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**SENIOR PHASE**

**GRADE 9**

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**ENGLISH FIRST ADDITIONAL LANGUAGE P3**

**MARKS: 45**

**TIME: 1½hours**

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This question paper consists of 6 pages.

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**INSTRUCTIONS AND INFORMATION****READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY**

1. This question paper consists of TWO sections:  
  
SECTION A: ESSAY (30)  
SECTION B: SHORTER TRANSACTIONAL TEXTS (15)
2. Answer ONE question from EACH section.
3. Write in the language in which you are being assessed.
4. Start EACH section on a NEW page.
5. Show all the aspects of the writing process until the final draft: planning, writing, proofreading and editing.
6. All planning must be indicated as such. It is advisable to draw a line through all planning.
7. Pay attention to spelling, vocabulary and sentence construction.
8. Number the answers correctly according to the numbering system used in this question paper.
9. Write down the title/heading of your response in each section.
10. Do not include the heading/title in your word count.
11. Write neatly and legibly.

**SECTION A: ESSAY****QUESTION 1**

- Write an essay of 210–250 words on ONE of the following topics.
- Write down the NUMBER and TITLE/HEADING of your essay.
- Give your OWN title if you choose either QUESTION 1.4.1 or QUESTION 1.4.2.
- Remember to count your words and write the total number of words down at the end of your essay.

1.1 Describe yourself to someone who has never met you. **[30]**

**OR**

1.2 A dangerous situation/experience. **[30]**

**OR**

1.3 Grandparents are very wise!

**OR**

1.4 Choose ONE of the following pictures and write an essay that comes to mind. Write QUESTION 1.4.1 or 1.4.2 and give your essay a suitable TITLE.

**NOTE:** There must be a clear link between your essay and the picture you have chosen.

1.4.1



[Source: Google pictures] **[30]**

**OR**

1.4.2



[Source: [Pinterest Quotes](#)] **[30]**

**TOTAL SECTION A: 30**

**SECTION B: SHORTER TRANSACTIONAL TEXTS****QUESTION 2****INSTRUCTIONS AND INFORMATION**

- Choose ONE of the following transactional writing texts.
- Your writing piece must be between 140–160 words in length.
- Write down the NUMBER and TITLE/HEADING of the text you have chosen, e.g. 2.1 LETTER
- Pay attention to format, language, register and audience.

**2.1 FRIENDLY LETTER**

Your rugby/netball team travelled by bus to a neighbouring town to compete against a school there.

Write to your friend to tell him/her about the match and about the fun you had in the bus on the way there and back.

**[15]****OR****2.2 DIALOGUE**

Your friend is going on a date and he/she asked you to give him/her advice on what to wear.

Write out the DIALOGUE that took place between the two of you. Make sure you include the advice you gave him/her about his/her outfit.

**[15]****OR**

**2.3 DIARY**

You wanted to help your brother by washing his car. Unfortunately you scraped it on a pole when you moved it.

Write out **TWO ENTRIES** in your diary. The first should describe how you felt after it happened and how nervous you felt about telling him. The second entry should describe what happened when you told him.

- Remember to write in the correct format for a diary.
- Write in the first person.
- Write neatly in paragraphs.

**[15]**

**TOTAL SECTION B: 15**  
**GRAND TOTAL: 45**