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ARABIC

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Paper 1 Composition

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1 hour 30 minutes

Additional Materials: Answer Booklet/Paper

READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS FIRST

If you have been given an Answer Booklet, follow the instructions on the front cover of the Booklet.

Write your Centre number, candidate number and name on all the work you hand in.

Write in dark blue or black pen.

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

Answer **one** question from **Section A** and **one** question from **Section B**.

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

The number of marks is given in brackets [] at the end of each question or part question.

This document consists of **2** printed pages.



Section A – Letter, Report, Dialogue or Speech

From the topics listed below, write **one** composition in **Arabic**, of about 120 words. It will be to your advantage to keep to the recommended length.

أ- اسمك خليل / زينب وعنوانك شارع لابوردوني، بورت لويس. اكتب رسالة إلى أخيك الذي في الخارج مُعطيًا له التفاصيل عن صحّة والدك.

(a) Your name is Khalil/Zainab and your address is Labourdonais Street, Port-Louis. Write a letter to your brother, who is abroad, giving him details about your father's health.

ب - أنت تُحطّط للذهاب في رحلة ولكن أحد أصدقائك لا يريد أن يذهب. اكتب حوارًا تحاول فيه أن تُحثّه على أن يأتي معك.

(b) You are planning to go for an outing but one of your friends does not want to go. Compose a dialogue in which you try to persuade him to come with you.

ج - اكتب تقريرًا عن حريق اشتعل في مدرستك.

(c) Write a report about a fire that broke out in your school.

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Section B – Essay

From the topics listed below, write **one** composition in **Arabic**, of about 200 words. It will be to your advantage to keep to the recommended length.

أ - اكتب عن كيف ساعدت في إنقاذ حياة شخص.

(a) Write about how you helped to save someone's life.

ب - صف حديقة عامة مشهورة في بلدك.

(b) Describe a famous public garden in your country.

ج - كنت تدرّس في غرفتك إذ فجأة سمعت أمك تصرخ. احك ما حدث.

(c) You were studying in your room when all of a sudden you heard your mother scream. Narrate what happened.

د - أهميّة الجرائد في حياتنا اليومية.

(d) The importance of newspapers in our daily life.

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