**Guidance for responding to Language Paper 1 Section A : Reading**

1. **Reading the extract and answering Question 1 – 5 minutes (AO1-information) (4 marks)**

Make sure you are keeping your answer within the right line numbers

List your 4 responses using bullet points

1. **Question 2 – 10 minutes (AO2-Language) (8 marks)**

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Look at specific words, sentences and use language terminology to explore effects on the reader

1. **Question 3 – 10 minutes (AO2-structure) (8 marks)**

Look at the whole of the extract, focus on what interests you

Look at how it opens/ends; block the text out into segments/parts where something changes: time, scene or perspective, mood or tone, dialogue is introduced, character’s thoughts, new information etc. Who is talking – how is the story being told (first person narrative, third person narrative; past or present? Use language terminology

1. **Question 4 – 20 minutes (AO4-evaluation/judgement) (20 marks)**

Make sure you are keeping your answer within the right line numbers

To what extent do you agree with the statement? Use quotations

Use the points below the question to form your answer This response should be the longest as it is worth the most marks