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**PEPERIKSAAN PERCUBAAN BERSAMA
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BAHASA INGGERIS

KERTAS 1

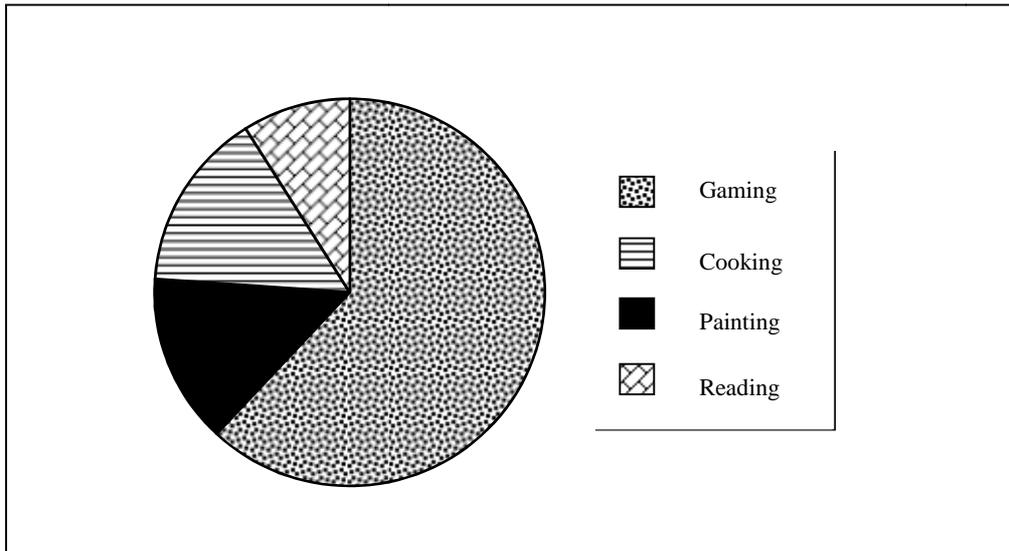
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JANGAN BUKA KERTAS SOALAN INI SEHINGGA DIBERITAHU

1. *Kertas soalan ini mengandungi 40 soalan.*
2. *Jawab semua soalan.*
3. *Tiap-tiap soalan diikuti oleh empat pilihan jawapan, iaitu atau A, B, C dan D. Bagi setiap soalan, pilih satu jawapan sahaja. Hitamkan semua jawapan anda pada kertas jawapan objektif yang disediakan.*

Kertas soalan ini mengandungi 12 halaman bercetak

Questions 1 – 10 are based on the information given.



1. From the pie chart, we can conclude that the students are mostly attracted to

- A gaming
- B reading
- C painting
- D cooking



2. The small rabbit probably feels _____ after hearing its mother's words.

- A worried
- B scared
- C upset
- D safe

Kangar, Wed. – A seventy-year-old man was found lying outside a well-known shopping complex yesterday. He was unconscious. An ambulance came and took him to the nearby hospital.

3. According to the newspaper report, the old man

- A fell
- B died
- C fainted
- D collapsed



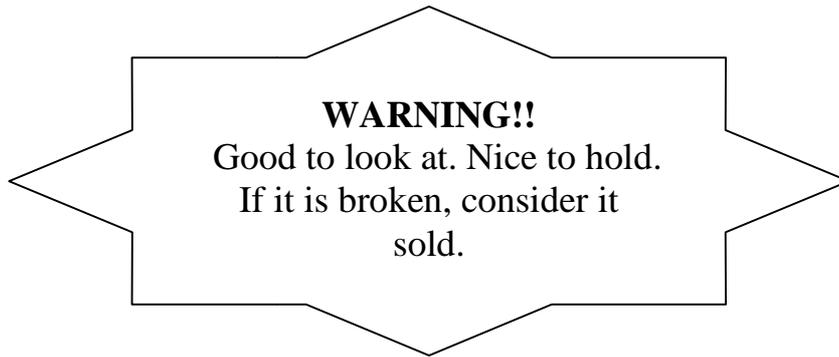
4. The sign tells the drivers that the road is

- A blocked by the police
- B closed for repair works
- C closed due to floods
- D being cleared of mud



5. Who is qualified to join the singing competition?

- A Florence, a 15-year-old student
- B Jonathan, a 21-year-old college student
- C Ramasamy, a 30-year-old clerk
- D Puan Aina, a 50-year-old housewife



6. The warning can be found at many supermarkets. It means that
- A you have to pay for any breakage of the goods on sale
 - B you can look at and hold all the goods on sale
 - C you will not be held responsible if you break the goods on sale
 - D you must hold and break all the goods on sale



Extracted from *The Star*, 2007 by Steve Dickenson and Todd Clark.

