**SENIOR SECONDARY INTERVENTION PROGRAMME 2013** 



# **GRADE 12**

# **ENGLISH FIRST ADDITIONAL LANGUAGE**

# LEARNER HOMEWORK SOLUTIONS

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# SOLUTIONS TO HOMEWORK: SESSION 1 TOPIC: COMPREHENSION

# **TEXT A: FLORENCE NIGHTINGALE**

# NOTE: Incorrect spelling and language errors should not be penalised, because the focus is on understanding *unless otherwise indicated*.

# **QUESTION 1**

1.1	They indicate Florence Nightingale's date of birth $\checkmark$ and date of death. $\checkmark$ <b>OR</b> Florence Nightingale's lifespan/How long she lived. $\checkmark \checkmark$	(2)
1.2	<ul> <li>False. ✓Her family did not approve of her doing nursing./'despite the disapproval of family and society.' ✓</li> <li>NOTE: Quotation must be correct.</li> <li>Do not award any marks if the motivation/substantiation is NOT preceded by FALSE.</li> <li>Award 1 mark only for FALSE without the motivation/substantiation.</li> <li>Award 1 mark if the candidate uses 'F' instead of FALSE.</li> <li>Award no marks if the candidate uses 'NO' instead of FALSE.</li> </ul>	(2)
1.3 1	The conditions were dreadful/horrible/deplorable/unacceptable/ terrible/ bad. ✓ OR Conditions in the hospitals were so bad that many patients died. ✓ OR 'dreadful conditions' (NOTE: Do not penalise candidates for omitting the quotation marks.) ✓ Mark the following <i>incorrect:</i> 'the dreadful conditions'	(1)
1.3.2	'Initially greeted with 40% to 2%.' Open-ended. Consider the response as a whole and accept a well-substantiated answer, e.g: Yes./I think it was a good idea. Women are generally seen to be more gentle and caring than men and would provide more comfort to the wounded soldiers. $\sqrt[4]{V}$ <b>OR</b> No./I do not think it was a good idea. The female nurses could be in danger because of the war. $\sqrt[4]{V}$ <b>NOTE:</b> Do not award a mark for YES/NO only.	(2)
1.4	She introduced female nurses into hospitals. $\checkmark$ She improved conditions in hospitals. $\checkmark$ She reduced mortality rates among soldiers. $\checkmark$ ' she oversaw the hospitals in Turkey.' $\checkmark$ (NOTE: Accept ANY TWO.) OR 'Initially greeted with 40% to 2%.' $\checkmark \checkmark$	(2)

1.5 Open-ended. Consider the response as a whole and accept a well-substantiated answer, e.g. Yes. She was instrumental in reducing the death rate of soldiers during the war. √√ OR No. Her actions could have endangered her own life and the lives of the female nurses.  $\checkmark\checkmark$ **NOTE:** Do not award a mark for YES/NO only. The reason/substantiation/motivation must suit the initial YES/NO response. (2)1.6 Notes on Hospitals  $\checkmark$  and Notes on Nursing  $\checkmark$ **NOTE:** Titles must be written correctly and in full. (2)1.7 She published two books/and numerous reports and pamphlets on health care. √√ OR She founded/established a training school for midwives.  $\checkmark\checkmark$ OR She founded/established the Nightingale School and Home for Nurses.  $\checkmark$ OR She advocated formal training for nurses.  $\sqrt{\sqrt{}}$ **NOTE:** Accept any ONE of the above. (2)1.8 'Florence Nightingale fought for health care for people regardless of faith or economic background.'√ **NOTE:** Do not penalise candidates for omitting the quotation marks. The quotation must be 100% correct. The FULL sentence must be quoted. (1) 1.9 She changed public policy on health care./She improved public health care.  $\checkmark\checkmark$ **NOTE:** Accept quotations. (2) 1.10 Accept a title of no more than six words that suits the passage, e.g. The Lady of Hope  $\checkmark \checkmark$ OR The history of International Nurses' Day√√ OR The Lady with the Lamp $\sqrt{\sqrt{}}$ OR The life and work of Florence Nightingale  $\sqrt{\sqrt{}}$ **NOTE:** The title must not be a sentence. The title must focus on the life and work of Florence Nightingale. The title must suit the passage. (2) [20]

