

ST ANDREW'S JUNIOR COLLEGE
JC2 PRELIMINARY EXAMINATION



GENERAL PAPER

8807/1

PAPER 1

28 August 2014

1 hour 30 minutes

Additional materials: Writing Paper

READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS FIRST

Write your name, Civics Group and register number on all the work you hand in.
Write in dark blue or black pen on both sides of the paper.
Do not use staples, paper clips, highlighters, glue or correction fluid.

Answer **one** question.
Note that **20** marks out of **50** will be awarded for your use of language.

At the end of the examination, fasten all your work securely together.
All the questions in this paper carry equal marks.

This question paper consists of 2 printed pages.

Answer **one** question from this Paper.

Answers should be between 500 and 800 words in length.

1. To what extent should politics be left to the politicians?
2. Should immigration be embraced?
3. 'Economically rich, but culturally poor.' How far is this true of Singapore?
4. 'Young people today are better educated than their parents, but no wiser.' Is this a fair statement?
5. To what extent should technology be used to enhance the human body?
6. Can cities ever be environmentally friendly?
7. 'Privacy is given too much importance today.' Do you agree?
8. Consider the view that the pleasurable things in life are bad for you.
9. Is it true that the aged are always a liability?
10. 'Photography has lost its value today.' Do you agree?
11. Does being pragmatic take the joy out of living?
12. 'Win at all costs.' Is this a true reflection of sports today?