



RIVER VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL
Year 6 Preliminary Exam

General Paper

PAPER 1

04 SEP 2013

1 HOUR 30 MINUTES

NAME

CLASS

INDEX NO.

READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS FIRST

Write your **Centre number, index number, name, class, and question number** clearly on all the work you hand in.

Write in dark blue or black pen on both sides of the paper.

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

Answer **one** question.

Note that **20** out of **50** marks will be awarded for your use of language.

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

All questions in this paper carry equal marks.

QUESTION NUMBER	
CONTENT (30 marks)	
LANGUAGE (20 marks)	
TOTAL (50 marks)	

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Answer **one** question.

Answers should be between 500 and 800 words in length.

- 1 How important is design in our world today?
- 2 To what extent do you agree that changes in society must begin in school?
- 3 Is harsh punishment the answer to juvenile crime?
- 4 How far should the government of your country involve itself in family matters?
- 5 The most divisive force in the modern world is new media. Do you agree?
- 6 Is immigration the best solution for an ageing society?
- 7 Developing countries bear the greater cost in an inter-connected world. Discuss.
- 8 Science is a threat to humanity. Discuss.
- 9 'The richer we are, the poorer we become.' Is this an accurate reflection of modern society?
- 10 We should always strive to extend our life expectancy. Comment.
- 11 'Style, not substance, is the vital thing.' How far is this true of your society?
- 12 Is modesty still a virtue?



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