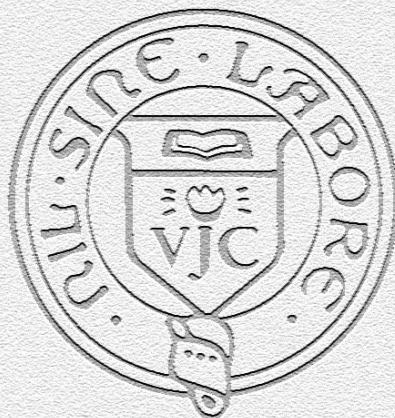


# **VICTORIA JUNIOR COLLEGE PRELIMINARY EXAMINATION**

***General Paper***

**8807/01**

**Monday  
31 August 2015**



**TIME: 1 hour 30 minutes**

## **INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

Answer only ONE question from Paper 1.

Write your name and C.T. group in the spaces provided in your foolscap paper.

Write your question number in the left-hand margin of your foolscap paper.

If you use more than one sheet of paper for a question, fasten the sheets together.

At the end of the examination, hand in your answers to Paper 1.

If you are unable to answer a question in Paper 1, send in a blank sheet, giving your Name and CT group.

## **INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES**

In Paper 1, all questions carry equal marks.

The total time of 1 hour 30 minutes includes ten minutes for you to study the questions before you begin your answers. You may take notes during this time if you wish.

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**This question paper consists of 2 printed pages including this page.**

Answer **one** question from this Paper.

Answers should be between 500 and 800 words in length.

- 1 'Political leaders should ignore public opinion.' How far do you agree with this statement?
- 2 'The preservation of culture has been overlooked in the arts.' Discuss.
- 3 Is the study of History increasingly irrelevant in today's world?
- 4 Should science be the primary focus of education in your country?
- 5 Have children today lost their childhood?
- 6 Should developed countries be expected to do more to solve the water crisis?
- 7 Are we taking sport too seriously?
- 8 With the emphasis on technology, will the elderly in your country be left behind?
- 9 'We lack role models who can inspire our young to make change.' Comment.
- 10 Do choices actually make our lives better?
- 11 How far is it acceptable for the public to mete out justice for wrongdoing?
- 12 Do museums still have a role to play in society?