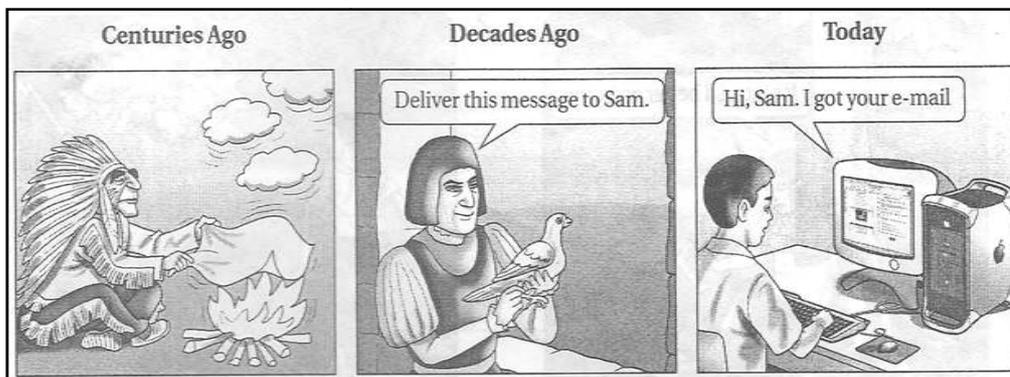
7. In the cartoon strip above, the word **bait** refers to
- A brain food
 - B junk food
 - C worms
 - D fish

FREE

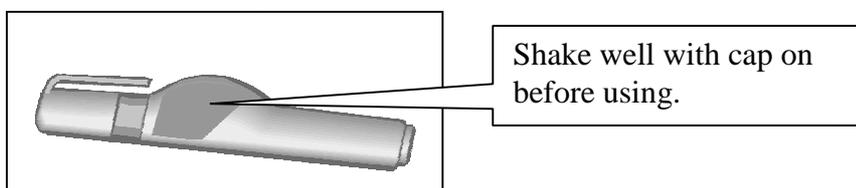
One hand-painted ceramic vase
with every purchase of
Delight Dishwashing Liquid
1000ml x 2 bottles



8. According to the advertisement, you will get a free ceramic vase
- A if you purchase anything at the shop.
 - B if you purchase a hand-painted vase.
 - C if you buy a bottle of dishwashing liquid.
 - D if you buy two bottles of dishwashing liquid.



9. The above pictures represent
- A ways of communication
 - B hobbies of different men
 - C men from different countries
 - D ancient and modern technology



10. The label above tells us that we must
- A wear a cap when shaking the correction pen
 - B shake the correction pen with its cap on before using
 - C place the cap back on after using the correction pen
 - D shake the correction pen well before using

Questions 11 – 20 are based on the following text.

"I have some herbs in the house. We'll boil them and make her drink the water. Pak Lebai, I dare not go back _____ (11). Do you mind coming to my house to fetch them? My husband _____ (12) at home with my two daughters. He is sick. Tell him I'm staying here tonight," said one of the _____ (13).

Jeliah's husband stood without taking his eyes _____ (14) his wife. He knew it was going to happen but he was helpless. _____ (15) was their first baby. They had been married for five years and they were looking forward to _____ (16) the baby. Jeliah had been sick because she was not eating well. She did not _____ (17) boiled tapioca or boiled bananas. She wanted to eat good food. That morning on _____ (18) way to the river to wash clothes, she had _____ (19).

Lebai Bakar and Tok Janggut came back with _____ (20) milk and medicine. Quickly, the ladies got to work. They wrapped Jeliah with sack cloth, old sarongs and a small mattress to keep her warm.

