

ENGLISH LANGUAGE PAPER 2
Question-Answer Book

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Write your Candidate Number in the space provided on Page 1 and stick barcode labels in the spaces provided on Pages 1, 3, and 5.
2. Answer **ALL** questions.
3. Write your answers clearly and neatly in the spaces provided in this Question-Answer Book. **ANSWERS WRITTEN IN THE MARGINS WILL NOT BE MARKED.** You are advised to use a pencil for Tasks 1 – 3 and a pen for Tasks 4 – 6.
4. All listening materials will be played **ONCE** only.
5. When the radio broadcast ends, you will be given one hour and fifteen minutes to complete Tasks 4, 5 and 6.
6. The Data File will **NOT** be collected at the end of the examination. Do **NOT** write your answers in the Data File.
7. Additional space for Task 5 or Task 6 is provided on Page 12. Please fill in the question number clearly.
8. Supplementary answer sheets will be supplied on request. Write your Candidate Number, fill in the question number and stick a barcode label on each sheet and fasten them with string **INSIDE** this Question-Answer Book.
9. The rough-work sheets provided are for you to take notes. They will be collected separately and will not be marked.
10. No extra time will be given to candidates for sticking the barcode labels or filling in the question number boxes after the 'Time is up' announcement.

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Candidate Number

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Situation

You are Terry Wong, the President of the Student Union in Nathan College. Your school has entered a competition run by the Development Bureau looking at tall buildings, their history and their impact. Your school will have a special event where groups of students will present projects related to the theme of the competition. The best project will be selected to enter the competition.

You and two classmates, Bob and Linda, are working together on this special event. You will have six tasks to do. Follow the instructions in the Question-Answer Book and on the recording. You will find all the information you need in the Question-Answer Book, the Data File and the recording.

You will now have two minutes to study the Question-Answer Book in order to familiarise yourself with the situations in Tasks 1, 2 and 3 before the recording begins.

Later, you will have four minutes to read Tasks 4, 5 and 6 and study the Data File before you do the tasks.

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Task 1 (11 marks)

You are talking to Ben, an architecture student, who is telling you about some of the tallest skyscrapers in the world. Listen to the conversation, complete the table below and make any changes necessary.

You now have 30 seconds to study the table.

	Building	Year completed	City	Height (in metres)	Floors
1	 Burj Khalifa	2009	Dubai		
2	 IFC	2010	Hong Kong	484	
3	 Petronas Tower		Kuala Lumpur		88
4	 Taipei 101		Taipei		101
5	 Sears Tower			442	108

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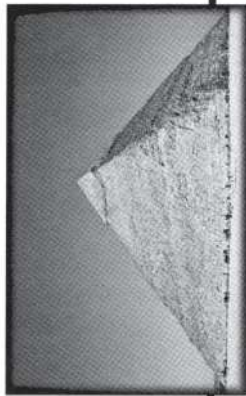
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End of Task 1

Task 2 (10 marks)

You are calling Ben to ask him about the history of man-made high-rise structures. You already have most of the information, but you particularly want to focus on what materials were used to build these structures and some interesting facts about them. Listen to the conversation and complete the notesheet below. You now have 30 seconds to read the notesheet.

The Great Pyramid



2600 B.C.

Materials used:

Interesting facts:

The highest man-made structure

Residential buildings in Fustat



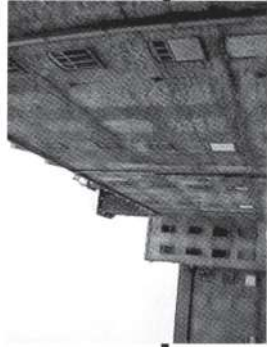
1100 A.D.

Materials used:

Mud brick

Interesting facts:

The Flaxmill



1797 A.D.

Materials used:

Iron

Interesting facts:

The Empire State Building



1931 A.D.

Materials used:

Stone, glass

Interesting facts:

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End of Task 2

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Task 3 (14 marks)

Your classmate Bob wants to order some large posters to help promote the special event at school. Listen to the conversation between Bob and yourself and complete the online order form below.

You now have 30 seconds to read the order form.

<http://www.skyscraperpage.com/order>

Order Form

FOR HONG KONG ORDERS ONLY

Please as appropriate.

All prices are in Hong Kong dollars.

POSTER NAME	PRICE EACH	QUANTITY
33 World Buildings	\$40.00	
The American Skyscraper	\$45.00	
The Hong Kong Skyline	\$50.00	
Hong Kong Skyscrapers	\$55.00	
Postal charge: <input type="checkbox"/> 1-5 posters \$10.00 <input type="checkbox"/> 6-10 posters \$15.00	Packaging: <input type="checkbox"/> Cardboard poster tube (additional \$20.00) <input type="checkbox"/> Plastic poster tube (additional \$25.00)	
Payment method: <input type="checkbox"/> Cheque - payable to Skyscraper Source Media <input type="checkbox"/> Credit Card		

Your mailing information

Title	<input type="checkbox"/> Mr	<input type="checkbox"/> Miss	<input type="checkbox"/> Ms	<input type="checkbox"/> Mrs
Surname		Given name		
Company				
Address				
Email address				
Additional comments				

Submit

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End of Task 3

Task 4 (13 marks)

You are designing a flyer for the special event at school. Look at page 4 of your Data File for last year's 'Environment Day' flyer. You have updated some of the information, but not all of it. Listen to the conversation between Bob, Linda and you and make a note of the changes suggested, and then write the flyer in the spaces provided below. You will find all the information on pages 2 and 4 of your Data File.

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NATHAN COLLEGE	
Venue:	
Date:	
Time:	
Guest Speaker:	
Project Presentations:	
Closing Ceremony:	
Entrance Fee:	

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End of Task 4

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