



Catholic Junior College

JC2 Preliminary Examination

Higher 1

GENERAL PAPER

8881/01

Paper 1

25 August 2025

1 hour 30 minutes

READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS FIRST

Write your name and class on all the work you hand in.

Write in dark blue or black pen on both sides of the paper.

Do not use paper clips, highlighters, glue or correction fluid on your work.

Answer **one** question.

Note that up to **20** marks out of **50** will be awarded for your use of language.

At the end of the examination, fasten all your work securely together.

All questions in this paper carry equal marks.

Answer **one** question.

Answers should be between 500 and 800 words in length.

- 1 "Environmental conservation is a futile endeavour." To what extent is this true?
- 2 Assess the value of staging major entertainment events in your society.
- 3 To what extent is the management of infectious diseases the most pressing global issue today?
- 4 "Modern technology will mean the end of education." Is this a fair statement of your society?
- 5 "Small countries should be taken seriously today." How far do you agree?
- 6 "Sport is the most powerful tool a nation has to inspire pride." Discuss.
- 7 "The Arts have lost their significance today". How far do you agree?
- 8 Examine the view that in all areas of life, flexibility is key.

END OF PAPER