



**FIRST CERTIFICATE IN ENGLISH**

Writing

**D251/02**

Sample Test 2

**Time** 1 hour 20 minutes

**INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

Do not open this question paper until you are told to do so.

**Write your name, centre number and candidate number on your answer sheet if they are not already there.**

Read the instructions for each part of the paper carefully.

Answer the Part 1 question and one question from Part 2.

Write your answers on the answer sheet.

Write clearly in **pen**, not pencil. You may make alterations, but make sure your work is easy to read.

You **must** complete the answer sheet within the time limit.

At the end of the test, hand in both this question paper and your answer sheet.

**INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES**

Each question in this paper carries equal marks.

**Part 1**

You **must** answer this question. Write your answer in **140 – 190** words in an appropriate style on the separate answer sheet.

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- 1 In your English class you have been talking about the fashion industry. Now, your English teacher has asked you to write an essay.

Write an essay using **all** the notes and giving reasons for your point of view.



Some people say the fashion industry has a bad effect on people's lives.  
Do you agree?

**Notes**

Write about:

1. whether people's appearance is important
2. the price of clothes
3. .... (your own idea)

## Part 2

Write an answer to **one** of the questions **2 – 4** in this part. Write your answer in **140 – 190** words in an appropriate style on the separate answer sheet. Put the question number in the box at the top of the answer sheet.

2

A group of British teachers is going to visit your college for two days. The aim of their trip is to learn about how technology is used in education in your country.

You have been asked to write a report for the group leader. Your report should:

- include information about how technology is used to teach different subjects
- recommend which lessons the teachers should watch to see technology being used.

Write your **report**.

3 You see this announcement on an English-language website:

**Articles wanted****MUSIC AND ME**

When do you listen to music? How do you choose what to listen to at different times?

Write us an article answering these questions.



The best articles will be posted on our website.



Write your **article**.

4 You see this announcement on an English-language website:

**Reviews wanted****Courses**

Have you been on a course recently? Please tell us about it! It could be any type of course, like a sports course, photography course or language course. What were the classes like? What was the most interesting thing you learned? Would you recommend the course to other people?

The best reviews will be published in next month's magazine.

Write your **review**.