



International AS and A Level in English Language [2061]

WRITING

EXAM PAPER- DECEMBER 23

PAPER 2: WRITING

DURATION

2 HOURS

CANDIDATE'S INFORMATION

FULL NAME:

CANDIDATE NUMBER:

CENTRE NUMBER:

DATE:

INSTRUCTIONS:

- Do not open this paper until you are told to do so.
- Write your answers in the **Writing Booklet** in pencil or pen.
- You must ask any questions now as you cannot speak during the Test.
- Answer **ALL** questions.
- The total mark for this paper is **60**.
- The marks for each question are shown in brackets
- Read each question carefully before you start to answer it.
- Check your answers if you have time at the end.



**IS THIS
WHAT
WANT?**

YOU

Increased noise levels
Up to 85 flights per day

Nature reserve destroyed
More greenhouse gases
Increased freight road traffic
Air accident risk to houses and schools

**SAVE
GLENLAKE
PARK!**

**STOP
THE NEW
AIRPORT!**

THERE IS STILL TIME TO STOP THIS FROM HAPPENING!

Join us in a demonstration outside Milford Town Hall

THURSDAY 17th MAY, 1800-2030

Speakers include Faye Dixon of TV Soap 'Hard Life'

SAVE OUR FUTURE!

STOP MILFORD AIRPORT!

Answer **ALL** questions. It is recommended that you give **each question** at least **30 minutes**. There is an additional 30 minutes for reading, planning and checking your answers. You should aim to write around 200-250 words for each answer.

Question 1

You work for the Milford Times, a local newspaper in Milford. Your newspaper is sympathetic to the protest, so you want people to go to it. Write an article for your newspaper telling people about the protest. You should try to include all the information from the poster, and you can include any other details that you want. (20 marks)

Save Milford Airport Campaign

69 Petal Avenue, Milford, ML6 8TH

Meeting 11th April

- 1. The alternative plan is for a shopping village - more traffic!*
- 2. Modern aircraft are quiet and much safer than cars.*
- 3. The airport will create hundreds of jobs and attract more.*
- 4. The airport is a historically important site in aviation.*
- 5. Local survey found 3 out of 5 people who expressed a view supported the airport.*

Question 2

The Save Milford Airport Campaign is a local residents group. You are the secretary of the campaign. A meeting of the residents has raised some concerns about the Milford Times' support for the anti-airport protestors. You have been asked to write to the editor at the Milford Times to explain why your campaign supports the airport and ask for the newspaper to respond. (20 marks)

Question 3

Some people think that flying overseas for a holiday is a good thing. Others think that it should be discouraged. Is flying for the sole purpose of taking a holiday abroad a positive thing? Explain both sides of the argument and give your own opinion. (20 marks)