



Province of the  
**EASTERN CAPE**  
EDUCATION

**INTERMEDIATE PHASE**

**GRADE 6**

**NOVEMBER 2016**

**ENGLISH FIRST ADDITIONAL LANGUAGE P3**

**MARKS:** 30

**TIME:** 1 hour

**NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_



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This question paper has 8 pages.  
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**INSTRUCTIONS AND INFORMATION**

1. This question paper consists of TWO sections.

SECTION A: Transactional text – Essay (15 marks)

SECTION B: Transactional text – Letter (15 marks)

2. Start EACH question on a NEW page.
3. Pay attention to spelling, vocabulary, grammar and sentence construction.
4. Keep your work neat and tidy.

**SECTION A: TRANSACTIONAL TEXT****QUESTION 1: ESSAY**

Choose ONE of the following topics and write an essay of 4–5 paragraphs (4–5 sentences per paragraph). Make sure that you use the correct **spelling, vocabulary, punctuation marks** and **grammar**.

**NOTE:** Write down the title of your essay.

1.1 Write about something that you enjoyed doing and then you had to give it up for a while. You may write about the following as well as your own ideas:

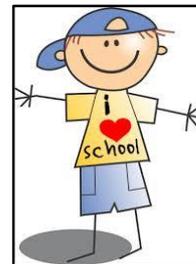
- What have you given up?
- Explain why you had to give it up.
- How does it feel not to be able to do it? Why do you feel this way?
- When will you be able to do it again? How does that make you feel?

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**OR**

1.2 Write about your new school. You may write about the following as well as your own ideas:

- How is it different from your old school?
- Are the buildings and subjects the same?
- Describe your feelings about the new school.
- Write about the things you like / do not like about your new school.



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**OR**

1.3 Write about your role model. You may write about the following as well as your own ideas:

- Who is your role model?
- Why is this person your role model?
- Write why you want to be like your role model.
- Write about the things that your role model does.

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Mark allocation for QUESTION 1.

CRITERIA	MAX. MARK	LEARNER MARK
Format	5	
Language, spelling and punctuation marks	6	
Content	4	
Total	15	

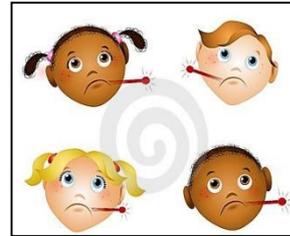
**TOTAL SECTION A: 15**

**SECTION B: TRANSACTIONAL TEXT****QUESTION 2.1: FRIENDLY LETTER**

2.1 Choose ONE of the following topics and write it on the format given.

- Write 2–3 paragraphs of about 100 words.
- Use the correct **language, spelling, punctuation marks and tense**.

2.1.1 Write to your sick friend wishing him/her to get better soon and to come back to school.



- Tell him/her why it is not the same without him/her at school.
- Tell him/her about the things he/she is missing at school e.g. classwork and the new games.

**[15]****OR**

2.1.2 Write to your friend and invite him/her to your birthday party.

- Tell him/her about the people who will be there.
- Tell him/her about the things you will do, and the day's meal.

**[15]****QUESTION 2.2: DIARY**

2.2 Write a diary entry of about 60 words about your class trip to the zoo.

- What did you see?
- What did you do?
- What was your favourite animal?

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**LETTER**

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