



# JURONG JUNIOR COLLEGE

## JC 2 PRELIMINARY EXAMINATION 2013

CANDIDATE'S NAME

GP TUTOR'S NAME

CLASS

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### General Certificate of Education

#### GENERAL PAPER

**8807/1**

Paper 1

29 August 2013

Additional Materials: Answer Paper

1 hour 30 minutes

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#### READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS FIRST

Write your name, civics class and GP tutor's name on all the work you hand in.

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

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

Answer **one** question.

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

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

All questions in this paper carry equal marks.

#### EXAMINER'S USE

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This document consists of **2** printed pages.

Answer **one** question from this Paper

Answers should be between 500 and 800 words in length.

1. To what extent should your country help the disadvantaged?
2. How far does social media influence behaviour?
3. Is a better future possible without technology?
4. 'We learn more through failure than success.' Do you agree?
5. Does tradition necessarily hinder progress?
6. 'Investment in the arts is not worthwhile as only a few appreciate them.'  
To what extent do you agree?
7. 'Only the educated should be encouraged to have children today.' Discuss.
8. 'Young people today are overprotected.' Is this a fair assessment of the  
situation in your society?
9. 'Knowledge is power.' Comment.
10. How far does female empowerment lead to the breakdown of the family?
11. Is international cooperation really effective in addressing world problems?
12. 'Having choices is not always desirable.' Discuss.