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Student Number

2003
HIGHER SCHOOL CERTIFICATE
EXAMINATION

Arabic Extension

Oral Examination

General Instructions

- Preparation time – 10 minutes
- The examination should take approximately 5 minutes
- The examination will be recorded on cassette. The cassette recorder should NOT be stopped or paused until the whole examination is completed
- Dictionaries may NOT be used
- You may make brief notes in the spaces 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
- You must state your Student Number and Centre Number in ENGLISH at the beginning of the examination
- Write your Centre Number and Student Number at the top of this page

Total marks – 10

- Attempt TWO questions from Questions 1–3

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You are to speak for approximately TWO minutes in ARABIC on each question.

State the question number in ENGLISH at the beginning of each question.

In your answers you will be assessed on how well you:

- present and support a point of view
 - demonstrate clarity of expression (pronunciation, intonation, stress)
 - demonstrate accuracy and variety of vocabulary and sentence structures
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Question 1 (5 marks)

لَمْ تَعُدِ الْعَائِلَةُ الْمَثَالِيَّةُ مَوْجُودَةً. هَلْ تُوَافِقُ / تُوَافِقِينَ عَلَى هَذَا الرَّأْيِ؟

The ideal family does not exist any more. Do you agree?

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

Question 2 (5 marks)

لَمْ يَعُدَّ صَوْتُ الْإِنْسَانِ الْعَادِيِّ مَسْمُوعًا. هَلْ تُوَافِقُ / تُوَافِقِينَ عَلَى هَذَا الرَّأْيِ؟

The voice of ordinary people is no longer being heard. Do you agree?

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

Question 3 (5 marks)

يَتَعَرَّضُ شَبَابُ الْيَوْمِ لِضُغُوطٍ أَكْثَرَ مِنَ الشَّبَابَاتِ. هَلْ تُوَافِقُ / تُوَافِقِينَ عَلَى هَذَا الرَّأْيِ؟

Nowadays there are many more pressures on boys than on girls. Do you agree?

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

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