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General Paper

Paper 2

8807/02

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Candidates answer on the Question Paper

1 hour 30 minutes

READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS FIRST

Write your name and PM Class on all the work you hand in.

Write in dark blue or black pen.

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

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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This document consists of **7** 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 passage.

- 1 Explain two ways in which the first paragraph provides an effective introduction.

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- 2 According to the author in paragraph 2, what is the difference between New York a decade ago and New York today? **Use your own words as far as possible.**

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- 3 Why is 'engagement with strangers ... at the core of our social contract' (line 21)? **Use your own words as far as possible.**

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- 4 Explain why the author refers to strangers as ‘one of the richest and most important resources’ (lines 31 - 32). **Use your own words as far as possible.**

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- 5 According to paragraph 5, what did Gillian Sandstrom's research find? **Use your own words as far as possible.**

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- 6 Explain the author's use of the word ‘despite’ in line 42.

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- 7 Using materials from paragraphs 6 - 8 only (lines 46-71), summarise what the author has to say about how technological advancement has affected the way we view strangers.

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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.**

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8 Why does the author use inverted commas in line 77?

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9 By using the proverb in lines 78-79, what is the author implying about social interactions?

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10 How is the final sentence an effective conclusion to the author's argument?

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- 11 The author presents reasons for why strangers are important in our lives. How far do you agree or disagree with his observations? Illustrate your arguments with examples drawn from your own experience and that of your society.

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