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Student Number

**2015 HIGHER SCHOOL CERTIFICATE
EXAMINATION**

Arabic Extension

Oral Examination

General Instructions

- Preparation time – 7 minutes
- The examination should take approximately 3 minutes
- Dictionaries may NOT be used
- You may make brief notes in the space provided
- You may refer to these notes during the examination, but you must NOT read directly from them
- You are NOT permitted to ask the examiner for help with Arabic expressions
- Write your Centre Number and Student Number at the top of this page

Total marks – 10

- Attempt either Question 1 or Question 2

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You are to speak for approximately THREE minutes in ARABIC.

At the beginning of the examination, state the question number that you are attempting in ENGLISH.

At the end of the examination, state ‘this is the end of my exam’.

Your answer will be assessed on how well you:

- present and support a point of view
 - communicate in spoken Arabic
 - structure and sequence information, opinions and ideas within the time allocation
 - demonstrate control of a range of language structures and vocabulary in Arabic
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Question 1 (10 marks)

يَفْحُلُ الشَّبَابُ أَنْ يَكُونَ غَنِيًّا وَمَشْهُورًا عَلَى أَنْ يَكُونَ مُتَعَلِّمًا. مَا رَأَيْكَ بِهَذَا القُولُ؟

Young people care more about being rich and famous than about being well-educated.
What is your opinion?

OR

Question 2 (10 marks)

شَبَابُ الْيَوْمِ أَصَبَحَ أَكْثَرَ إِسْتَعْدَادًا مِنْ شَبَابِ الْمَاضِي لِاتِّخَادِ الْقَرَارَاتِ. مَا رَأَيْكَ بِهَذَا القُولُ؟

Today, young people are better prepared to make decisions compared to young people in the past. What is your opinion?

CANDIDATE'S NOTES. *These notes will NOT be marked.*

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