

LANGUAGE PAPER 2

Instructions:

- Read **both** sources
- **Question 1 - source A**, the part of the source that you should look at is specified, the question asks you to choose the 4 correct statements out of a total of 8.
- **Question 2 - both sources**, you are writing a **summary** of the **differences** of the extract. One paragraph is structured as follows - PQI (source A) contrasting connective PQI (source B). The two sources are written centuries apart, there will be a stark difference due to the timeframes - think about advancements in technology, medicine, infrastructure etc. You should spend about 10 minutes on this question and write 2 paragraphs.
- **Question 3 - source A**, the part of the source that you should look at is specified, the question asks you to analyse how language features are used to achieve an effect. One paragraph is structured as follows - PQA. You should spend 12-15 minutes on this question and write 3 paragraphs. You should analyse only language.
- **Question 4 - both sources**, you are writing to compare the writers' viewpoints and perspectives. One paragraph is structured as follows - PQA (source A) contrasting connective PQA (source B). You should spend 20 minutes on this question and write 2-3 paragraphs. You should analyse both language and structure.
- **Question 5 - transactional writing**, this question asks you to write your point of view on a statement. You should specify the format (speech, letter, article, guide etc), audience (town council, class mates, governmental figure) and purpose (to persuade). You should plan for 5-10 minutes and write for 30 minutes. Your writing should follow a clear line of argument, using persuasive techniques and accurate SPAG

Tips:

PQI - point, quote, inference

The skill of inference is 'reading between the lines' and 'drawing conclusions from the text'

PQA - point, quote, analysis

The analysis should contain the identification of a language and/or structure technique, then the explanation of how it is used to achieve an effect (this should link back to your point).

Language features:

ADJECTIVE	PERSONIFICATION	METAPHOR	REPETITION	HYPERBOLE
VERB	SIMILE	SIBILANCE	ALLITERATION	NOUN

Structure features:

ASYNDETIC LIST	FORESHADOW	PARAGRAPH LENGTH	SENTENCE TYPES	ZOOM OUT
SYNDETIC LIST	ZOOM IN	CHARACTER INTRODUCTION	DIALOGUE	CYCLICAL/CHRONOLOGICAL STRUCTURE

