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ARABIC 3180/01

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1 hour 30 minutes

Additional Materials: Answer Booklet/Paper

READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS FIRST

If you have been given an Answer Booklet, follow the instructions on the front cover of the Booklet.

Write your Centre number, candidate number and name on all the work you hand in.

Write in dark blue or black pen.

Do not use staples, paper clips, glue or correction fluid.

DO NOT WRITE IN ANY BARCODES.

Answer one question from Section A and one question from Section B.

At the end of the examination, fasten all your work securely together.

The number of marks is given in brackets [] at the end of each question or part question.



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Section A - Letter, Report or Speech, Dialogue

1 From the topics listed below, write **one** composition of about **120** words in **Arabic**. It will be to your advantage to keep to the recommended length.

(a) Your name is Sajid/Sajida and your address is Royal Road, Phoenix. Write a letter to your friend telling him how you managed to win the hundred metres race at your last school sports day.

(b) On the occasion of Environmental Day, write a speech in which you explain to your classmates how to protect the environment.

(c) You met a tourist on a bus. Write a dialogue between you and the tourist in which you tell him about some of the interesting places in your country.

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Section B - Essay

2 From the topics listed below, write **one** essay of about **200** words in **Arabic**. It will be to your advantage to keep to the recommended length.

(a) Describe how Muslims in your country spend the last days of the month of Ramadan.

(b) You went with your friends to pick guavas in the forest when suddenly you heard someone shouting desperately: "Help me! Help me!" Narrate what happened next.

(c) If you were given the opportunity to visit any historical place in the world, where would you go and why?

(d) "Nowadays it is essential to be highly educated." Do you agree?

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