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FUNCTIONAL ENGLISH

Component 2 Writing Level 2

Thursday 9 November 2017

Afternoon

Time allowed: 1 hour

Materials

- You will need no other materials.

Instructions

- Use black ink or black ball-point pen.
- Fill in the boxes at the top of this page.
- Answer **both** questions.
- You must answer the questions in the spaces provided.
- Do not write outside the box around each page or on blank pages.
- Do all rough work in this answer book.
- Cross through any work you do not want to be marked.

Information

- The marks for questions are shown in brackets.
- The maximum mark for this paper is 30.
- You are reminded of the need for good English and clear presentation in your answers.
- You may use a dictionary.

Advice

- You are advised to spend about 30 minutes on each question.

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Answer **both** questions.

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1 You have read the following article in a local newspaper.

No Meat Day in Local Schools

There are reports that two local schools plan to introduce 'No Meat Days' into the school calendar. Every week, for one day, students attending school meals at the two schools will tuck into vegetables, cereals and soya proteins, but no animal products. Head teacher at one of the schools, Shona Wilkinson, says, "We think it is important that young people learn the benefits of not eating meat. It is good for the children and good for the planet. So we say 'No' to meat, once a week".

However, Mrs Jane Smith whose child attends Mrs Wilkinson's school, said to The Sentinel, "I don't think it's right to force young children to follow this diet. Even one day a week is too much. My child needs meat to grow and she loves it. She doesn't like many vegetables and I am worried that she might go without food on these days."

What are your views on having 'No Meat Days' in schools and colleges?

Write to: Terry Dowling, Editor, The Sentinel, High Street, Wickby

You wish to respond to the above article.

Write a persuasive letter to Terry Dowling informing him of your views about the plans for 'No Meat Days'.

Remember to:

- plan your answer
- write accurately in sentences and paragraphs.

[15 marks]

Plan your answer here:



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- plan your answer
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Plan your answer here:



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