

Summer 2023 English Language GCSE AQA

English Language Paper 1

Section A

<p>First 10 minutes – reading the text + Q1.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Survey the text – highlight key information in the context box. • BUG the questions. • Read the source text and make notes to sum up your understanding next to each paragraph. 	
<p>Question 1</p> <p>List 4 things</p> <p>(4 marks)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Find and copy 4 quotations. • Begin each answer with the words from the question. 	<p>SCA Lang Paper 1 revision booklet</p>
<p>Question 2</p> <p>How does the writer use language to describe X?</p> <p>(8 marks)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Big Idea + 2x PETE paragraphs • Choose 2 rich quotations. • Start with a 'big idea' in your own words about how language is used to describe the topic of the question. • Use PETE (Point, Evidence, Technique, Effect) to write your answer. • Zoom on words and techniques. • Use analytical phrases such as 'this has connotations of....' and 'this emphasises ...' • Link your comments back to the question. 	<p>SCA Lang Paper 1 revision booklet</p>
<p>Question 3</p> <p>How does the writer use structure to interest the reader?</p> <p>(8 marks)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3 x PEE paragraphs • Choose 3 quotations: beginning, middle and end. • Write 3 PEE paragraphs: beginning, middle and end. • Use PEE (Point, Evidence and Effect). • Use golden phrases: • 'In the beginning, the writer focuses our attention on...' • 'This happens at this point because' • 'At this point, we learn ...' • 	<p>SCA Lang Paper 1 revision booklet</p>
<p>Question 4</p> <p>To what extent do you agree?</p> <p>(20 marks)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Big Idea + 3 x PETE paragraphs • Do you agree with the statement? What is your overall reason for this? • Choose 3 rich quotations. • Start with a 'big idea'. 'I fully agree... because or I partially agree because...' • Use PETE (Point, Evidence, Technique, Effect) to write your answer. • Zoom on words and techniques. • Use analytical phrases such as 'this has connotations of....' and 'this emphasises ...' • Link your comments back to the question. • 	<p>SCA Lang Paper 1 revision booklet</p>
<p>Section B</p>		

<p style="text-align: center;">Question 5</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Descriptive Writing</p> <p style="text-align: center;">(40 marks)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Bug the question. Look at the place that the exam question is asking you to describe as well as the picture.• Create a plan.• Write 5 paragraphs using: drop – shift – zoom in – zoom out – cyclical structure.• Drop: Describe the weather and setting.• Shift: Describe contrasting time or place.• Zoom in: Describe an object or a small detail in the setting or character.• Zoom out: Describe the wider setting, perhaps from a different perspective.• Cyclical structure: Link back to the opening through your description of the weather and setting.• Use effective vocabulary and language features such as personification, similes and metaphors.• Use ISPACE openers and varied sentence lengths.• Use full stops, capitals and a range of punctuation.• You must proofread and correct your work.	<p>SCA Lang Paper 1 revision booklet</p>
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