



Rewarding Learning

General Certificate of Secondary Education

January 2017

English Language/English

Unit 1: Personal Writing and
Reading Multi-Modal Texts

Foundation Tier

[GEG11]

TUESDAY 10 JANUARY, MORNING



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TIME

1 hour 30 minutes.

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Write your Centre Number and Candidate Number on the Answer Booklet provided.

Complete **all three** tasks.

Section **A** tests your Writing skills.

Section **B** tests your Reading skills.

Spend **45 minutes on each section**.

INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

The total mark for this paper is 48.

Figures in brackets printed down the right-hand side of pages indicate the marks awarded to each task.

This paper is accompanied by an insert containing advertising material for use with Task 2 and Task 3.

Section A: Personal Writing

Up to **16 marks** are available for an organised and engaging piece of writing.

Up to **8 marks** are available for the use of a range of sentence structures and accuracy in spelling, punctuation and grammar.

TASK 1

Write an **article for your school magazine** about a time you experienced an **exciting surprise**.

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It is suggested that you organise your time like this:

- **10 minutes** *planning*
- **30 minutes** *writing*
- **5 minutes** *checking*.

You may use the space below to plan your response:

Section B: Reading Multi-Modal Texts

Read the material taken from advertising leaflets for “ROBINHOOD” and “The Enchanted Forest”. (See insert)

Complete the **two** tasks below:

TASK 2

Compare and contrast how **words and phrases** have been used in **both** texts to **persuade** the reader to visit these outdoor events.

[15]

TASK 3

Compare and contrast how **presentational devices** are used in **both** texts to make these places and activities appealing to potential visitors.

Comment on how **images, colour** and **layout** add to the appeal.

[9]

It is suggested that you organise your time like this:

- **10 minutes** *reading the advertising materials*
- **22 minutes** *responding to Task 2*
- **13 minutes** *responding to Task 3.*

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INSERT FOR USE WITH TASKS 2 AND 3



A Journey Through Space with *The Enchanted Forest*



17th October - 2nd November
Booking line tel: 0844 888 66 88

www.EnchantedForest.org.uk



Fasten Your Seatbelts

The countdown has begun to a big sky experience that will truly widen your horizons.

The Enchanted Forest ... A Journey Through Space is guaranteed to deliver an outdoor experience that is genuinely out of this world.

Catch your shuttle to the launch site from the centre of Pitlochry before being whisked off into a new world with a spectacular sound and lighting show.

The Enchanted Forest is a truly unique and memorable outdoor event.

"As the sun fell, the forest came alive!"
The Courier



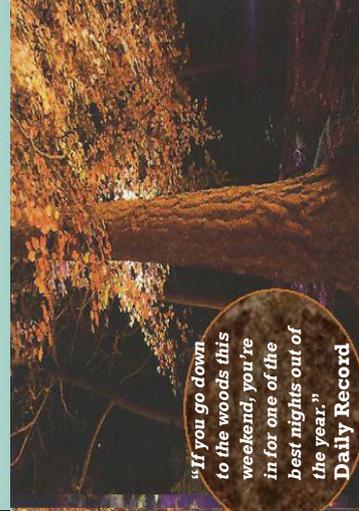
Journey into the Unknown

Combine outdoor theatre with an evening walk in the woods to catch glimpses of space from all angles.

Why not make the most of what space has to offer? Visit our interactive ET wood and relive the very best of sci-fi. ... or **The Magic Storytelling Hut!**



Back by popular demand, our two storytellers, Claire and Lindsay will again enchant their visitors with traditional tales and ... spooky stories.



"If you go down to the woods this weekend, you're in for one of the best nights out of the year."
Daily Record

Book your tickets for A Journey Through Space

Booking your tickets should be a walk on the moon! The event starts Friday 17th October and runs until Sunday 2nd November.

Booking Online:
www.enchantedforest.org.uk

Booking By Phone: 0844 888 66 88

Booking In Person:
Pitlochry Tourist Information Centre,
22 Atholl Road, Pitlochry, PH16 5BX

Ticket Prices:

Adult: £9.50 – £11.50
16yrs and under: £5.00 – £6.00
3yrs and under: £1.00

Tickets for the Enchanted Forest are very popular so please book ahead to ensure you get your preferred date and time.

Admittance to the event is by ticket only.

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