
Key Stage 3 ENGLISH LANGUAGE

Paper 1 Explorations in creative reading and writing Year 9 Pack 1

Time allowed: 1 hour 45 minutes

Materials

- **Source A** – Provided as a loose insert

Instructions

- Answer **all** questions.
- Answer the questions in the spaces provided.
- Cross through any work you do not want to be marked.

Information

- The marks for questions are shown in brackets.
- The maximum mark for this paper is 80.
- There are 40 marks for **Section A** and 40 marks for **Section B**.

Advice

- Spend about 15 minutes reading through the Source and all five questions.
- Leave enough time to check your answers.

Forename:

Surname:

School

Section A: Reading

Answer **all** questions in this section.

You are advised to spend about 45 minutes on this section.

0 1

Read again the first part of the Source from **lines 1 to 5**.

List **four** things about Mr Evans from this part of the Source.

[4 marks]

1 _____

2 _____

3 _____

4 _____

Section B: Writing

You are advised to spend about 45 minutes on this section.

Write in full sentences.

You are reminded of the need to plan your answer.

You should leave enough time to check your work at the end.

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Your teacher wants you to contribute to a collection of creative writing. She will judge which pieces can go into the collection.

Either:

Write a description of young children leaving home as suggested by this picture:



Or:

Write a description about a person who has made a strong impression on you.

(24 marks for content and organisation)

16 marks for technical accuracy)

[40 marks]

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