External assessment 2024

Question book

English SEE SEE 2 Paper 1

General instruction

• Work in this book will not be marked.





Section 1

Instructions

- There is one question for each of the three prescribed texts.
- Respond to the question for your selected text.
- Respond in 500–700 words in the response book.

Cocoon by Kirli Saunders

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QUESTION

Create a short story in response to the poem, *Cocoon*, exploring the concept of healing.

Your short story should express or challenge an idea, attitude, value and/or belief that underpins the original poem to shape a perspective.

Your short story may be set in the same time and place as the poem or a different time and place.

OR

When You Are Old by WB Yeats

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QUESTION

Create a short story in response to the poem, When You Are Old, exploring the concept of time.

Your short story should express or challenge an idea, attitude, value and/or belief that underpins the original poem to shape a perspective.

Your short story may be set in the same time and place as the poem or a different time and place.

OR

Fishbone Hair VI. by Kathy Jetñil-Kijiner

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QUESTION

Create a short story in response to the poem, Fishbone Hair VI., exploring the concept of fate.

Your short story should express or challenge an idea, attitude, value and/or belief that underpins the original poem to shape a perspective.

Your short story may be set in the same time and place as the poem or a different time and place.

References

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