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FIRST LANGUAGE ENGLISH

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Paper 2 Reading Passages (Extended)

February/March 2016

2 hours

Candidates answer on the Question Paper.

READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS FIRST

Write your Centre number, candidate number and name in the spaces provided.

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DO **NOT** WRITE IN ANY BARCODES.

Answer **all** questions in the space provided. If additional space is required, you should use the lined pages at the end of this booklet. The question number(s) must be clearly shown.

Dictionaries are **not** permitted.

The Reading Booklet Insert contains the reading passages for use with **all** questions on the Question Paper. The Reading Booklet Insert is **not** assessed by the Examiner.

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

This document consists of **12** printed pages and **1** Insert.

Read carefully **Passage A, *Badluck Way, Sun Ranch***, in the Reading Booklet Insert and then answer **Questions 1 and 2** on this Question Paper.

Question 1

In the final paragraph of **Passage A**, the narrator explains that he read a magazine article about Sun Ranch, which persuaded him to apply for the job as Assistant Grazing Technician/Livestock Manager.

Write the magazine article that the narrator might have read.

In your magazine article you should:

- describe the attractions of Sun Ranch **and** its surroundings
- explain the activities **and** appeal of daily life as a worker at Sun Ranch
- suggest the challenges of working in that environment **and** the opportunities for personal development a job there might offer.

Base your magazine article on what you have read in Passage A, but be careful to use your own words. Address each of the three bullet points.

Give your magazine article a suitable headline and begin with, 'The Sun Ranch is located ...'

Write about 250 to 350 words.

Up to 15 marks are available for the content of your answer, and up to 5 marks for the quality of your writing.

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Question 2

Re-read the descriptions of:

- (a) The sun setting **and** the light in paragraph 1, beginning, ‘When the sun dropped ...’
- (b) The log cabin in paragraph 5, beginning, ‘My house on Badluck Way ...’

Select four powerful words or phrases from **each** paragraph. Your choices should include imagery. Explain how each word or phrase selected is used effectively in the context.

Write about 200 to 300 words.

Up to 10 marks are available for the content of your answer.

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Read carefully **Passage B, *Wild West Shows***, in the Reading Booklet Insert and then answer **Questions 3(a) and (b)** on this Question Paper.

Question 3

Answer the questions in the order set.

(a) Notes

What attracted audiences to Wild West shows according to **Passage B**?

Write your answer using short **notes**. **Write one point per line.**

You do not need to use your own words.

Up to 15 marks are available for the content of your answer.

What attracted audiences to Wild West shows:

- 1
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[Total: 15]

(b) Summary

Now use your notes from **Question 3(a)** to write a summary of what attracted audiences to Wild West shows, according to **Passage B**.

You must use **continuous writing** (not note form) and **use your own words** as far as possible.

Your summary should include all 15 of your points in **Question 3(a)** and must be 200 to 250 words.

Up to 5 marks are available for the quality of your writing.

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