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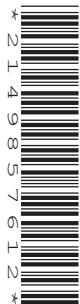
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**FIRST LANGUAGE ENGLISH**

**0500/33**

Paper 3 Directed Writing and Composition

**October/November 2018**

**2 hours**

Candidates answer on the Question Paper.

No Additional Materials are required.

**READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS FIRST**

Write your Centre number, candidate number and name in the spaces provided.

Write in dark blue or black pen.

Do not use staples, paper clips, glue or correction fluid.

DO **NOT** WRITE IN ANY BARCODES.

Answer **two** questions in the space provided: **Question 1** in **Section 1** and **one** question from **Section 2**.  
If additional space is required, you should use the lined pages at the end of this booklet. The question number(s) must be clearly shown.

Dictionaries are **not** permitted.

The Reading Booklet Insert contains the reading passage for use with **Question 1** in **Section 1** on the Question Paper.

The Reading Booklet Insert is **not** assessed by the Examiner.

The number of marks is given in brackets [ ] at the end of each question or part question.

This document consists of **11** printed pages, **1** blank page and **1** Insert.

Read carefully the article in the Reading Booklet Insert and then answer **Section 1, Question 1** on this Question Paper.

**Section 1: Directed Writing**

**Question 1**

Imagine that you are about to open a new restaurant. You have appointed your staff and would like to introduce your policy on tipping at the restaurant.

**Write a letter** to your staff in which you should:

- consider the different ideas about tipping discussed in the passage
- explain the decisions you have made about tipping in your restaurant.

Base your letter on the ideas in the article, but be careful to use your own words. Address each of the bullet points.

Begin your letter: ‘Dear Staff ... ’

Write about 250 to 350 words.

**Up to 10 marks are available for the content of your answer, and up to 15 marks for the quality of your writing.**

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**Section 2: Composition**

**Questions 2, 3, 4 and 5**

Write about 350 to 450 words on **one** of the following questions. Answer on this Question Paper.

**Up to 13 marks are available for the content and structure of your answer, and up to 12 marks for the style and accuracy of your writing.**

**Descriptive Writing**

2 Write a description of returning to a place that reminds you of someone.

**OR**

3 Write a description with the title, 'A Moment of Tension'.

**OR**

**Narrative Writing**

4 Write a story that begins with the words, 'How am I going to explain this?'

**OR**

5 Write a story that involves a competition between two or more characters.

Please write your chosen question number here (2, 3, 4 or 5): .....

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