Extracted from:
Tok Janggut

- | | | | |
|----|---|----|---|
| 11 | A alone
B lonely
C lone
D loneliness | 16 | A having
B have
C has
D had |
| 12 | A was
B were
C is
D are | 17 | A liking
B liked
C likes
D like |
| 13 | A woman
B women
C woman's
D women's | 18 | A they
B their
C her
D his |
| 14 | A near
B out
C off
D of | 19 | A fall
B fell
C fallen
D falling |
| 15 | A It
B Its
C It's
D Its' | 20 | A any
B the
C an
D a |

Questions 21 – 23

Read the notice below and choose the **best** meaning for the phrases underlined.

Friendly Reminder to Guests:

1. During your stay, please hand in (21) your room key to the receptionist should you wish to leave your room.
2. The Housekeeping Department will make up (22) your room upon request.
3. Please look after (23) your personal belongings at all times. The hotel will not be responsible for any loss.

21. hand in

- A put
- B keep
- C give
- D leave

22. make up

- A lock
- B clean
- C secure
- D wash

23. look after

- A take care of
- B take hold of
- C look out for
- D look up to

Questions 24 – 26

Read the dialogue below and choose the **best** meaning for the expressions underlined.

Pn. Irma : I don't know what to do with my son. We don't really see eye to eye (24).

Pn. Leong : What's wrong?

Pn. Irma : He's really thick in the head (25). He hardly listens to my advice.

Pn. Leong : Well, give him some time. Then try to talk things over (26) with him.

Pn. Irma : Alright, thanks for the tips.

24. see eye to eye

- A talk to each other
- B greet each other
- C agree on a matter
- D argue on a matter

25. thick in the head

- A irritating
- B stubborn
- C annoying
- D playful

26. talk things over

- A discuss
- B disagree
- C advise
- D obey

Questions 27 – 32 are based on the following advertisement.

Digital Lifestyle Expo 2012

**DIGITAL
LIFESTYLE
EXPO 2012**
Consumer Electronics and Mobile
Powered by: PIKOM

Date : 7 - 9 September 2012

Venue : Kuala Lumpur Convention Centre

- A technology showcase of latest trends and lifestyle gadgets that can **enrich** users' lifestyle.
- Digital Lifestyle Expo is a new initiative by PIKOM and the first expo was held in 2010.
- Exhibitors' Product Profiles:
 - 3D/LED/LCD TVs, AV/Home Entertainment Equipment & Smart Home products (excluding household appliances)
 - PCs, laptops, notebooks, netbooks, tablets, 3D monitors & IT accessories
 - Mobile & mobile accessories, broadband/internet and Telco products
 - GPS-Grid Positioning System & wireless devices
 - Softwares (Anti-virus and others) & Solutions

27. The advertisement above is addressed to

- A homemakers
- B everybody
- C students
- D parents

28. What is the purpose of the Digital Expo?

- A To enable people to choose the best household appliances
- B To update people with the latest showcase of trends and style
- C To encourage visitors to live in a rich and famous lifestyle
- D To expose visitors to a wide range of digital gadgets

29. Who is the organiser of the Expo?

- A PIKOM
- B Digital Lifestyle 2012
- C KL Convention Centre
- D Consumer Electronics and Mobile

30. Rafalis, a busy salesman, who travels all over Malaysia would probably be interested in

- A 3D monitors
- B Anti-virus solutions
- C Smart Home products
- D Grid Positioning System

31. The word **enrich** can best be replaced with

- A join
- B enter
- C improve
- D apply

32. To log in to facebook, one should have a

- A broadband service
- B software solution
- C mobile accessory
- D Telco product

Questions 33 – 40 are based on the following passage.

The ancient Greeks called these dazzling stones the “tears of the gods” while the Romans believed them to be “splinters of fallen stars. Diamonds have dazzled the imagination of people.

Assessing a diamond’s true value is a complicated business. There are four universal factors, so called ‘4Cs’ of the diamond trade: carat, colour, clarity and cut. These criteria provide an invaluable benchmark for determining a diamond’s true worth and the basic knowledge when buying a diamond.

Carat

The carat is actually the measure of a diamond’s weight. One carat is equivalent to 200 milligrams of weight. The word ‘carat’ is derived from the word ‘carob’ as traditionally, diamond traders used carob seeds to measure their diamonds. The seeds are similar in weight to the most common size of diamonds.

