

Raffles Institution 2022 Year 6 Preliminary Examination General Certificate of Education Advanced Level Higher 1

Candidate's Name	CT Group	GP Tutor's Name

GENERAL PAPER

8807/02

Paper 2

29 August 2022

1 hour 30 minutes

Candidates answer on the Question Paper.

READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS FIRST

Write your name, CT group and GP tutor's name in the spaces at the top of this page. Write in dark blue or black pen.

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

Answer all questions.

The Insert contains the passage for comprehension.

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

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

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Content	/35	
Language	/15	
TOTAL	/50	

Read the passage in the Insert and then answer **all** the questions which follow. 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	In lines 5-10, what is the author implying about public reaction to the design of the library?	For Examiner's Use
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2	In lines 13-16, how does the author illustrate that beautiful spaces affect how we feel? Use your own words as far as possible.	
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3	Explain the author's use of the word 'clamouring' in line 19. Use your own words as far as possible.	
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From lines 24-26, why does the author doubt that the recently constructed Canadian buildings are something 'the country could be proud of' (line 24)? Use your own words as far as possible.
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What does the word 'ceded' (line 38) suggest about the author's attitude towards the officials mentioned in lines 37-39?
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What does the author's use of the word 'blah' (line 41) suggest about Canadian cities?
[1]
Why does the author include the phrase 'and, truth be told, a lot of things' (lines 42-43) in dashes?
[2]

8 Using material from paragraphs 6 and 7 only (lines 50-75), summarise what the author has to say about why Canadians accept their architecture as being 'good enough' (line 51) and the possible consequences of their general passivity. Write your summary in no more than 120 words, not counting the opening words which are printed below. Use your own words as far as possible. The author says Canadians accept mediocre architecture because [8].....

Number of words: ____

9	What criticisms does the author raise of Canadians' attitudes towards architecture in lines 82-83? Use your own words as far as possible.	Exa
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10	In paragraph 9, why does the author say that it was 'striking to see how public opinion shifted' (lines 86-87)? Use your own words as far as possible.	
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to you and	udes impact other areas of Canadian society. How applicable are her observation d your society?

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