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ENGLISH B – HIGHER LEVEL – PAPER 2
ANGLAIS B – NIVEAU SUPÉRIEUR – ÉPREUVE 2
INGLÉS B – NIVEL SUPERIOR – PRUEBA 2

Monday 12 November 2012 (afternoon)
Lundi 12 novembre 2012 (après-midi)
Lunes 12 de noviembre de 2012 (tarde)

1 h 30 m

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- Do not turn over this examination paper until instructed to do so.
- Choose one task. Each task is worth *[30 marks]*.
- The maximum mark for this examination paper is *[30 marks]*.

INSTRUCTIONS DESTINÉES AUX CANDIDATS

- Ne retournez pas cette épreuve avant d'y être autorisé(e).
- Choisissez une tâche. Chaque tâche vaut *[30 points]*.
- Le nombre maximum de points pour cette épreuve d'examen est *[30 points]*.

INSTRUCCIONES PARA LOS ALUMNOS

- No dé la vuelta al examen hasta que se lo autoricen.
- Elija una tarea. Cada tarea vale *[30 puntos]*.
- La puntuación máxima para esta prueba de examen es *[30 puntos]*.

Complete **one** of the following tasks in **at least** 400 words.

1. “The best literary works always have a happy ending.” Your teacher has set this as the topic of your next essay. Write your essay.
 2. You are going to take part in a class debate on the motion: “It is better to choose a university course that you want to study rather than one that your parents prefer”. Write the text of your speech, **either** agreeing **or** disagreeing with this motion.
 3. As a CAS activity you spent last summer helping an aid organization in a developing country. Write an article for the school newspaper describing your experience and saying how you think it has changed your plans for the future.
 4. You interview a popular singer who has just given a very successful concert in your town. Write a report of this interview for your school newspaper. Do not simply write the exact words (transcript) of the interview.
 5. Your school organizes a one-week student trip every year. The last trip was not a success. Write a letter to the school principal explaining what went wrong with the trip and how future trips could be improved.
 6. Imagine that you meet someone who has been transported in time from over 100 years ago to the present. Write a short story for the school magazine about what happened and what you both felt when you spent a day together.
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