Colour

The most valuable diamonds are exceptionally white or colourless. Diamond colour is graded from *D* to *Z*. A true *D* diamond is exceptionally white or colourless while a *Z* grade is almost grey. Intriguingly, some diamonds do contain colour. Vibrant diamonds of beautiful pinks, blues and greens are called ‘fancies’. The rarest fancies of all are red diamonds. A diamond’s colour grading is usually assessed against a set of master diamonds under controlled lighting conditions.

Clarity

A truly magnificent diamond is one that reflects light perfectly without any flaws. Anything within the diamond that disrupts the flow of light is called an ‘inclusion’. Inclusions are not usually visible to the naked eye. Inclusions are usually detected under controlled conditions. The range of clarity starts with *F* grade which indicates a **flawless** stone and concludes with *I* grade depending on the number of tiny clouds or mist in the stone.

Cut

The cut of the diamond is the only grade that is dependent on man’s intervention. It is directly influenced by skilled craftsmanship of the individual diamond cutter. The art of transforming a rough stone into a polished sparkling diamond requires training and experience. A well- cut diamond must reflect light to create a magnificent and sparkling dazzle.

Adapted from *Just English*, 2008

33. 4Cs are important criteria in a diamond trade to

- A admire diamonds
- B dazzle the imagination of people
- C provide people with the interest in diamonds
- D provide a benchmark for deciding the true worth of diamonds

34. The measurement used to measure the weight of a diamond is
- A carat
 - B carob
 - C seeds
 - D milligrams
35. Which of these is the most expensive diamonds?
- A Grade Z diamonds
 - B Grade D diamonds
 - C Vibrant diamonds
 - D Red diamonds
36. Diamond's grading is assessed using
- A D to Z diamonds
 - B basic knowledge
 - C carob seeds to measure the common size of diamonds
 - D a set of master diamonds under controlled lighting condition
37. The word **flawless** means without
- A colours
 - B faults
 - C lights
 - D shapes
38. Which of these Cs is human intervention?
- A Carat
 - B Colour
 - C Clarity
 - D Cut
39. A truly magnificent diamond reflects light perfectly
- A without any size
 - B without any colours
 - C without any shape
 - D without any flaws
40. To transform a diamond into a sparkling stone, it needs
- A craftsmanship
 - B a cutter
 - C grading
 - D light

PAPER 1 Bahasa Inggris

1	A	11	A	21	C	31	C
2	D	12	C	22	B	32	A
3	C	13	B	23	A	33	D
4	B	14	C	24	C	34	A
5	D	15	A	25	B	35	B
6	A	16	A	26	A	36	D
7	C	17	D	27	B	37	B
8	D	18	C	28	D	38	D
9	A	19	C	29	A	39	D
10	B	20	B	30	D	40	A

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KERTAS 2

JANGAN BUKA KERTAS SOALAN INI SEHINGGA DIBERITAHU

1. *Kertas soalan ini mengandungi tiga bahagian, **Bahagian A, Bahagian B dan Bahagian C***
2. *Jawab **semua** bahagian dalam kertas jawapan yang disediakan.*
3. *Anda dinasihati supaya mengambil masa **40 minit** untuk menjawab soalan **Bahagian A**, **30 minit** untuk **Bahagian B** dan **20 minit** untuk **Bahagian C**.*

Section A : Guided Writing

[30 marks]

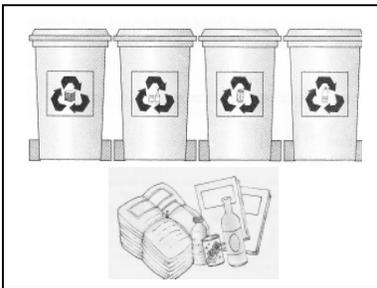
Your family has moved to a new town and you like the neighbourhood very much.

Write a **letter** to your friend and tell him or her about the activities carried out in your new neighbourhood.

