



TAMPINES JUNIOR COLLEGE

JC2 PRELIMINARY EXAMINATION



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GENERAL PAPER

8807/01

Paper 1

**Monday, 2 September
2013**

Additional Materials: Writing Paper

1 hour 30 minutes

READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS FIRST

Write your name and class 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.

Answer **one** question.

Answers should be between 500 and 800 words in length.

- 1 A nation's might lies in its people, not resources. How true is this of countries today?
- 2 How successful is the education system of your country in instilling a sense of curiosity in students?
- 3 Government expenditure should be solely utilised on public services. Do you agree?
- 4 Eating has never been more dangerous. Discuss.
- 5 Technology has usurped the rights of the individual. Is this true?
- 6 The affluent world should be ashamed that poverty still exists. Is this a fair comment?
- 7 Art is a process, not a product. What do you think?
- 8 Saving the environment is a lost cause without the government playing its role. To what extent do you agree?
- 9 How important is it for firms to be socially responsible in today's world?
- 10 Discuss the view that too much control is being exercised on the new media in your society.
- 11 To what extent is the large amount of money spent in the field of genetic engineering justifiable?
- 12 Your character is your destiny. Comment.