## Cambridge International AS \& A Level

## ENGLISH LANGUAGE

9093/32
Paper 3 Language Analysis
February/March 2021
2 hours 15 minutes

You must answer on the enclosed answer booklet.

You will need: Answer booklet (enclosed)

## INSTRUCTIONS

- Answer all questions.
- Follow the instructions on the front cover of the answer booklet. If you need additional answer paper, ask the invigilator for a continuation booklet.
- Dictionaries are not allowed.


## INFORMATION

- The total mark for this paper is 50
- The number of marks for each question or part question is shown in brackets [ ].


## Section A: Language change

## Question 1

Read Texts A, B and C.
Analyse how Text A exemplifies the various ways in which the English language has changed over time. In your answer, you should refer to specific details from Texts A, B and C, as well as to ideas and examples from your wider study of language change.

## Text A

Excerpts from the 'Observations in Gardening' sections of the February and October editions of The Gentleman's Magazine from 1731

## Obfervations in Gardening for the Month of February

THIS Month is of great Work for the Gardener.
In the Kitchen-Garden renew the Heat of a convenient Dijtance from a Fruit Wall, they are an admirable Defence againft blighting Winds, and produce noble Fruit.
your Hot-beds with frefh Dung, and continue to Sow Cucumbers and Melons as in the former Month.
Make a large Hot-bed for forward Rhadijhes, and Spring Carrots ; they may be Jown together, becaufe the Rhadijhes be drawn in March, whereby they will make room for the Carrots.

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Now, as well as in October, may be planted the ESpaliers ${ }^{1}$ of Pears, Plums or Apples, $\int$, ufeful as well as profitable in a Garden ; for being planted

Rub Mofs from Trees after a Shower of Rain ; $\int$ crape and cleanfe them from Cankers, छ઼c. Cut and lay quick- - ets, and trim up palifade Hedges.

Earth up the Roots of uncover'd Fruit trees, and drain fuperfluous Moifture from Roots of Trees. Lay Bird-lime for the bird called the Tit, or Tit-moufe, which is a deftructive Enemy to Dwarf pears and Plums in this and the preceding Month, by deftroying the Buds.
The Beginning of this Month you may Jow Auricula Seed, in Cajes filled with light Earth, and the Seeds of the Polyanthois in Some Jhady Border.
Tranfplant all Sorts of flowering Shrubs, which bear the Weather ; as Rofes, Hony-fuckle, Lilac © ${ }^{\circ}$.

## Obfervations in GARDENING for OCTOBER.

NOW fet Jome Kidney Beans in Baskets under fome warm wall to be afterwards ajsijted by moderate hot Beds; as the Seajon becomes violent ; with good management, the $\int$ e will fruit very early.
Sow Jome of the Hotfpur Peafe and Spanifh Beans in Some well expofed Border.
Take up thofe Colly-flower Plants which begin to flower, tye their leaves together, and bury their roots and ftalks in Sand in a Cellar, or
fome cool place, the Flowers will increafe in bignefs and remain good two or three months.
Make Plantations of Lettuce Cabbage for Winter ufe. Sow Rhadisfes in Jome warm place to draw early in the Spring, and Cre $\int$ Ses, Lettuce, Muftard, Spinach, छัc. upon a decay'd hot Bed for Winter Sallads.
Continue to Earth up Sellery for Blanching.
Towards the end Earth up and Drefs fuch Artichoaks as have done blowing ${ }^{2}$.

## Notes:

${ }^{1}$ Efpaliers: fruit trees with branches trained to grow flat against a wall
${ }^{2}$ blowing: blooming

## Text B

The top five collocates for 'plantation' and 'transplant' from the British National Corpus (1980s-1993)

| 'plantation' | 'transplant' |
| :---: | :---: |
| forestry | heart |
| house | liver |
| workers | kidney |
| rubber | operation |
| conifer | bone |

## Text C

n-gram graph for the words size and bigness (1600-2000)


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## Section B: Child language acquisition

## Question 2

Read the following text, which is a transcription of a conversation between Kaylee (age 2 years) and her mother. They are at home. Kaylee is playing with a balloon, which has a long string attached to it and a bracelet at the end to go over her hand.

Analyse ways in which Kaylee and her mother are using language in this conversation. In your answer, you should refer to specific details from the transcription, as well as to ideas and examples from your wider study of child language acquisition.

Kaylee: mummy i want my /berslət/ on (.) mummy ^(2) ah (3)

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Mother: thank you

REFERENCE TABLE OF IPA PHONEMIC SYMBOLS (RECEIVED PRONUNCIATION)

| 1 Consonants of English |  | 2 Pure vowels of English |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| /f/ | fat, rough | /i:/ | beat, keep |
| /v/ | $\underline{\text { very, }}$, village, love | / I / | bilt, tip, busy |
| / ${ }^{\text {/ }}$ | theatre, thank, athlete | /e/ | bet, many |
| / $\quad$ / | this, them, with, either | /æ/ | bat |
| / s/ | sing, thinks, losses | / ^ / | cup, son, blood |
| / z / | zoo, beds, easy | /a:/ | car, heart, calm, aunt |
| / 5 / | sugar, bush | / $\mathrm{p} /$ | pot, want |
| / 3 / | pleasure, beige | 10:/ | port, saw, talk |
| /h/ | high, hit, behind | $10 /$ | about, sudden |
| /p/ | pit, top | /3:1 | word, bird |
| /t/ | tip, pot, steep | /v/ | book, wood, put |
| /k / | keep, tick, scare | /u:/ | food, soup, rude |
| /b / | bad, rub |  |  |
| /d / | bad, dim | 3 Diphthongs of English |  |
| / g / | gun, big | /ei/ | late, day, great |
| / t / | church, lunch | /ai/ | time, high, die |
| /d3 / | judge, gin, jury | / oı / | boy, noise |
| /m/ | mad, jam, small | / av / | cow, house, town |
| /n/ | man, no, snow | /əv / | boat, home, know |
| / y / | singer, long | / ıə / | ear, here |
| /1/ | loud, kill, play | /ea/ | air, care, chair |
| /j/ | you, beyond |  | cure, jury |
| /w/ | one, when, sweet |  |  |
| /r/ | rim, bread |  |  |
| / $/$ / | uh-oh |  |  |

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