

YISHUN JUNIOR COLLEGE

Preliminary Examination 2016

H2 CHINA STUDIES IN ENGLISH

9733/02

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MONDAY 1400h – 1615h



TIME 2 hours 15 minutes

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Write your name and CTG on the writing papers provided.

Answer question 1 in **Section A**.

Answer **either** question 2 **or** question 3 **and either** question 4 **or** question 5 in **Section B**.

At the end of the examination, please hand in your answers with the cover page stapled in front of the answer scripts.

INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

The number of marks is given in brackets [] at the end of each question.

You are reminded of the need for clear presentation in your answers.

Essay Questions**Section A**

You **must** answer this question.

1. Assess the impact of modernisation on the cohesiveness of the Chinese society. [25]

Section B

Answer **two** questions from this section.

EITHER

2. How far has the carrot-and-stick policy undertaken by China been effective in achieving its objectives of reducing sentiments of pro-Taiwanese independence in Taiwan? [25]

OR

3. "Local autonomy does more harm than good to civil governance in China". Assess this view. [25]

AND EITHER

4. Assess the importance of the export economy in China today. [25]

OR

5. Assess the view that China's rise is more welcomed than feared by the global community. [25]

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