

ST ANDREW'S JUNIOR COLLEGE
JC2 PRELIMINARY EXAMINATION



GENERAL PAPER

8807/1

PAPER 1

26 August 2016

1 hour 30 minutes

Additional materials: Writing Paper

READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS FIRST

Write your name, Civics Group and register number 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** marks out of **50** will be awarded for your use of language.

At the end of the examination, fasten all your work securely together.
All the questions in this paper carry equal marks.

This question paper consists of 2 printed pages.

Answer **one** question from this Paper.

Answers should be between 500 and 800 words in length.

1. 'A society that does not value the Arts lacks identity.' Do you agree?
2. Does global aid really improve the lives of those who need it the most?
3. Is social media to blame for our ignorance?
4. Can your society do without the elite?
5. 'Increasing life expectancy is always a desirable goal.' Do you agree?
6. 'A civilised society is characterised by tolerance.' Discuss.
7. 'Technology has imprisoned rather than liberated us.' Is this a fair comment?
8. Is education for girls the cure for poverty?
9. To what extent should immigration be blamed for social ills today?
10. 'It is increasingly difficult to tell right from wrong today.' How far do you agree?
11. 'Businesses should be concerned with environmental protection.' How realistic is this position?
12. 'Politics should not be the business of the common man.' What is your view?