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Edexcel International GCSE	Centre Number	Candidate Number
English La	anguage	e B
Paper 1		
Paper 1 Tuesday 10 January 2012 Time: 3 hours	– Morning	Paper Reference 4EB0/01

Instructions

- Use **black** ink or ball-point pen.
- **Fill in the boxes** at the top of this page with your name, centre number and candidate number.
- Answer **all** questions in Section A and B and **one** question in Section C.
- Answer the questions in the spaces provided
 - there may be more space than you need.

Information

- The total mark for this paper is 100.
- The marks for **each** question are shown in brackets
 - use this as a guide as to how much time to spend on each question.
- Dictionaries may **not** be used in this examination.

Advice

- Read each question carefully before you start to answer it.
- Keep an eye on the time.
- Try to answer every question.
- Check your answers if you have time at the end.
- You are reminded of the importance of clear English and careful presentation in your answers.

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SECTION A

The following questions are based on Text One and Text Two in the Source Booklet.

You should spend about 40 minutes answering the questions in this section.

Read Text One on page 2 of the Source Booklet, *After Exams, a real test of nerve*, an account of a mother and son on an activity holiday.

How does the writer describe canyoning?	
	(Total for Question 1 = 2 marks
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	In the second part of the passage the writer and her son go rafting (lines 27 to 36). Describe the experience of rafting the writer had.		
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_	(Total for Question 3 = 4 marks)		
	We learn about the sort of person Aidan is from the way his mother describes him.		
	Identify two aspects of his personality. You should support your views with reference to the text with one detail for each aspect of his personality.		
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	In your own words explain what the writer has learnt from her experience on the activity holiday.				
_	(Total for Question 5 = 3 marks)				
n	ow read Text Two on page 3 – 4 of the Source Booklet, <i>Pushing your physical and</i> ental limits at Strathcona Park Lodge, one man's experience at an activity centre in inada.				
5	In the first three paragraphs, the writer gives an account of an activity he took part in.				
	What did the writer feel when he was told to jump?				
	(Total for Question 6 = 1 mark)				
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7	In your own words , describe two of the writer's thoughts and feelings after he has jumped.				
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8	Name two things that Brian Gunn did on his six-day trip in the wilderness.
(i)	
(ii)	
	(Total for Question 8 = 2 marks)
9	Myrna Boulding, who runs the centre, says she wants 'every student to leave here a better person'.
	In your own words , explain her view of the ways the activities help people to develop.
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	(Total for Question 9 = 4 marks)

Use BOTH Text One and Text Two in the Source I question.	Booklet to answer the following
10 Which text do you think would persuade your f	riends to take part in such activities?
You may choose either text but you must expla	in your choice carefully.
Give two reasons why you chose this text and on	e reason for not choosing the other text.
	(Total for Question 10 = 6 marks)
	TOTAL FOR SECTION A = 30 MARKS







SECTION B

Use ideas from BOTH Text One and Text Two in the Source Booklet to answer this question.

You should spend one hour on this section.

11 You have been on an activity holiday and you have been asked to write an article for your school or college magazine about your experience.

You **must** include the following points:

- the types of activities available
- what you liked or disliked
- what you learnt.

Think carefully about the purpose of your article and the audience for whom it is intended.				
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(Total for Question 11 = 35 marks)
TOTAL FOR SECTION B = 35 MARKS



SECTION C

You should spend one hour on this section.

12	Write approximatel	y 400 wor	ds on one	of the	following:
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EITHER

(a) 'I want every student to leave here as a better person.'

To what extent do you agree that taking part in challenging activities is good for people?

OR

(b) Write a story (true or imaginary) entitled 'A Great Adventure'.

Do not re-tell the events from Text One or Text Two.

OR

(c) Choose an activity that you have taken part in. Describe both the activity and your thoughts and feelings about it.

(35)

Indicate which question you are answering by marking a cross in the box \boxtimes . If you change your mind, put a line through the box \boxtimes and then indicate your new question with a cross \boxtimes .

Chosen question number:	Question 12(a)	Question 12(b)	×
	Question 12(c)		

















(Total for Question 12 = 35 marks)
TOTAL FOR SECTION C = 35 MARKS TOTAL FOR PAPER = 100 MARKS



