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SOUTH AFRICAN SIGN LANGUAGE HOME LANGUAGE P3

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MARKS: 100

TIME: 3 hours

This English transcription of the question paper consists of 7 pages.
This should be used by the invigilator ONLY
in conjunction with the question paper.

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INSTRUCTIONS AND INFORMATION

1. This transcription of the question paper consists of TWO sections:

   SECTION A: Essay (50)
   SECTION B: Transactional Texts (2 x 25) (50)

2. Answer ONE question in SECTION A and TWO questions in SECTION B.

3. Create a NEW folder for EACH section when recording yourself.

4. You must plan in your Booklet for Rough Work (e.g. using a mind map/ diagram/flow chart/key words). Sign your first draft from your planning. Edit and proofread your recording. The signed draft must be saved in the same folder as your final essay.

5. Sign the number of each question correctly according to the numbering system used in this question paper before you do the final recording.

6. Use South African Sign Language structure and sign clearly, fluently and within the recording space.

7. Time suggestion:

   SECTION A: Approximately 100 minutes.
   SECTION B: Approximately 80 (2 x 40) minutes.

8. **The Booklet for Rough Work is intended for rough work only and will NOT be assessed. Candidates must hand it in at the end of the examination.**

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SECTION A: ESSAY

QUESTION 1

- Sign an essay of 4–6 minutes on ONE of the following topics.
- Sign the NUMBER and TITLE of your essay.
- The NUMBER and TITLE of your essay must match.

1.1 DREAM BIG THIS ACHIEVE HAVE

Dream it! Achieve it! **[50]**

1.2 RELATIONSHIP COUPLE ON-GOING SEPARATE

A relationship that ended **[50]**

1.3 NOW ME REGRET
WHY
TEACHER MY THEY
ADVISE ME
WATCH WATCH WATCH
IGNORE IGNORE IGNORE

My teachers advised me. I didn't listen. Now I'm stuck here. **[50]**

1.4 LOADSHEDDING LOADSHEDDING LOADSHEDDING.
ELECTRICITY NOTHING
THIS BETTER

The load-shedding of electricity that we are experiencing is better than not having electricity at all. **[50]**

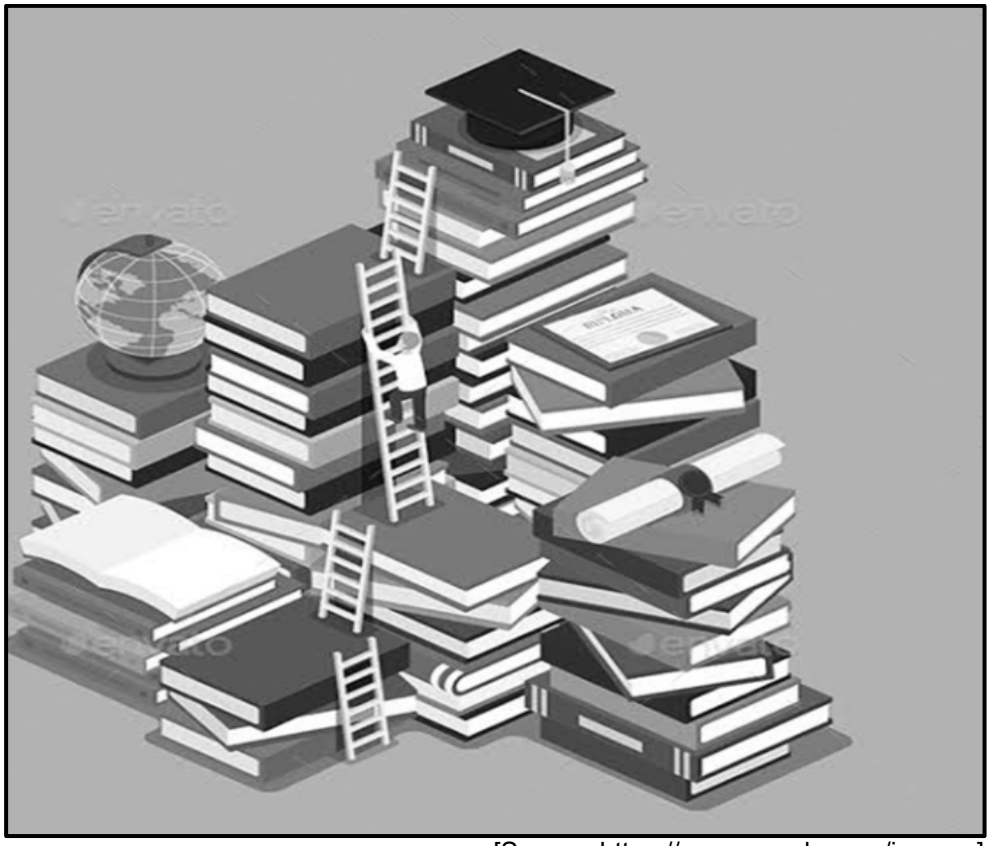
1.5 PEOPLE NOW THEY
MONEY OBSESSED
YOU OPINION