# **QUESTION 2**

2.1 2.2	B/namelessly One Saint Valentine was put to death on this date (for refusing to give up	(1)
2.2	Christianity) $\checkmark$ and wrote a love note to his jailer's daughter before he died. <b>OR</b>	$\checkmark$
	'The other Saint "From your Valentine." $\checkmark \checkmark$	(2)
2.3	He defied Emperor Claudius' ruling which made it illegal for young men to marry./He got married./He married a couple./He refused to give up Christianity. $\checkmark\checkmark$	(2)
2.4	No. ✓ 'ranking second only to Christmas.'✓ <b>NOTE:</b> The quotation MUST be correct. Do not penalise candidates for omitting the quotation marks. Do not award any marks if the first part of the answer is Incorrect/missing.	(1) (2)
2.5	<ul> <li>Diamond jewellery is promoted as gifts for Valentine's Day. ✓</li> <li>OR</li> <li>Valentine's Day has boosted diamond sales. ✓</li> <li>NOTE: Diamonds/The diamond industry must be mentioned or implied in t answer.</li> <li>Do not accept quotations.</li> </ul>	he (1)
2.6	<ul> <li>Open-ended. Consider the response as a whole and accept a well-substantiated answer, e.g.</li> <li>Yes. Many people spend a lot of money on gifts for their loved ones. √√</li> <li>OR</li> <li>Yes. Businesses spend large amounts of money on advertisements to attrpeople to buy expensive gifts for their loved ones. √√</li> <li>OR</li> <li>Yes. Some people become upset if their loved ones do not give them gifts/celebrate with them on Valentine's Day. √√</li> <li>OR</li> <li>No. Not all people celebrate Valentine's Day. √√</li> <li>OR</li> <li>No. Valentine's Day is a foreign concept to many people/cultures. √√</li> <li>NOTE: Do not award a mark for YES/NO only.</li> <li>The reason/substantiation/motivation must suit the initial YES/NO</li> </ul>	act
	response.	(2) [ <b>10</b> ]



# SOLUTIONS TO HOMEWORK: SESSION 2 TOPIC: SUMMARY

# SECTION A: TYPICAL EXAM QUESTIONS: SUMMARIES

(Taken from "Guidelines for the setting of Gr 12 examinations in languages – Paper 1, DoE)

# MARKING MEMORANDUM / MARKING THE SUMMARY:

• Candidates must present the summary in the required format. Summaries presented in the incorrect format **will not be assessed.** 

- Award marks only for those points that are presented in full sentences.
- Planning/drafts must be clearly indicated. If not, mark the first summary presented.
- Candidates must indicate the word count correctly.
- For FAL, award marks as follows:

# 7 marks for 7 points

# 3 marks for language

### **Penalties:**

- For summaries that are **too long**, read only up to **5 words** beyond the required length and **ignore the rest of the answer**.
- Summaries that are short but contain all the required main points **should not** be penalised.
- Language errors (grammar, spelling, punctuation): deduct from the 3 marks for language as follows:

0-4 errors – no penalty 5-10 errors – subtract 1 mark 11-15 errors – subtract 2 marks 16 errors or more – subtract 3 marks.

• For direct quotations of **whole sentences**, penalise as follows from the total mark awarded for the points and language usage:

1-3 whole sentences quoted: no penalty

- 4-5 whole sentences quoted: deduct 1 mark
- 6-7 whole sentences quoted: deduct 2 marks
- Subtract 1 mark from the total marks awarded for the points and language usage for not indicating the word count, or for an incorrect word count.

**NOTE:** Abbreviations should not be used but should they appear in the summary, they must be counted as the number of words that they represent



### MEMO for QUESTION 1 SUMMARY – 15 minutes

#### The following points form the answer to the question.

- 1. Spots and blemishes can affect anyone at any age.
- 2. There are many causes of spots and blemishes which can result in scarring.
- 3. Deep cleanse the skin, preferably with an anti-blemish treatment product.
- 4. Do not pick at spots as it causes scarring.
- 5. Over-the-counter products, prescription antibiotics, spot sticks and pens can be used to treat mild to moderate acne.
- 6. Home remedies are also effective.
- 7. Use a concealer to hide stubborn spots.

