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# GCSE ENGLISH LANGUAGE

## Paper 1 Explorations in creative reading and writing

Tuesday 6 June 2017

Morning

Time allowed: 1 hour and 45 minutes

### Materials

For this paper you must have:

- **Source A** – provided as a separate insert.

### Instructions

- Answer **all** questions.
- Use black ink or black ball point pen.
- Fill in the boxes on this page.
- You must answer the questions in the spaces provided.
- Do not write outside the box around each page or on blank pages.
- Do all rough work in this book. Cross through any work you do not want to be marked.
- You must refer to the insert booklet provided.
- You must **not** use a dictionary.

### Information

- The marks for questions are shown in brackets.
- The maximum mark for this paper is 80.
- There are 40 marks for **Section A** and 40 marks for **Section B**.
- You are reminded of the need for good English and clear presentation in your answers.
- You will be assessed on the quality of your **reading** in **Section A**.
- You will be assessed on the quality of your **writing** in **Section B**.

### Advice

- You are advised to spend about 15 minutes reading through the source and all five questions you have to answer.
- You should make sure you leave sufficient time to check your answers.

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Section A: Reading

Answer **all** questions in this section.  
You are advised to spend about 45 minutes on this section.

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Read again the first part of the source, from **lines 1 to 5**.  
List **four** things about Rosabel from this part of the source. **[4 marks]**

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**Section B: Writing**

You are advised to spend about 45 minutes on this section.

Write in full sentences.

You are reminded of the need to plan your answer.

You should leave enough time to check your work at the end.

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Your local newspaper is running a creative writing competition and they intend to publish the winning entries.

**Either**

Describe a journey by bus as suggested by this picture:



or

Write a story about two people from very different backgrounds.

(24 marks for content and organisation  
16 marks for technical accuracy)

**[40 marks]**

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