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A Level English Language

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Resource Booklet

Time allowed: 2 hours 30 minutes

INSTRUCTIONS

- Use this Resource Booklet to answer the questions in Sections A and C.
- Do **not** send this Resource Booklet for marking. Keep it in the centre or recycle it.

INFORMATION

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Section A
Language under the microscope

Text A

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[1]**Brigadoon** – the legend of Brigadoon is the story of a mythical and enchanted village that remains unchanged. It is invisible except for one day every hundred years.
[2]**Ley lines** – lines connecting prominent landmarks and historical structures, believed by some to channel Earth's mystical power.
[3]**Damascene epiphanies** – a powerful and sudden change in one's beliefs.

Section C
Comparing and contrasting texts

Text B

Text B is an extract from internet forum *Mumsnet* in the 'Style & Beauty' topic area. The forum comments were posted in February 2022. *Mumsnet* is an internet forum for discussion between parents and carers of children and teenagers. Usernames have been anonymised.

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