#### Total no. of words used: 70

#### MARKING:

• Read the whole summary first to get an overall impression of the answer.

#### Marks will be allocated as follows:

- 1 mark per point given.
- 1 mark for indicating the correct word count.
- 2 marks for language usage.
- The candidate must rewrite the core idea in his/her OWN WORDS as far as possible.
- The points need not be in a specific order.
- Mark only ONE point per sentence. If an irrelevant point occurs first, followed by a relevant point, the candidate forfeits the mark for the other possibly relevant point.
- If given in paragraph format, treat one sentence as one point.

No of words Penalty
76-80 No penalty 81-85 - ½
86-90 -1
91-95 -1 ½
96-100 -2
101-105 -2 ½
106-110 -3
111-115 -3 ½
116-120 -4
121-125 -4 ½
126-130 -5
131+ -5 ½

#### **PENALTIES:**

- Summary in paragraph form: deduct 1 mark.
- Language usage: Every 5 language errors: deduct 1 mark.
- Word count: If not indicated, deduct 1 mark.
- Words above the 80 word limit: see table below

# TOTAL Section B: [10]



#### MEMO for QUESTION 2 SUMMARY – 15 minutes

#### **SECTION B: SUMMARY WRITING**

### **QUESTION 3**

#### The following points form the answer to the question:

- 1. Drink plenty of water (to keep the body hydrated)./Keep the body hydrated. NOTE: Mark the quotation 'One of the ... drink enough water' *incorrect.*
- 2. Avoid drinks that contain caffeine/stimulants/which keep you awake and disturb sleeping patterns./Avoid tea and coffee as they keep you awake. NOTE: Mark the quotation 'Drinks such as ... to replace water'/'Drinks such as...your sleep pattern' *correct.* Apply the penalty for using quotations.
- 3. Eat breakfast (which is the most important meal of the day).
- Keep energy levels constant by eating small meals during the day./Eat small meals during the day.
   NOTE: Mark the quotation 'Eating small meals ... help achieve this' *correct.* Apply the penalty for using quotations.
- Eat five portions of fruit and vegetables daily./Follow a healthy diet./Avoid an unhealthy diet.
   NOTE: Mark the quotation 'One should also ... or vegetables daily' *correct.* Apply the penalty for using quotations.
- 6. Get an average of eight hours' sleep./Get enough sleep./Sleep enough.
- 7. Get extra sleep/Sleep (30 minutes to an hour) longer if you are tired. **NOTE:** Mark the quotation '...it is advisable ... feels very tired' *correct*. Apply the penalty for using quotations.
- Try to de-stress by exercising, reading or meditating./Avoid stress/worry/worrying/depression./Find ways to de-stress.

**NOTE:** Mark the quotation 'Instead of just ... book or meditating' *correct.* Apply the penalty for using quotations.

### NOTE: ACCEPT ANY SEVEN POINTS.

**NOTE:** Even though the use of abbreviations is not encouraged, they must be counted as complete words and the word count represented accordingly.



### **MARKING:**

- \* Candidates must present the summary in point form. Summaries presented in any other format must be awarded zero.
- \* Plans or drafts must be clearly indicated. If not, mark the first summary presented.
- \* Candidates must indicate correctly the total number of words they have used.
- \* Award marks as follows:

7 marks for 7 points

NOTE:

- \* Indicate the number of each fact according to the numbering of facts presented in the memorandum.
- \* Indicate quotations of whole sentences with a 'Q' in the margin.
- \* Underline all language errors.
- \* Points not given in FULL sentences must be credited and treated as language errors.
  - 3 marks for language to be awarded as follows:
- \* If 1 2 facts have been presented: a maximum of 1 mark may be awarded for language
- \* If 3 4 facts have been presented: a maximum of 2 marks may be awarded for language
- If 5 7 facts have been presented: a maximum of 3 marks may be awarded for language
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- \* Language errors (grammar, spelling, punctuation): deduct from the 3 marks for language as follows:
  - 0-4 errors no penalty
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  - 1-3 whole sentences quoted no penalty
  - 4 5 whole sentences quoted subtract 1 mark
  - 6 7 whole sentences quoted subtract 2 marks
- Subtract 1 mark from the total number of marks awarded for not indicating the word count, or for an incorrect word count.
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