lie in today's society. Is this a fair comment?
- **2** Does education always improve young people's opportunities in life?
- 3 Remembering the past hinders progress. How true is this of your society?
- 4 It is better to be young than old in your society. Discuss.
- 5 Modern living comes at the expense of the environment. To what extent is this true?
- 6 To what extent are the problems in today's world helped or worsened by religion?
- 7 Is fair competition ever possible in the world of business?
- 8 Individual responsibility, not government aid is the more effective way to combat poverty. Do you agree?
- **9** Discuss the value of silence.
- **10** Do statistics really tell the truth?
- 11 There is too much emphasis on personal glory in sports. Comment.
- **12** Music should be judged mainly for its artistic value. Discuss.