



PIONEER JUNIOR COLLEGE
JC2 PRELIMINARY EXAMINATION

GENERAL PAPER
Higher 1

8807/2

Paper 2

30 August 2013
1 hour 30 minutes

ANSWER BOOKLET

Candidate's Name: _____ CT Group: _____

Index Number: _____ GP Tutor: _____

READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS FIRST

Write your name, CT group and GP tutor's name on every sheet on the cover page of this answer booklet.

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 **all** questions in the Answer Booklet.

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

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

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Language	/15
TOTAL	/50

PAPER 2 (50 marks)

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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 passages 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 passages.

- 1 What does 'sleepwalking' (line 3) suggest about the loss of privacy?

[1]

- 2 What does 'zealots' (line 5) suggest about the author's opinion of the large corporations?

[1]

- 3 In paragraph 2, how could openness be benevolent? **Use your own words as far as possible.**

[3]

- 4 How does paragraph 6 illustrate 'the notion that the new 'default' state of our lives is public, rather than private' (lines 36 – 37)?

[2]

- 5 What is the author's purpose for repeating 'And again' in line 46?

[1]

- 6 How do corporations try to 'link privacy with being anti-social' (line 50)?
Use your own words as far as possible.

[2]

- 7 According to the author, what is the 'prime motive' (line 50) of corporations? **Use your own words as far as possible.**

[3]

- 8** Why has the author placed the phrase 'whom we unwittingly give permission to use them' (lines 64 – 65) inside brackets?

[1]

- 9** Explain what the author means by 'Instead of filling up an increasingly littered yard, you start to organise your attic or tidy up your bedroom' (lines 73 – 74).

[2]

- 10** What point is the writer making by calling privacy 'the new gold' (line 78)?

[1]

Privacy is valuable because _____

[illegible]

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12 In this article, Paul Levy writes about the death of privacy in the age of social media. How applicable do you find his observations to yourself and your own society?

[illegible]

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