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SENIOR PHASE

GRADE 9

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ENGLISH FIRST ADDITIONAL LANGUAGE P3

MARKS: 60

TIME: 1½ hour



This question paper consists of 5 pages.

INSTRUCTIONS AND INFORMATION

1. This question paper consists of TWO sections namely:
SECTION A: Essay (40 marks)
SECTION B: Transactional Texts (20 marks)
2. SECTION A consists of 4 topics. Candidates must choose only ONE.
3. SECTION B consists of 3 topics. Candidates must choose only ONE.
4. Write the number of the chosen topic and the title.
5. Allow time for planning, drafting and editing. There must be clear evidence of planning, drafting and editing.
6. Start EACH section on a NEW page and rule off on completion of EACH section.
7. Read and follow the instructions for EACH section carefully.
8. Pay special attention to format, sentence construction and spelling.
9. Write neatly and legibly.

SECTION A: ESSAY**INSTRUCTIONS**

1. Choose ONE of the topics below and write an essay of 210–250 words.
2. Write the question number and the title on your answer sheet.
3. There must be evidence of planning, drafting and editing.
4. Your essay should have an introduction, body and conclusion.
5. Pay special attention to the number of words and write the number of words used at the end of the essay.

QUESTION 1**The best time(s) with my family.**

Write about a time or times with your family that you remember with happiness.

[40]**QUESTION 2**

It is Christmas Eve and you and your family are sitting around the decorated Christmas tree. If you could give your loved ones anything for Christmas, what would it be? Mention the person; what you would give him/her and the reasons why.

Title: My Christmas gifts**[40]****QUESTION 3**

Write an essay about ONE of the pictures below. There must be a clear link between the picture and your essay. (DO NOT only describe the picture). Give your essay an appropriate title.

3.1

**[40]**

OR

3.2



[40]

TOTAL SECTION A: 40

SECTION B: TRANSACTIONAL WRITING**INSTRUCTIONS**

1. Choose ONE of the following topics and write 140–160 words on the topic of your choice.
2. Write the number of the question and the topic on your answer sheet.
3. There must be evidence of planning, drafting and editing.
4. Write the number of the words you have used at the end of your writing.
5. Pay special attention to format, sentence construction and spelling.

QUESTION 4: FRIENDLY LETTER

It is your birthday soon and your mother/father works in another city. Write a letter to him/her in which you tell him/her what you want for your birthday and why you want it.

[20]**QUESTION 5: DIALOGUE**

You want to borrow one of your brother's/sister's outfits for a special occasion, but he/she is reluctant to let you wear it. Write the dialogue between you and your brother/sister in which you try to persuade him/her to lend you the outfit.

[20]**QUESTION 6: CURRICULUM VITAE**

You want to apply for a holiday job at the local supermarket. Prepare your CV that you will use when you apply for the job.

[20]

TOTAL SECTION B:	20
GRAND TOTAL:	60
CONVERTED TOTAL (60 ÷ 2)	30

