



JURONG JUNIOR COLLEGE

JC 2 Preliminary Examination 2013

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Paper 2

29 August 2013

Candidates answer on the Question 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 **all** questions.

The Insert contains the passage for comprehension.

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

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

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

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This document consists of **6** printed pages.

Read the passage in the Insert and then answer **all** the questions. Note that up to fifteen marks will be given for the quality and accuracy of your use of English throughout this Paper.

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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 passages.

- 1 State the contention in lines 7-9. **Use your own words as far as possible.**

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- 2 What are the authors suggesting when they describe identities and bodies as 'plastic, flexible, liquid' (line 13)?

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- 3 Explain how 'self-commodification' (line 16) is occurring. **Use your own words as far as possible.**

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- 4 Explain the authors' intention in stating that bodies are 'pumped, pummelled, ...surgically augmented' (lines 19-20).

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- 5 What are the authors suggesting about people who wanted cosmetic surgery when they describe them as people who 'would have been advised to seek therapy in the first instance' (lines 29-30)?

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- 6 What does the phrase 'freshened up' (line 32) imply about how people view cosmetic surgery today?

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- 7 Why is the word 'perfect' in inverted commas in paragraphs 5 and 6?

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- 8 In paragraph 7, explain how reality television contributes to the 'turning of the tide' (line 50)? **Use your own words as far as possible.**

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- 9 Explain what the authors mean by 'plastic is the new cosmetic' (line 67).

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- 10 In paragraph 8, explain the authors' attitude towards cosmetic surgery.

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