



GCSE

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WEDNESDAY, 9 NOVEMBER 2022 – MORNING

ENGLISH LANGUAGE

UNIT 3

**Reading and Writing: Argumentation, Persuasion
and Instructional**

2 hours plus your additional time allowance

Surname _____

First name(s) _____

Centre Number _____

Candidate Number 0 _____

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	Maximum Mark	Mark Awarded
Section A (Reading)	40	
Section B (Writing)	40	
Total	80	

ADDITIONAL MATERIALS

Resource Material.

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Use black ink, black ball-point pen or your usual method.

Write your name, centre number and candidate number in the spaces provided on the front cover.

**Answer ALL questions in Section A.
Answer BOTH questions in Section B.**

Write your answers in the spaces provided in this booklet. If you run out of space, use the additional page(s) at the back of the booklet, taking care to number the question(s) correctly.

You may write your answers on a separate answer sheet if preferred. If you use a separate answer sheet, write the question number at the start of each answer.

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You are advised to spend your time as follows:

SECTION A

- reading – about 10 minutes
- answering the questions – about 50 minutes

SECTION B

- planning – about 10 minutes
- writing for B1 – about 25 minutes
- writing for B2 – about 25 minutes

INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

Section A (Reading): 40 marks

Section B (Writing): 40 marks

The number of marks is given in brackets at the end of each question or part-question.

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SECTION A (Reading): 40 MARKS

In the **SEPARATE RESOURCE MATERIAL** there are five texts on the theme of 'Sugar' labelled **TEXT A–E**. Read each text carefully and answer **ALL** the questions below that relate to each of the texts.

TEXT A

A1. Which of the following four statements best describes what sugar is? Choose ONE of the statements. Write the number of the correct statement. [1 mark]

- 1. a natural ingredient that has been part of our diet for hundreds of years**
 - 2. a man-made ingredient that has been part of our diet for thousands of years**
 - 3. a natural ingredient that has been part of our diet for thousands of years**
 - 4. a man-made ingredient that has been part of our diet for hundreds of years**
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A2. What is the most common type of sugar in the body? [1 mark]

A3. How many calories can be found in one teaspoon of sugar? [1 mark]

TEXT B

A4. Which of the following four statements best describes what is meant by the word ‘addiction’ in this text? Write the number of the correct statement. [1 mark]

- 1. something that you do every day**
 - 2. dependence on a particular substance or activity**
 - 3. when you are forced to do something against your will**
 - 4. a person who uses medication regularly**
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A5. TEXT B describes the sugar addiction cycle. Put the four stages (a) – (d) below into order according to what happens to your body during this cycle. Write the correct order below. [3 marks]

The third stage is (c).

- (a) hunger and cravings**
- (b) you eat sugar**
- (c) blood sugar levels fall rapidly (Stage 3)**
- (d) blood sugar levels rise rapidly**

1. _____

2. _____

3. **(c)** _____

4. _____

TEXT C

A6. The text mentions that people choose to ‘steer clear of fatty foods’. What does this imply? Choose ONE of the following five options. Write the number of the correct option. [1 mark]

- 1. food that should be consumed frequently**
 - 2. food that is necessary for good health**
 - 3. food that is bad for you**
 - 4. food that should be avoided**
 - 5. food that is high in fat content**
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A7. How does the writer try to persuade us that too much sugar is bad for our health? [8 marks]
You must refer to the text to support your views.

A9. In TEXT D, the writer states that it is ‘trendy to be sour on sugar’. Explain what this phrase means.

[1 mark]

A10. Give ONE reason why TEXT D may not be a reliable source. [1 mark]

A12. Write down TWO food groups that the writer feels are part of a sensible diet. [1 mark]

1. _____

2. _____

A13. The writer mentions the ‘utopian point of no longer craving sugar’. What is meant by the word ‘utopian’? [1 mark]

SECTION B (Writing): 40 MARKS

In this section you will be assessed for the quality of your **WRITING** skills.

Answer question B1 below and question B2 on page 23.

- B1. Write an article for a teenage magazine in which you give your views on the importance of celebrities in our modern lives.**

Write your article. [20 marks]

10 marks are awarded for communication and organisation; 10 marks are awarded for writing accurately.

You should aim to write between 200–300 words.

The space on the next page can be used to plan your work before starting your writing on page 19.

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- B2. 'There's really no harm in eating a sensible amount of sugar particularly if it's part of a balanced diet and comes with a side of exercise.'**

Write a talk for your classmates persuading them to live a healthy lifestyle.

Write your talk. [20 marks]

10 marks are awarded for communication and organisation; 10 marks are awarded for writing accurately.

You should aim to write between 200–300 words.

The space on the next page can be used to plan your work before starting your writing on page 25.

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