



ENGLISH B – STANDARD LEVEL – PAPER 2
ANGLAIS B – NIVEAU MOYEN – ÉPREUVE 2
INGLÉS B – NIVEL MEDIO – PRUEBA 2

Monday 12 May 2008 (morning)
Lundi 12 mai 2008 (matin)
Lunes 12 de mayo de 2008 (mañana)

1 h 30 m

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- Do not turn over this examination paper until instructed to do so.
- Choose one task.

INSTRUCTIONS DESTINÉES AUX CANDIDATS

- Ne retournez pas cette épreuve avant d'y être autorisé(e).
- Choisissez une tâche.

INSTRUCCIONES PARA LOS ALUMNOS

- No dé la vuelta al examen hasta que se lo autoricen.
- Elija una tarea.

Write **at least** 250 words on **one** of the following:

1. Your friend has recently suffered from an illness or injury and will miss the senior class trip. Write a letter or an email to your friend advising on how to cope with this situation and encouraging him/her to get well.
 2. Imagine that there was a day in your life perhaps even years ago that you would like to live differently. You have recently been thinking about that day. Write a diary entry explaining the thing(s) that you regret and what things you would do differently. Be sure to discuss your feelings.
 3. You are participating in a debate on the motion: *Parents should no longer support their children financially once they have graduated from high school.* Write the text of your speech either agreeing or disagreeing with this motion.
 4. You have an idea for a new course that you would like your school to introduce and offer to students. To get support for this new course from your fellow students, write an article for the school newspaper. In this article you describe the course, explain its importance, and discuss how students will benefit from it.
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