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ENGLISH FIRST ADDITIONAL LANGUAGE

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GRADE 8

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2 HOURS

60 MARKS

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INSTRUCTIONS AND INFORMATION

1. This question paper consists of 6 pages. **(Page 5 and 6 contain TEXT A and TEXT B)**
2. Read your questions and instructions carefully before attempting to answer the examination paper.
3. Answer ALL the questions in the examination booklet provided.
4. Leave a line after each question AND draw a margin on the right hand side of each page of the booklet.
5. Number the answers correctly according to the numbering system used in this question paper.
6. Write in full, suitably constructed sentences, using the correct register.
7. Pay special attention to spelling and grammar.
8. GOOD LUCK! 😊

SECTION A : COMPREHENSION AND SUMMARY

QUESTION 1 – COMPREHENSION

Read TEXT A and answer the following questions.

- 1.1 In which country was Audrey Hepburn born? (1)
- 1.2 How old was Audrey Hepburn when she died? (1)
- 1.3 What job did Audrey Hepburn’s father do? (1)
- 1.4 What kind of work did Audrey do before she became a film star? (1)
- 1.5 For which film did Audrey Hepburn win an Oscar for Best Actress in 1953? (1)
- 1.6 What did winning the Oscar do for Audrey’s career? (2)
- 1.7 Apart from winning the Oscar, give one other reason why Audrey was so popular? (1)
- 1.8 Choose the correct answer by writing down the letter you choose next to the number of the question:
- 1.8.1 For which of the following movies was Audrey **not** nominated for an Oscar?
- A. Sabrina (1954)
- B. The Nun’s Story (1959)
- C. Breakfast at Tiffany’s (1961)
- D. My Fair Lady (1964) (2)
- 1.8.2 Which of the following is not a movie in which Audrey Hepburn played?
- A. Charade (1963)
- B. Mary Poppins (1965)
- C. Two for the Road (1967)
- D. Wait Until Dark (1967) (2)
- 1.9 Arrange the following movie titles alphabetically: Love in the Afternoon (1957), Breakfast at Tiffany’s (1961), Charade (1963) and Funny Face (1957). (4)
- 1.10 What is the name of Audrey Hepburn’s first husband? (1)
- 1.11 What did Rex Harrison say about Audrey Hepburn? (1)

1.12 How do you know Audrey Hepburn was very beautiful? Quote a sentence from the passage. (1)

1.13 In how many movies did Audrey Hepburn play? (1)

QUESTION 2 : LANGUAGE

2.1 Provide a synonym and antonym for *enormous*. (2)

2.2 Complete the following table showing the degrees of comparison. Write the answer next to the question number only. Do not redraw the table.

Positive	Comparitive	Superlative
beautiful	2.2.1	2.2.2
2.2.3	classier	2.2.4

(4)

2.3 Identify the punctuation in *wasn't* and explain its purpose. (2)

2.4 Why is the word *Dutch* in paragraph 1 written with a capital letter? (1)

2.5 Provide a homophone for *role*. (1)

QUESTION 3 : SUMMARY

Read TEXT B on '*Seven tips to take the perfect selfie*'. In your own words, summarise FIVE of these important tips that you would use to ensure you take the perfect selfie.

INSTRUCTIONS:

- List FIVE points in full sentences, using **NO MORE THAN 50 - 60 words**
- Number your sentences from 1 to 5
- Write only ONE point per sentence
- Use your OWN words
- Indicate the total number of words you have used in brackets at the end of your summary

[SECTION A : 40 MARKS]

SECTION B : HOLES QUESTIONS

1. Why is the name Stanley Yelnats special? (1)
2. Explain the irony in the camp's name *Camp Green Lake*. (2)
3. What events lead to Stanley going to Camp Green Lake? (2)
4. Zero and Stanley had an agreement. What was it? (2)
5. Why do you think the boys were really digging all those holes? (1)
6. In a short paragraph, describe how Katherine Barlow became *Kissin Kate Barlow*. (4)
7. Match the character in column A with the correct description in column B. Write the question number and the correct letter only.

Column A		Column B	
7.1	Mr Sir	A	The camp counsellor
7.2	Stanley	B	Has rattlesnake venom in her nail polish.
7.3	Zero	C	Caveman
7.4	Warden	D	Stopped smoking and eats sunflower seeds
7.5	X-Ray	E	Stole a car
7.6	Mr Pendanski	F	He can't stop himself from stealing
7.7	Magnet	G	Is really good at Mathematics
7.8	Twitch	H	Took credit for finding the gold tube

[SECTION C : 20 MARKS]