Does the world we live in revolve around money? **[50]**

1.6 PICTURE THREE
CHOOSE ONE
TOPIC OWN SIGN
ESSAY NUMBER MATCH MUST

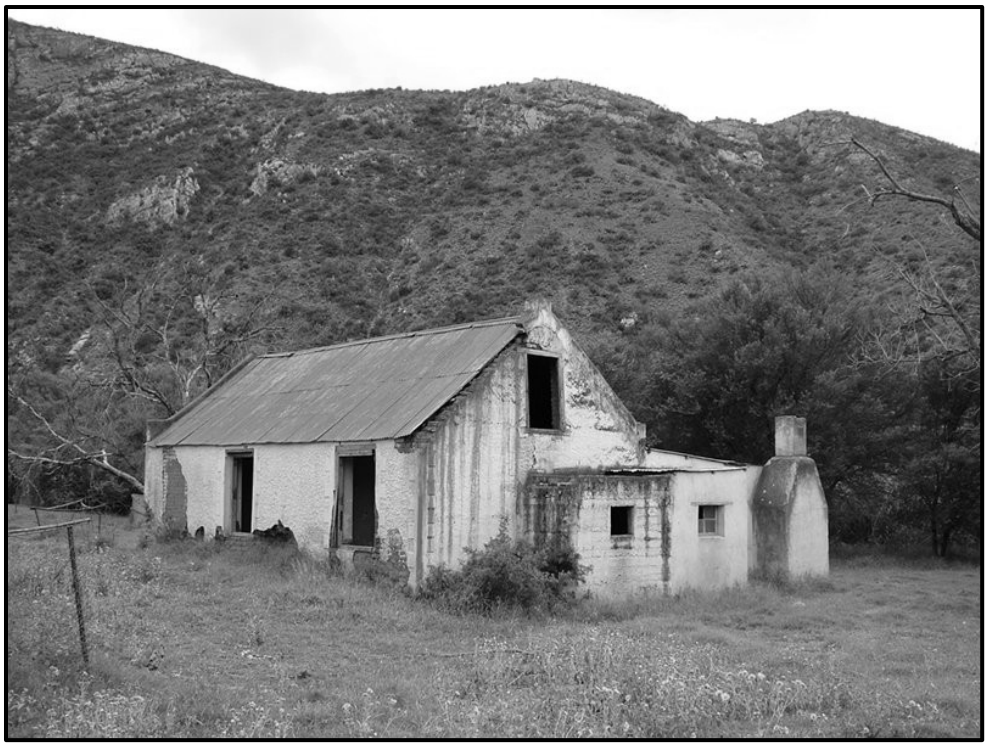
Look at the three pictures that follow and select ONE picture.
Think about the picture, then plan and sign an essay in response.
Sign the question number of your choice and give your essay a title. The essay number must match the picture. **[50]**

1.6.1



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1.6.2



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1.6.3



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TOTAL SECTION A: 50

SECTION B: TRANSACTIONAL TEXTS

QUESTION 2

- Select TWO of the following topics.
- The length of your presentation should be 2–3 minutes.
- Sign the NUMBER and TITLE of the text you have chosen.
- The NUMBER and TITLE of the text you have chosen must match
- Pay careful attention to the following:
  - Audience and register
  - Language structure and fluency

2.1 **SYMPATHY**

After months of training in preparation for a big soccer event, your team has lost a key player. Sign a message of sympathy and encourage the team not to despair.

SOCCER THERE
BIG EVENT
TEAM YOUR TRAIN EXCITED WIN
UNFORTUNATELY PERSON PLAYER DIE
YOU SIGN SYMPATHY
THEY DESPAIR NO
ENCOURAGE-CONTINUE **[25]**

2.2 **REQUEST**

You are a member of the School Governing Body. Sign a request to a big company for a sponsorship of school shoes for disadvantaged learners.

YOU SGB MEMBER
YOU SIGN REQUEST COMPANY SHOES
SCHOOL YOUR SPONSOR
WHO
COMMUNITY THEY CHILDREN POOR **[25]**

2.3 **FORMAL REPORT**

You are a school principal and your school was flooded after heavy rains. Sign a formal report to the city council indicating how the flooding affected the school programmes because of the poor drainage system.

YOU SCHOOL PRINCIPAL
SCHOOL YOUR HEAVY-RAIN FLOOD
FIRST TEACH LEARN AFFECT
SECOND DRAINAGE THAT DAMAGE
COUNCIL CITY THAT
YOU SIGN REPORT FORMAL **[25]**

2.4 **INTERVIEW**

You are a reporter for an on-line magazine. Interview a South African who is stranded in a foreign country about his/her experience.

PERSON SOUTH AFRICA FLY OUTSIDE COUNTRY
BACK CANNOT STUCK
YOU WORK MAGAZINE ONLINE
SKYPE INTERVIEW
EXPERIENCE HIS WHAT **[25]**

2.5 **VLOG**

Sign a vlog on the role of CODAs (Children of Deaf Adults) in the Deaf community.

C-O-D-A INVOLVE COMMUNITY DEAF
ROLE HE WHAT **[25]**

2.6 **INFORMAL SPEECH**

As a youth leader, you have called a meeting of the youth in your area. Sign an informal speech appealing for their assistance in repairing potholes in the roads around the school as part of Mandela Day activities.

MANDELA DAY NEAR
YOU YOUTH LEADER
CALL PLACE YOUTH
YOU SIGN SPEECH INFORMAL
THEY HELP INVOLVE POTHOLES REPAIR
WHERE
SCHOOL AROUND **[25]**

TOTAL SECTION B: 50
GRAND TOTAL: 100

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