



TOM NEWBY SCHOOL
TERM 4 NOVEMBER EXAM
MEMORANDUM

Subject	ENGLISH PAPER 2	Examiner	MISS K MOODLEY
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District	EN	Moderator	MRS A SINGH

QUESTION 1: LITERARY/NON-LITERARY TEXT (15 MARKS)

Question	Answer	Mark	Level
1.1	Octopi are commonly found in the Pacific Ocean. ✓	1	1
1.2	The average length of an octopus is 4.3 meters. ✓	1	1
1.3	"They do not have backbones, so they can quickly change the shape of their bodies." ✓ (must be the full sentence)	1	3
1.4	An octopus has eight limbs / a large round body / is 4.3 meters / has no backbones / finless / flexible limbs ✓ (any one) ✓	1	2
1.5	An octopus uses its limbs to grab nearby rocks and seaweed. ✓ It uses its large body to draw water into its body cavity and forces it out through a tube under its head ✓ The force of the water squirting out, pushes the octopus along, allowing it to swim through the ocean. ✓	3	3
1.6	Moray eel / otter. ✓	1	2
1.7	An octopus is similar to a squid because both release ink as a defence tactic. ✓	1	3
1.8	A predator kills and eats its prey. ✓	1	4
1.9	b) Octopi are venomous. ✓	1	2
1.10	a) An octopus can use its limbs to move in the ocean. ✓	1	3
1.11	True. ✓	1	3

1.12	Octopi cannot swim fast enough, so they camouflage themselves to blend in with their surroundings. The ink they release causes the water to turn dark, which confuses predators and gives the octopus an opportunity to escape. (any one) ✓	1	3
1.13	Their limbs can grow back after they lose it. ✓	1	5

QUESTION 2: VISUAL LITERACY (10 MARKS)

Question	Answer	Mark	Level
2.1	Muizenberg Beach's monthly clean- up ✓	1	1
2.2	People with gloves on. Bin bags / a bin A shovel. They are on a beach (any 1 option) ✓	1	5
2.3	3 rd of August (does not need "rd") Saturday, 3 August ✓	1	2
2.4	d) People who care about the environment ✓	1	3
2.5	John Dory's ✓	1	3
2.6	Muizenberg Beach ✓	1	3
2.7	Every month ✓	1	2
2.8	Having a beach clean-up helps to protect marine life/ keeps the beach clean. (Learners own answer)	1	2
2.9	The bright colours in the advertisement The different font sizes The colour of the pictures (any 1 option) ✓	1	3
2.10	John Doy's vouchers up for grabs ✓	1	4

QUESTION 3: SUMMARY (5 MARKS)

- a. In order to move, the octopus use its **limbs** ✓ and large bodies.
- b. Octopi have the ability to **regenerate** ✓ limbs that are lost.
- c. Octopi are closely related to **squids**. ✓
- d. Octopi are most commonly found in the warm **Pacific** ✓ Ocean.
- d,a,c,b** ✓

QUESTION 4: LANGUAGE STRUCTURES & CONVENTIONS (10 MARKS)

NB: SPELLING MUST BE CORRECT FOR LANGUAGE

If the instruction states to underline or circle then it must be adhered to, otherwise it is incorrect.

Question	Answer	Mark
4.1	faraway– nearby ✓	1
4.2	hide– camouflage ✓	1
4.3.1	Pronoun: its ✓	1
4.3.2	Proper noun: Moray eel ✓	1
4.3.3	Verb: regrow ✓	1
4.4	<u>An octopus</u> ✓ <u>has eight limbs.</u> ✓	2
4.5	Octopi are ocean creatures that are most famous for having eight arms, ✓ three hearts and blue blood.	1
4.6	best ✓	1
4.7	Electric eels will ✓ shock people as a defence mechanism.	1