



UNIVERSITY OF CAMBRIDGE INTERNATIONAL EXAMINATIONS
General Certificate of Education Ordinary Level

ARABIC

3180/01

Paper 1 Composition

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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, highlighters, glue or correction fluid.

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, Dialogue or Speech

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

أ - اسمك محمد / خديجة وعنوانك شارع رويال روز هيل. لم تستطع أن تحضر حفلة عشاء. اكتب رسالة إلى صديقك الذي دعاك، معتذراً وشارحاً له الظروف التي منعتك من الحضور في الحفلة.

(a) Your name is Muhammad/Khadija and your address is Royal Road, Rose Hill. You were unable to attend a dinner party. Write to the friend who invited you, apologizing and explaining the circumstances preventing you from being present at the party.

ب - التقيت بصديق قديم في حفلة. اكتب المحادثة التي دارت بينك وبينه.

(b) You met an old friend at a party. Write down the conversation which took place between you and him.

ج - اكتب تقريراً عن كيف أُحتفلَ بذكرى يوم إنشاء مدرستك.

(c) Write a report on how your school anniversary was celebrated.

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Section B – Essay

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

أ - اكتب عن جيرانك وكيف يتصرفون.

(a) Write about your neighbours and the way they behave.

ب - ماذا أحبُّ أن أكون في حياتي ؟

(b) What would I like to be in my life?

ج - صف التجربة الأكثر إثارة في حياتك.

(c) Give an account of the most exciting experience of your life.

د - فوائد تعلُّم اللغات الأجنبية.

(d) The advantages of learning foreign languages.

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