Use the pictures and notes below to write the **letter**.



beautify environment – plant trees and flowers – monthly



recycle – reduce waste – earn extra cash



cycle or walk – shops and parks – prevent air pollution

When writing your **letter**,

- you may use the words or phrases provided
- **elaborate** on your writing to make it more interesting
- you may add other relevant information
- make sure it is **not less than 120 words**

Section B : Literature Component

[15 marks]

1. Read the poem below and answer the questions that follow.

A Fighter's Lines

I am old and worn
and have lost all my strength
sufferings
and the history of the fight for independence
have forced sacrifices
that know no name
or life

from the wheelchair of the rest of my days
I, body and energy crushed
see and cannot do much
these times are too big a challenge
for the remnants of my crippled years
the net of deceit spread everywhere
disturbs me.

In the name of justice
Wake up and form ranks sons of our ancestor
Be brave
And erect a wall of people
Stand up heirs of our freedom

I have no more voice
It is you now who should speak!

Marzuki Ali

(a) What did the persona fight for?

[1 mark]

(b) What lessons have you learnt from the poem? State **two**.

[2 marks]

2. *The following are the novels studied in the literature component in English Language.*

The Railway Children	-	Edith Nesbit
Around the World in 80 Days	-	Jules Verne
How I Met Myself	-	David A. Hill

Based on one of the novels above, write on a moral value you have learnt.

Support your answer with the evidence from the text.

Your response should be:

- **not less than 50 words**
- in **continuous writing** (not in note form)

[12 marks]

Section C : Summary

[10 marks]

It is sad to know that obesity among teenagers is a rising problem in our world. Many students from primary and secondary schools are suffering from this disease. This is an important topic which needs our attention.

Many hard works need to be done before we can completely curb this problem. Parents should educate their children about balanced diet since their children are still young. Health Ministry should ban unhealthy foods and drinks from school canteens. This is a positive move by the ministry but more importantly enforcement needs to be done by health officers to ensure that this order is followed accordingly by all school canteen operators. School authorities should also play an important role in solving this problem. Health campaigns need to be carried out few times a year by school authorities to raise the awareness of students about healthy lifestyle and balanced diet.

Media, regardless of print media or electronic media, can also play a part to solve obesity problems among teenagers. Advertisements about healthy lifestyle and balanced diet should be published in all media. Local newspapers should publish advertisements which encourage everyone to practise a healthy lifestyle.

All teenagers should be responsible for their bodies. They should always control their food consumption and reduce the intake of unhealthy foods in order to maintain a healthy body. Teenagers also need an adequate amount of exercise to prevent obesity.

In short, everyone has to work hand in hand in order to solve obesity among teenagers as soon as possible so that we will have a healthy new generation.

Source: *Internet (adapted)*

Write a summary on **ways to curb obesity among teenagers**.

Your summary must:

- **not be more than 60 words** including the 10 words given below
- be in **continuous writing** (not in note form)
- be written in **ONE** paragraph

Use your own words as far as possible without changing the original meaning.

Begin your summary as follows:

Obesity among teenagers is a rising problem where we should....

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7	C	17	D	27	B	37	B
8	D	18	C	28	D	38	D
9	A	19	C	29	A	39	D
10	B	20	B	30	D	40	A

PAPER 2

Section A : Guided Writing (25 marks)

BAND DESCRIPTORS

EXCELLENT	21-25	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Task fulfilled with ideas and details well-developed and well-organised.• Language is accurate with few minor errors and first draft slips.• Varied sentence structures are used effectively to convey meaning.• Vocabulary is apt and widely used.• Accurate use of mechanics of writing.• Interest of the reader is aroused and sustained.
CREDIT	16-20	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Task fulfilled with ideas and details developed and organised.• Language is largely accurate with some serious and minor errors.• Simple and compound sentence structures are accurate.• Vocabulary is wide enough but lack precision.• Almost always accurate use of spelling, punctuation and paragraphing.• Interest of the reader is aroused but not sustained.
ACHIEVEMENT	11-15	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Task fulfilled with ability to develop some ideas but lacks details; ideas adequately organised.• Language is sufficiently accurate with frequent serious errors.• Simple and compound sentence structures are attempted• Vocabulary is sufficient to convey meaning.• Some errors in mechanics of writing.
WEAK	6-10	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Task partially fulfilled with ideas less developed; ideas lacking organisation• Language is barely accurate with frequent serious errors that hamper reading.• Vocabulary is limited.• Serious errors in mechanics of writing.
VERY WEAK	1-5	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Task hardly fulfilled; ideas lack cohesion.• High density of errors; meaning is hardly conveyed.

