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JC2 Preliminary Examination 2021

GENERAL PAPER

Higher 1

Paper 2

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1 hour 30 minutes

ANSWER BOOKLET & INSERT

READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS FIRST

Detach the Insert from the back of the Answer Booklet.

Write your name and civics class in the spaces provided above.

Write in dark blue or black pen on the answer booklet.

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

Answer **all** questions in the Answer Booklet.

The Insert contains the passage for the comprehension.

Note that **15** marks out of **50** will be awarded for your use of language.

You are reminded of the need for clear presentation in your answers.

The number of marks is given in brackets [] at the end of each question.

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Read the passage and then answer all the questions which follow below. Note that up to fifteen marks will be given for the quality and accuracy of your use of English throughout this paper.

Note: When a question asks for an answer *IN YOUR OWN WORDS AS FAR AS POSSIBLE* and you select the appropriate material from the passage for your answer, you must still use your own words to express it. Little credit can be given to answers which only copy words or phrases from the passage.

1. According to paragraph 1, what actions does cancel culture include? **Use your own words as far as possible.**

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2. According to lines 5-8, explain how the function of cancel culture has evolved. **Use your own words as far as possible.**

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3. Why does the author use the word 'even' in line 10?

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4. Explain what Barack Obama means when he said 'if all they were doing was casting stones, then they would probably not get that far' (lines 12-13).

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5. '... is the only way to create consequences for those who have more power in society' (lines 21-22).

What does the word 'only' suggest about the cancellers' belief regarding the other ways that have been used?

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6. In paragraph 4, how does the author illustrate the view that 'individuals can be left with very expensive consequences' (line 29) arising from cancel culture? **Use your own words as far as possible.**

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7. Why has the author written 'former employee' in inverted commas (line 35)?

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8. Using your own words as far as possible, explain the irony which the author describes in lines 74-77.

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9. '... we also need to be sure we have ways of letting people know how they can repair the harm they have done' (lines 79-80).

Which argument in paragraph 3 justifies this need? **Use your own words as far as possible.**

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10. In which **two ways** is the final paragraph an effective conclusion to the author's view about cancel culture?

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11. Using material from paragraphs 5 to 8 only (lines 37-70), summarise what the author has to say about the impacts of cancel culture.

One impact of cancel culture is

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12. Zoe Thomas writes about cancel culture and its impacts.

How far do you agree with the opinions expressed in the passage? Support your answer with examples drawn from your own experience and that of your society.

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