

**ST ANDREW'S JUNIOR COLLEGE**  
**JC2 PRELIMINARY EXAMINATIONS**



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**GENERAL PAPER**

**8881/1**

**PAPER 1**

28 August 2025

1 hour 30 minutes

Additional materials: Writing Paper

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**READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS FIRST**

Write your name, Civics Group and register number on all the work you hand in.  
Write in dark blue or black pen on both sides of the paper.  
Do not use staples, paper clips, highlighters, glue or correction fluid.

Answer **one** question.

Note that **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 the questions in this paper carry equal marks.

Answer **one** question from this Paper.

Answers should be between 500 and 800 words in length.

1. Should societies still hold on to tradition in the face of modernisation?
2. Assess the view that commercialisation of sports has undermined its original values.
3. 'Art can be an effective form of protest.' Comment.
4. Should young people in your society be more involved in shaping national policies?
5. To what extent is social media effective in enhancing climate activism?
6. Can history be truly objective?
7. 'Smart cities will only bring us more problems than benefits.' Discuss.
8. How far is economic success an accurate reflection of a country's overall well-being?