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Section A [10 marks]

Question 1

Carefully read the text below, consisting of 12 lines, about an artist trying to paint a scene. The first and last lines are correct. For eight of the lines, there is one grammatical error in each line. There are two more lines with no errors.

If there is NO error in a line, put a tick (✓) in the space provided.

If the line is incorrect, circle the incorrect word and write the correct word in the space provided.

The correct word you provide must not change the original meaning of the sentence.

Examples:

I arrived to my destination at 2 p.m.

.....at.....

My mother always wears sensible clothes.

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In a serene hamlet amidst rolling hills resided an eccentric artist known for painting surreal landscaping. This woman, celebrated for her talent, moved 1
villagers by her vibrant, abstract canvases, and earned their admiration. One 2
bright morning, she aimed to capturing the elusive sunrise, a subject that had 3
long evaded her. As dawn broke, she prepared her easel and paints, waiting 4
for the sunrise. Once it ascended, she began painting, her brushstroke 5
quick but confident. Progressing through the day, she realised she had finally 6
immortalised a sunrise on her canvas. Overwhelmed with awe, she admired 7
her creation, which manifested her long-held aspiration. 8
This defining moment underscores her artistic prowess, transforming 9
her into an emblem of inspiration for her fellow villagers and all which 10
had the opportunity to marvel at her captivating creation.

Section B [30 marks]

Read the printout of a webpage below and use the information to answer the question on page 2 of the Question Paper.

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← → C www.tickets.com.sg

Apps

Local Events in Singapore in 2024



Taylor Swift - The Eras Tour in Singapore

Experience communal joy and bonding over live music.

- Enjoy the interactive stories and surprises that Taylor shares throughout the show.
- Taylor may bring a special guest to perform, which will add an extra thrill to the night.
- Get to buy Taylor Swift themed merchandise at the concert, like T-shirts and posters.

Standard tickets range from S\$108 to S\$348. There are also VIP packages ranging from S\$328 to S\$1,228.

Formula 1 Singapore Grand Prix – Official Ticket Package

Gain exposure to high-tech sport which will instil appreciation for engineering marvels and strategic thinking.

- Tickets to the race also include concerts by famous musicians.
- Satisfy your hunger with a variety of options from simple food stalls to fancy restaurants.
- Seize the opportunity to buy racing souvenirs to remember the experience.

Tickets range from S\$698 to S\$1,088 per pax.





National Day Parade Fireworks at Marina Bay Sands

Get a front row seat to watch the spectacular fireworks display while indulging in a relaxing overnight stay.

- Enjoy an amazing view of the city from the hotel's rooftop pool, the largest in the world.
- The hotel is near the ArtScience Museum, and The Shoppes at Marina Bay Sands is home to famous restaurants and some of the most coveted luxury brands.
- Watch the National Day Parade Fireworks, a beautiful display that lights up the sky once every year, from the luxurious hotel with comfortable rooms.

Prices for rooms that have a city/ sky view start from S\$3100 per night and prices for rooms that have a garden/ harbour view start from S\$2750 per night.

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Section B [30 marks]

You are advised to write between 250 and 350 words for this section.

Question 2

You should look at the printout of a webpage in the Insert, read the information carefully and plan your answer before you begin to write.

To help you celebrate the end of the GCE O-Level examinations, and as an early Christmas present for the family, your aunt and uncle would like to pay for tickets to a local event as a gift. They have seen some events online and have asked you to advise them about which event you and your family members would like best.

Write an email to your aunt and uncle to explain your views. In it you should:

- thank your aunt and uncle and say which option you have chosen
- explain why the chosen event would be most suitable for each of your family members
- explain one aspect of the event all your family members would enjoy
- say how this would make your celebration special.

You may add any other details you think will be helpful.

Write your email in clear, accurate English. Your tone should be warm and appreciative, showing your enthusiasm for the event you have chosen.

You should **use your own words** as much as possible.

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Section C [30 marks]

You are advised to write between 350 and 500 words on one of the following topics.

Questions 3-6

- 3 Describe your favourite food in Singapore.
- 4 Parents play a more important role than peers in influencing a teenager's choices. What are your views?
- 5 Artificial Intelligence is the best tool for humanity. Do you agree? Why or why not?
- 6 Write about a time when the process of learning is more meaningful than the final outcome.

Please write your chosen question number (3, 4, 5 or 6) here:

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