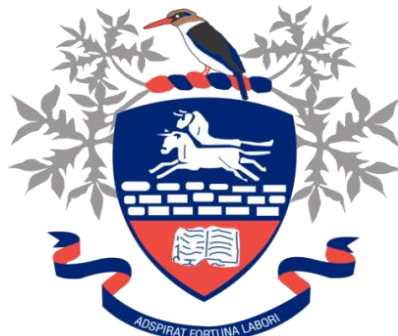


HILLCREST HIGH SCHOOL



TRIALS 2022

Grade 12

ENGLISH HOME LANGUAGE

Paper 3

Time: 3 hours

Marks: 100

Examiner: Miss S. Boyce

Moderator: Mrs N. Atkinson

N.B. This question paper consists of 8 pages

INSTRUCTIONS AND INFORMATION

1. This question paper consists of TWO sections:

SECTION A: Essay (50)

SECTION B: Transactional Texts (2 x 25) (50)

2. Answer ONE question from SECTION A and TWO questions from SECTION B.
3. Write in the language in which you are being assessed.
4. Start EACH section on a NEW page.
5. You must plan (e.g. using a mind map/a diagram/a flow chart/key words), edit and proofread your work. The plan must appear BEFORE the answer.
6. All planning must be clearly indicated as such. It is advisable to draw a line through all planning.
7. You are strongly advised to spend your time as follows:

SECTION A: approximately 100 minutes

SECTION B: approximately 80 (2 x 40) minutes
8. Number the answers correctly according to the numbering system used in this question paper.
9. The title/heading must NOT be included when doing a word count.
10. Write neatly and legibly.

SECTION A: ESSAY

Question 1

Write an essay of 400-450 words (2-2 ½ pages) on ONE of the following topics. Write down the NUMBER and the TITLE/HEADING of your essay.

Essays will be assessed according to the following criteria:

- Content and planning (60%)
- Language, style and editing (30%)
- Structure (10%)

1.1 “Never underestimate the influence you have on others.” **[50]**

(Laurie Buchanan)

1.2 Failure **[50]**

1.3 “It is during our darkest moments that we must focus to see the light.” **[50]**

(Aristotle)

1.4 ‘And she never looked back.’ **[50]**

1.5 “You can be free from everything but the consequences of what you do.” **[50]**

(Isabelle Holland)

1.6 The pictures reproduced on pages 4 and 5 might evoke a reaction or feeling in you or stir your imagination. Select ONE picture and write an essay in response.

Write the question number (1.6.1, 1.6.2 or 1.6.3) of your choice and give your essay a title.

NOTE: There must be a clear link between your essay and the picture you have chosen.

1.6.1



Source: <https://www.wallpaperflare.com/human-walking-in-the-middle-of-railway-wallpaper-13810>

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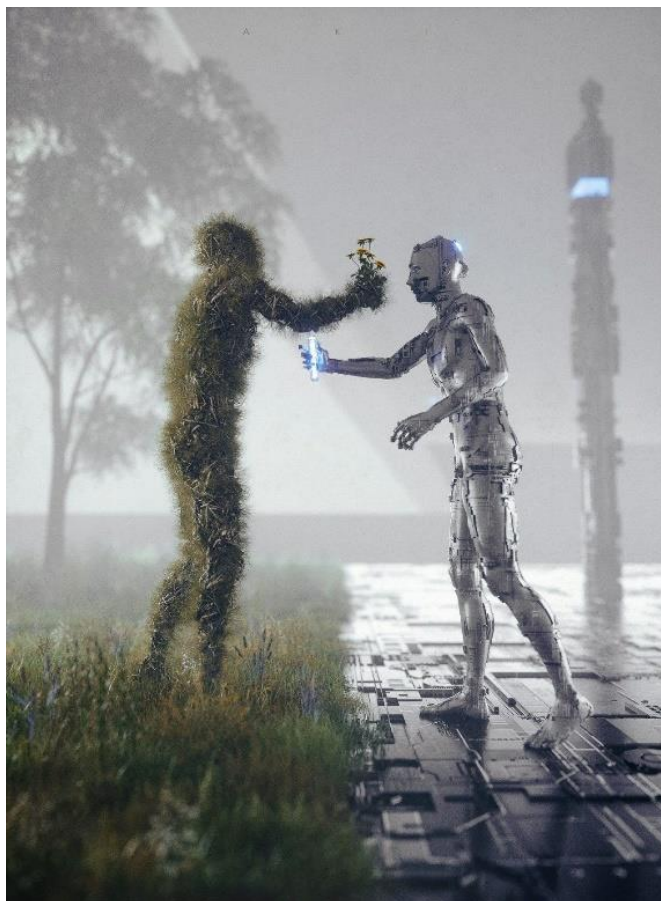
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TOTAL SECTION A: 50 MARKS

SECTION B : TRANSACTIONAL TEXTS

QUESTION 2 :

- Respond to TWO of the following topics.
- The body of your answer should be 180 – 200 words (20-25 lines) in length.
- Pay careful attention to the following:
 - Audience, register, tone and style
 - Choice of words and language structure
 - Format
- Texts will be assessed on the following criteria:
 - Content, planning and format (60%)
 - Language, style and editing (40%)

2.1 INTERVIEW

As part of an anti-bullying campaign, the school has decided to interview past students who survived bullying at high school and went on to be successful after school.

Write the interview with one of these students, focusing on how they learnt to cope and then thrive after being a victim of bullying.



Source: <https://balancemartialarts.com/tag/stand-up-to-bullies/>

[25]

2.2 OBITUARY

An avid environmental activist passed away recently.

Write his/her obituary.

[25]

2.3 LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION

There is an award for perseverance given at Senior Prize Giving in the fourth term. You believe that one of your friends exemplifies perseverance and determination as they have had to overcome both academic and personal struggles to succeed at school.

Write a letter of recommendation to your grade controllers for your friend to receive this award.

[25]

2.4 LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Eskom Technicians Live in Daily Fear As Security Threats and Violent Attacks On Staff Escalate

Eskom has been temporarily suspending services in some parts of the country as attacks on staff escalate. It says there have been 14 attacks on its staff in Gauteng up to 31 July. No arrests have been made.

"You have no idea something like that could happen when it does. You do not expect the community to attack you because you think all they want is for the fault to be fixed, but you get stabbed ... You just never imagine that a reported electricity fault could lead to such rage."

This is the harrowing account of an Eskom worker, who asked not to be named, describing how he and his colleagues battle robbers and thugs daily.

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(Adapted from an article posted online on the Daily Maverick by Bheki Simelane, Suné Payne and Hoseya Jubase)

You feel strongly about the issues raised in the extract above. Write a letter to the editor of the Daily Maverick expressing your views.

[25]

2.5 MAGAZINE ARTICLE

A local teen magazine has called for the submission of articles based on the topic 'Secrets for a successful school career'. The winning article will be published.

Write the article you would submit for the competition.

[25]

2.6 SPEECH

You have been asked by your grade controllers to address the grade 8s and 9s on the importance of participation in school activities (sporting, service and cultural).

Write the speech you would deliver to the grade 8s and 9s.

[25]

TOTAL SECTION B: 25 x 2 = 50 marks

GRAND TOTAL: 100 MARKS