Section B : Literature Component (15 marks)

1.

a) Independence / Freedom [1 mark]

b) We must be patriotic to our country.

We must be loyal to our country.

We should be united to be strong.

We should carry out our duties to our country.

We must be brave and courageous to fight for the country's independence or freedom.

We must maintain/uphold peace.

We must maintain/uphold freedom.

We must maintain/uphold harmony.

We must fight for our rights.

We must be courageous to do what is right.

We must fight against corruption.

We must speak up against injustice

[2 marks]

(Choose any two or other acceptable answers)

2. Novel – 12 marks

BAND CRITERIA FOR MARKING NOVEL

EXCELLENT	11-12	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Requirements of task fulfilled• Ideas and details well-developed, well-organised with evidence from text• Varied sentence structures (simple and compound)• Wide and apt vocabulary• Accurate use of language• Accurate mechanics of writing
CREDIT	8-10	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Requirements of task fulfilled• Ideas and details largely developed, organised and supported with evidence from text• Varied sentence structures (simple and compound)• Vocabulary wide enough• Largely accurate use of language• Largely accurate mechanics of writing
ACHIEVEMENT	5-7	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Requirements of task fulfilled• Ideas and details sufficiently developed with some organisation and supported with some evidence from text• Sentence structures lack variety (simple structures dominates)• Adequate vocabulary used• Sufficiently accurate use of language• Fairly accurate mechanics of writing
WEAK	3-4	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Requirements of task partially fulfilled• Ideas lack development and organisation with minimal textual support – mere narration• Sentence structures mostly simple with errors that hamper reading• Vocabulary limited• Language is barely accurate with errors that hamper reading• Inconsistent mechanics of writing
VERY WEAK	1-2	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Requirements of task hardly fulfilled• Hardly any development of relevant ideas or textual support• High density of errors; blurring evident, lacks cohesion• Vocabulary very limited• Mechanics of writing – numerous errors

Section C : Summary (10 marks)

CONTENT : 5 marks

LANGUAGE : 5 marks

TOTAL : 10 marks

CONTENT POINTS FOR SUMMARY

Award 1 mark for each content point to a maximum of 5 marks.

Content points:

- 1 educate our children about balanced diet
- 2 Health Ministry should ban unhealthy foods and drinks from school canteens
- 3 Health campaigns need to be carried out by school authorities
- 4 Advertisements about healthy lifestyle should be published in all media / Advertisements about balanced diet should be published in all media / Advertisements about healthy lifestyle and balanced diet should be published in all media / Local newspapers should publish advertisements which encourage a healthy lifestyle / Local newspapers should encourage everyone to practise a healthy lifestyle
- 5 Teenagers should always control their food consumption
- 6 They should reduce the intake of unhealthy foods
- 7 Teenagers also need an adequate amount of exercise

Note : Underlined words or phrases are mandatory in the answers

BAND CRITERIA FOR SUMMARY – Language

EXCELLENT	5	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Marked ability to use own words• Language is accurate; use of simple and compound sentences; appropriate linkers; use of correct grammar• Accurate spelling and punctuation• First draft slips• No lifting of sentences• No irrelevant details
CREDIT	4	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Ability to use own words• Language is largely accurate; use of simple and compound sentences; appropriate linkers; use of correct grammar• Spelling and punctuation are largely accurate• Some minor errors• Almost no lifting of sentences• No irrelevant details
ACHIEVEMENT	3	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Attempts to use own words• Language is sufficiently accurate; use of simple and compound sentences (majority of simple sentences) some use of linkers; some serious grammatical errors• Some serious errors in spelling and punctuation• Selective lifting of sentences• Some irrelevant details.
WEAK	2	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• No attempt to use own words• Frequent serious errors in grammar, spelling and punctuation• Linkers hardly use• Wholesale lifting of text material• Irrelevant details
VERY WEAK	1	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• High density of errors – fractured syntax• Total lifting of text material i.e. transcript• Irrelevant details.