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JC2 PRELIMINARY EXAMINATION

GENERAL PAPER
Higher 1

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Paper 2

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1 hour 30 minutes

ANSWER BOOKLET and INSERT

Candidate's Name: _____ CT Group: _____

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READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS FIRST

Write your name, CT group and GP tutor's name on every sheet on the cover page of this answer booklet.

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Do not use staples, paper clips, highlighters, glue or correction fluid.

Answer **all** questions in the Answer Booklet.

Note that 15 marks out of 50 will be awarded for your use of language.

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

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AQ	/10
Language	/15
TOTAL	/50

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PAPER 2 (50 marks)

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Read the passage and then answer all the questions which follow below. Note that up to fifteen marks will be given for the quality and accuracy of your use of English throughout this paper.

Note: When a question asks for an answer **IN YOUR OWN WORDS AS FAR AS POSSIBLE** and you select the appropriate material from the passage for your answer, you must still use your own words to express it. Little credit can be given to answers which only copy words or phrases from the passage.

- 1 From paragraph 1, what is the authors' purpose in giving the official and unofficial definition of shopping malls (lines 1-4)?

[1]

- 2 Why do the authors call shopping malls a 'welcome watering hole' (line 17)? **Use your own words as far as possible.**

[2]

- 3 In paragraph 3, the authors identify several trends that created 'this change' (line 14). Explain the consequence of any 2 trends. **Use your own words as far as possible.**

[2]

- 4 In paragraph 4, why do the authors use the phrase 'historical anachronism' (line 35) to describe the future state of a typical US mall?

[1]

- 5 Explain the irony in the last sentence of paragraph 6 (lines 54-55).

[1]

- 6 In paragraph 8, according to the authors, why do the pleasures of the shopping mall bring out the worst in us (line 62-63)? **Use your own words as far as possible.**

[3]

- 7 In paragraph 8, how do the authors illustrate the cynicism of the mall experience (line 66)? **Use your own words as far as possible.**

[2]

- 8 Why do the authors put brackets around the 3 sentences in paragraph 9 (lines 71-73)?

[2]

- 9 Explain the authors' use of the word 'even' in the phrase 'even at this age' (line 74).

[2]

11 Using material from paragraphs 5 to 7, summarise how the retail landscape has changed, why it has changed and how malls can cope with the challenges.

The retail landscape has changed in so many ways. Firstly, _____

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