## GP 6 Marker

What are the strengths and weaknesses of the argument? Explain one national and one global consequence

#### Structure

2 Paragraphs:

- Strengths
  - Two strengths
- Weaknesses
  - Two weaknesses

## OR

2 paragraphs:

- Divide into local and national
- Either write 2 well developed points or 3-4 undeveloped points
- Go into cause and effect

## Content

Possible strengths:

- uses many examples
- strong tone of language
- passionate
- clear argument and easy to follow
- uses a source as evidence
- ethical/moral argument clear
- counter arguments used
- empathy shown

#### Possible weaknesses:

- few facts and statistics to back up claim
- source not referenced
- potential newspaper bias
- author unknown
- difficult to verify knowledge claims
- emotive tone of language

# GP 8 Marker

How could you test this claim? You should consider the types of information, sources of evidence or methods you may use.

# Structure

3 Paragraphs:

- Types of information
  - 2-3 types
- Sources of information
  - 2-3 sources
- Methods
  - 2-3 methods

In total, 6 developed points

# Content

Possible types of information:

- Compare statistics/information given in the sources
- Data from experts in the field
- Individual testimony or personal experience
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# Possible sources of information:

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- Research reports
- Pressure groups and NGOs
- The internet (secondary sources)

# Possible methods:

- Review of secondary sources: literature/research/documents
- Interview relevant experts/professionals
- Internet research
- Questionnaires
- Surveys

# GP 15 Mark Answer

*Evaluate the arguments presented – supported judgement with explanation about which pattern is more convincing.* 

## Structure

*3 Paragraphs:* The strength of their reasoning and evidence Their use of language The different types of information used

# OR

## Two Paragraphs:

- Person 1's strength of reasoning, and evidence, their use of language and the types of information they used
- Person 2's strength of reasoning, and evidence, their use of language and the types of information they used
- And then a short conclusion

# Content

Strength of reasoning points:

- · Logic
- · Proper structure
- · uses many examples
- strong tone of language
- · passionate
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## Possible weaknesses for counterarguments:

- · few facts and statistics to back up claim
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- · author unknown
- · difficult to verify knowledge claims
- emotive tone of language

## Use of language points:

- · correct terminology
- · formality
- · precise
- · exaggerated

- · measured
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- · neutral

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#### Types of information:

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# **Global Perspectives 24 Mark Answer**

- 24 markers are about suggestions
- Argue using reasons and evidence to justify their opinion and judgement about the issue
- Adapt all points can bring in prior knowledge
- There are choices, and you must choose one with proper justification
- Begin with stating your choice, include arguments and counterarguments (possible negatives) conclude by stating positives outweigh the negatives

## Structure:

1<sup>st</sup> Paragraph

- Take a stand state point in the first statement
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- 4 points of explanation
- Include evidence from sources

2<sup>nd</sup> Paragraph

- Counter argument 2-3 negative points
- bring in other two recommendations
- State that choosing this could lead to this, but the outcome is still more beneficial

3<sup>rd</sup> Paragraph

- Reinforce your choice and end your answer
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## Content:

- Scale of impact
- Consequences/implications
- How long it might take to make a difference
- Barriers/obstacles to prevent it from making a difference
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# **Global Perspectives Paper 1**

#### How To Develop a Point:

- 1. Begin by *stating* your idea/point.
- 2. *Clarify* the meaning and significance of the point.
  - a. Using claim testers can help
- 3. *Illustrate* the point- give an *example* which can be applied.

## Types of GP Questions

- 1. Why is \_\_\_\_\_ an important issue?
  - a. Two developed points
  - b. A few more undeveloped points
  - c. Explicit reason as to why it is important
- 2. Which cause is the most significant?
  - a. One developed point or three developed points
  - b. Firstly, additionally structure two pieces of evidence

## Content:

- affects most people
- creates most suffering
- has multiple triggering consequences
- creates a vicious circle or spiral of harm/good
- affects other aspects of life in society
- reflects migrant opinion
- reflects UN opinion

## 6 Marker - Types of Issues

- 4. Explain why this is a national/global/local issue
  - a. 3 developed points firstly, secondly, lastly
  - b. Pick up an idea from the text and explain it, quote things
- 5. Identify local/national/global/one of each consequences/impact
  - a. local impact: smaller, catered to a certain area, shortages of whatever
  - b. national impact: refer to issues country already faces and how it gets worse
  - c. *global impact:* something about the environment, poverty, racism, sexism, etc. In short, huge issues that everyone is trying to rid the world of.

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