GRAND TOTAL : 60 MARKS

~TEXT A~

1. Audrey Hepburn was born on May 4, 1929 in Brussels, Belgium. She really was blue-blood from the beginning with her father, a wealthy English banker, and her mother, a Dutch baroness. After her parents divorced, Audrey went to London with her mother where she went to a private girls' school. Later, when her mother moved back to the Netherlands, she attended private schools as well.
2. While vacationing with her mother in Arnhem, Holland, Hitler's army took over the town. It was here that she fell on hard times during the Nazi occupation. Audrey suffered from depression and malnutrition. After the liberation, Audrey went to a ballet school in London on a scholarship and later began a modeling career. As a model, she was graceful and, it seemed, she had found her *niche* in life - until the film producers came calling.
3. After being spotted modeling by a producer, she was signed to play a part in the European film [Nederlands in 7 lessen](#) in 1948. Later, she had a speaking role in the 1951 film, [Young Wives' Tale](#) (1951) as Eve Lester. The part still wasn't much, so she headed to America to try her luck there. Audrey gained immediate prominence in the US with her role in [Roman Holiday](#) in 1953. This film turned out to be a smashing success as she won an Oscar as Best Actress. This gained her enormous popularity and more roles. One of the reasons for her popularity was the fact that she was so elf-like and had class, unlike the sex-goddesses of the time.
4. [Roman Holiday](#) (1953) was followed by another similarly wonderful performance in the 1957 classic [Funny Face](#). [Sabrina](#), in 1954, for which she received another Academy nomination, and [Love in the Afternoon](#) (1957), in 1957, also *garnered* rave reviews. In 1959, she received yet another nomination for her role in [The Nun's Story](#) (1959). Audrey reached the peak of her career when she played Holly Golightly in the delightful film [Breakfast at Tiffany's](#) in 1961. For this she received another nomination. She scored commercial success again in the *espionage* caper [Charade](#) (1963).
5. One of Audrey's most radiant roles was in the fine production of [My Fair Lady](#) in 1964. Her co-star, [Rex Harrison](#), once was asked to identify his favourite leading lady. Without hesitation, he replied, "Audrey Hepburn in 'My Fair Lady.'" After a couple of other movies, most notably [Two for the Road](#) (1967), and another nomination in 1967's [Wait Until Dark](#) (1967).
6. By the end of the sixties, after her divorce from actor [Mel Ferrer](#), Audrey decided to retire while she was on top. Later she married Dr. Andrea Dotti. From time to time, she would appear on the silver screen. One film of note was [Robin and Marian](#), with [Sean Connery](#) in 1976.
7. In 1988, Audrey became a special ambassador to the United Nations UNICEF fund helping children in Latin America and Africa, a position she retained until 1993. She was named to People's magazine as one of the 50 most beautiful people in the world. Her last film was [Always](#) in 1989.
8. Audrey Hepburn died on January 20, 1993 in Tolochenaz, Switzerland, from colon cancer. She had made a total of 31 high quality movies. Her elegance and style will always be remembered in film history as evidenced by her being named in Empire magazine's "The Top 100 Movie Stars of All Time."

Glossary:**Niche** : a comfortable or suitable role, job or way of life.**Garnered** : to obtain**Espionage** : the activity of secretly getting important information from governments by using spies.

~TEXT B~

SEVEN TIPS TO TAKE THE PERFECT SELFIE



Liziwe Ndalana demonstrates how to take a selfie. (Duncan Alfreds, Fin24)

Cape Town - Taking selfies - self-portraits - with your mobile has become a popular activity thanks to smartphones with better hardware and the influence of reality TV stars.

Here are some tips, tricks, and tools from HTC Selfie Stylist Alexis Knox to help you put your best face forward:

Do a background check; you want your clicks to capture the real you, but nobody wants to see your dirty laundry or unmade bed. Look for a simple yet beautiful background that won't distract from you being the focus of the image. Find your filter, unless you're hash-tagging # no-filter, there's no shame in putting your picture through one. Good smartphones and many third-party apps such as Instagram offer a range of filters that you can use to look your best and capture the right tone and feel for your pic. Let there be light; want your selfie to seriously shine? Then step outside. Early morning or late afternoon is the ideal time for lighting. Natural light always trumps artificial. Light bulbs can make your skin tone look off and give you under-eye bags. If you are snapping indoors, stand near a window since the sun casts less shadow there. Do as the models do; hold your phone high above your head and away from you at a 45° angle so that you look slim and trim in your selfie.

Get your angles right; scroll through any Kardashian Instagram feed and count how many pics are straight-on snaps of their faces (hint: It's very few). That's because turning your head slightly to one side makes your face seem slimmer and hides any sign of a double chin. Phone a friend, or better yet, jump into a photo with one. Selfies are more fun, and less awkward, when they're taken with a pal. It usually leads to laughter and some silliness, so your photos end up looking less staged and more candid. Finally, remember slow and steady captures the selfie; go slow and concentrate on positioning. Continually pushing the capture button only results in blurry photos and can cause you to accidentally auto focus on something.

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