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ENGLISH GENERAL PAPER

8021/22

Paper 2 Comprehension

October/November 2019

1 hour 45 minutes

You must answer on the question paper.

You will need: Insert (enclosed)

INSTRUCTIONS

- Answer **all** questions.
- Use a black or dark blue pen. You may use an HB pencil for any diagrams or graphs.
- Write your name, centre number and candidate number in the boxes at the top of the page.
- Write your answer to each question in the space provided.
- Do **not** use an erasable pen or correction fluid.
- Do **not** write on any bar codes.
- Dictionaries are **not** allowed.

INFORMATION

- The total mark for this paper is 50.
- The number of marks for each question or part question is shown in brackets [].
- The insert contains all the resources referred to in the questions.

This document has **8** pages. Blank pages are indicated.



Section A

Read the material for Section A in the insert before answering the questions in Section A.

- 1 (a)** Considering the advantages **and** at least **one** disadvantage, explain which **one** of the three countries Brit might choose as the **most** suitable to visit.

You should concentrate on your chosen country and **not** refer to the other countries.

Answer in continuous prose, **using your own words** as far as possible.

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(d) State the words or phrases in the material that mean the following:

(i) supplied beyond the point at which the demand for a product is satisfied

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(ii) producing a great deal of profit

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(iii) attempting to encourage or obtain something by canvassing or asking

..... [1]

(iv) signed up to the team as a member

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(e) Which **two** statements made in the managing director’s column are exaggerations of Exlun Industries’ current position?

Justify your choices, answering **in about 30 words**.

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[Total: 25]

Section B

Read the material for Section B in the insert before answering the questions in Section B.

- 2 (a) Identify the reason given to explain why cautious people might like living in Britain, as stated in the first paragraph.

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(b) In your own words,

- (i) describe what rewilders have done on the outskirts of Rome **and** the results that have been achieved.

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- (ii) explain the situation in the Netherlands.

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- (c) According to the material, explain the benefits if wolves were to kill animals such as sheep and deer.

Answer in about 20 words.

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(d) State the meaning of the following **five** words or phrases as used in the material:

(i) to suppress (line 27)

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(ii) a price worth paying (line 29)

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(iii) integral (line 30)

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(iv) exponents (line 31)

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(v) invasive (line 37)

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- (e) Use the original words or phrases from 2(d) in **five** separate sentences to illustrate their meanings as used in the material.

Your sentences should **not** deal with the subject matter of the material.

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- (f) State **three** problems mentioned regarding all forms of rewilding.

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- (g) Identify **two** statements made by Catherine Bennett that show she is personally against the reintroduction of wolves in the UK.

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