

Reading	Exam task	Extra writing
Reading	Multiple-choice questions 8–13 Applying science • Ethics in technology p8 • VR at work p9 • Satellites p9 Science and the brain • Neuroplasticity p10 • Fake news p10 • Personal Identity and Science process skills p11 • Connecting through coding p11 Inspiring careers • Dream jobs p12 • Dr Jane Goodall p13	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Write a short text of 100 words about uses of technology
	True / False and justify 14–21 Our changing world • Forests in the clouds p14 • Biodiversity in Australia p 15 • Extinct species in Scotland p15 Teen inventors • Rebecca Young and the solar powered blanket p16 • Keiana Cave marine rescue p16 Environmental sustainability • Sustainable farming p17 • Continental shifts in Africa p17 • The Great Fire of London p18 • UNSDGs: the world's 'to do' list p18 • Wicked fashion: sustainable clothing p19 • How sustainable is AI? p20 • Helena Gualinga: a voice for the Amazon p21	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Write a for-and-against essay • Write an informal email • Write an opinion essay • Write an article
	True / False / Not given 22–27 Inspiring achievements • Basketball player Giannis Antetokounmpo p22 • Saving Nina Simone's house p23 • Spanish female inventors p23 Young innovators • Inventive teens p24 • Marley Dias and black female representation in the media p24 • Teen inventor Darius Brown p25 Culture then and now • William Wordsworth p25 • Street art p26 Modern developments in science • Life on Saturn's moons p26 • Women in STEM p27	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Write a short text about innovation and inventions
	Open comprehension questions 28–33 Travel and locations • Eurovelo p28 • Scottish film locations p29 • Double-decker buses p29 • London Underground p30 • England's viking capital p30 Travel for leisure and work • Housesitting p31 • Cultural Mobility p31 Living through change • Hashi Mohamed and social mobility p32 • Mohandas Gandhi's non-violence p32 • Contested ownership at the British Museum p33	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Write a postcard • Write a letter
	Synonyms, antonyms and definitions 34–41 Learning styles • YouthPass: Learning beyond the classroom p34 • Curiosity p35 Speech and language • Language varieties in the UK p35 • Poet Sujata Bhatt p36 Tackling inequality • Diversity at work p36 • Global gender gap at work p37 • Addressing childhood inequality p37 Personal growth and mindset • Leaving home to study p38 • Benefits of journaling p38 Sports: mindset and fair play • Champion skateboarder Coco Yoshizawa p39 • Aussie rules football p40 Time and the learning process • The nature of time p40 • Lifelong learning p41	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Write an informal email • Write a summary of main ideas • Write a short essay • Write a short article • Write a short text • Write a short biography
Use of English	Gap-fill questions 42–49 Health and wellbeing • The Importance of sleep p42 • The gratitude habit p43 Modern medical developments • Robots in medicine p46 Physical and mental health • Autobiographical memory p46 • Getting the balance right p47 • Brain rot p47	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Answer short questions
	Sentence transformation 50–57 Resilience in sport • Tennis star Iga Świątek p50	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Write a narrative • Write an opinion essay

Writing	Writing task	Writing strategy	Topics
	Formal emails 58–59	• Planning your writing	• Cover email • Invitation to an event • Request for an interview • Proposal for a school event
	Informal emails 60–61	• Checking your writing	• Careers in technology • Fake news • Artificial intelligence
	Opinion essays 62–63	• Structuring a text with paragraphs and topic sentences	• Importance of work experience • Public transport and sustainable travel • Raising awareness about the environment
	For-and-against essays 64–65	• Referencing	• Print versus digital media • Choosing a career path • Social media for change
	Reviews 66–67	• Adding intensifiers	• Reviews of restaurants, novels, films, products
	Descriptions 68–69	• Extending your vocabulary	• Descriptions of events, sentimental and historical objects, influential or important people, a significant place, an event or memorable childhood experience
	Narratives 70–71	• Expanding your sentences	• A challenging time, an important day, visiting a popular destination, discovering an unusual place, an unusual day, a time you helped someone
	Articles 72–73	• Consolidation and checking	• Discussing climate change
	Writing compositions 74–75	• Opinion essays • For-and-against essays • Formal emails • Informal emails • Reviews • Descriptions • Narratives • Articles	
Writing bank 76–79			

Practice Tests		Reading	Writing	Use of English
	Practice Test 1 80–81	Goals 4 Girls • Multiple choice questions (4 options)	• Formal email • Opinion essay	• Complete the sentences • Rewrite the sentences
	Practice Test 2 82–83	Time travel: fact or fantasy? • Multiple choice questions (3 options) • True / False / Justify, Synonyms, antonyms, and definitions	• Formal email • For-and-against essay	• Text gap fills • Use the sentence stem to rewrite
	Practice Test 3 84–85	Bumble Bees at Play • True / False / Not given • Open comprehension questions • Synonyms, antonyms and definitions	• Narrative • Opinion essay	• Completions • Rewrite the quotation
	Practice Test 4 86–87	Inspiring sportswomen • Multiple choice questions (4 options) • True / False / Justify • True / False / Not given • Open comprehension questions	• Formal email • Review	• Sentence gap fills • Use the sentence stems to rewrite
	Practice Test 5 88–89	Immersive learning • True / False / Justify • Open comprehension questions • Synonyms, antonyms and definitions	• Article • Description	• Text gap fills • Rewrite sentences
	Practice Test 6 90–91	Ground-breaking inventions • Multiple choice questions (4 options) • True / False / Not given • Open comprehension questions	• Story • For-and-against essay	• Dialogue completion • Rewrite the quotation

Example answers and examiner's notes 92–109