



Raffles Institution
2021 Year 6 Preliminary Examination
General Certificate of Education Advanced Level
Higher 1

Candidate's Name

CT Group

GP Tutor's Name

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GENERAL PAPER

8807/02

Paper 2

30 August 2021

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 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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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.

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- 1 In lines 3-4, the author claims that modern parenting appears to be 'reinforced by the same connoisseur's impulse to be meticulous in their choice. How does paragraph 2 support her assertion? **Use your own words as far as possible.**

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- 2 In paragraph 3, what **two** distinctions does the author draw between 'parenting styles of the past' (line 15) and those today? **Use your own words as far as possible.**

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- 3 How does the author support her view that it is particularly dubious to assume a 'static world' (line 31)?

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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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Number of words: _____

- 5 What are the author's views on 'temptations' and 'change' (line 54)? **Use your own words as far as possible.**

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- 6 Explain what the author means when she says emotional agility is 'like a vaccine' (line 63). **Use your own words as far as possible.**

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- 7 In paragraph 9, explain **two** ways in which the author's choice of word(s) indicates that the fear kids have when facing new experiences is particularly potent.

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- 8 From lines 75-78, what does the author suggest as the appropriate way for children to 'make that leap' (line 73)? **Use your own words as far as possible.**

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- 9 By including the information in brackets in line 81, what is the author implying about parental fear?

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- 10 According to the author in paragraph 12, how can children practise 'fear walking' (line 91)?
Use your own words as far as possible.

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- How far do you agree with her observations, relating your arguments to your own experience and that of your society?

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