

**PAPER**

PRACTICE QUESTIONS

Writing

Read the instructions on the **ANSWER BOOKLET** and fill in your **NAME, SCHOOL** and **OTHER INFORMATION**.

Use a pencil. Do **NOT** use a coloured pencil or a pen.

Rub out any mistakes completely.

You are **NOT** allowed to use a dictionary or an electronic translator.

PERSUASIVE WRITING

**DO NOT OPEN THIS BOOKLET
UNTIL INSTRUCTED.**

TIME ALLOWED: 35 MINUTES

5 minutes reading and planning time
25 minutes writing time
5 minutes checking time

Note: Some UNSW Global assessments are only available online.

Example of a persuasive writing task

TELEPHONE BILL

Date	Start Time	Call Type	Number Called	Duration	*Call Charge	**Charged Amount
02/05/11	11:30:43	X2Z	0304040404	00:12:29	6.92	0.18
07/05/11	11:32:32	X2Z	0304040404	00:08:52	4.97	0.18
07/05/11	14:03:11	NA	129292929	00:04:23	2.55	2.55
07/05/11	17:11:03	NA	129292929	00:03:32	2.09	2.09
07/05/11	17:40:46	X2Z	0304040404	00:01:55	1.22	0.18
08/05/11	17:04:47	X2O	0301010101	00:01:42	1.10	1.10
09/05/11	12:51:32	NA	0994141414	00:01:13	0.84	0.84
12/05/11	10:12:14	NA	199292929	00:01:09	0.80	0.80
22/05/11	17:05:03	X2Z	0304040404	00:01:00	0.72	0.18
29/05/11	13:06:26	NA	0941414141	00:00:59	0.71	0.71

Call monitoring

Techinfo Card
Mr John Citizen



Computer chip



Electronic tag



Security camera

‘New technologies have provided society with more ways to record and keep information about its people but this has led to a loss of privacy. The loss of privacy is justified by the benefits gained.’

Do you agree with this statement? Write an argument to persuade the reader of your point of view.

You may wish to consider the following points as you plan your writing:

- technology provides information that may save lives
- people are not aware of the kind of information being collected about them

In your writing you should provide reasons to support your argument. Write persuasively so that the reader is convinced by your argument.

HINTS

- Use the planning time to organise your ideas.
- Stay on the topic: **The loss of privacy resulting from new technologies is justified by the benefits gained.**
- Your writing should include an introduction and a conclusion.
- Write in paragraphs.
- Write in sentences that are well structured and varied.
- Use correct spelling and punctuation.
- Keep your writing concise.
- Use the time at the end of the task to edit your writing.

THE FOLLOWING YEAR LEVELS SHOULD SIT THIS PAPER

Australia¹	Year 11
Brunei	Pre-University 1
Egypt	Year 11
Hong Kong	Form 5
Indian Subcontinent²	Class 11
Indonesia	Year 12
Malaysia	Form 5 & Lower 6
Middle East³	Class 11
New Zealand/ Pacific⁴	Year 12
Singapore	Secondary 4 & 5
Southern Africa⁵	Grade 11

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- 1 All international schools registered with UNSW Global (which have an 8-digit school code starting with 46) should sit the papers according to the Australian year levels.
- 2 Indian Subcontinent Region: India, Sri Lanka, Nepal, Bhutan and Bangladesh.
- 3 Middle East Region: United Arab Emirates, Qatar, Kuwait, Saudi Arabia, Bahrain, Oman, Turkey, Lebanon, Tunisia, Morocco, Libya, Algeria, Jordan and Pakistan.
- 4 Pacific Region: Vanuatu, Papua New Guinea and Fiji.
- 5 Southern Africa Region: South Africa, Botswana, Lesotho, Swaziland, Zimbabwe and Namibia.



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HOW TO FILL OUT THIS SHEET:



USE A PENCIL

- Print your details clearly in the boxes provided.
- Make sure you fill in only one oval in each column.
- Rub out all mistakes completely.
- Do not use a coloured pencil or pen.

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EXAMPLE 2: Chan Ai Beng

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EXAMPLE 3: Jamal bin Abas

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LAST NAME to appear on certificate

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Are you male or female?

 Male

 Female

Does anyone in your home usually speak a language other than English?

☐ Yes

☐ No

School name:

Town / suburb:

Today's date:

Postcode:

DATE OF BIRTH

Day Month Year

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SAMPLE

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