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NARRATIVE

DO NOT OPEN THIS BOOKLET UNTIL INSTRUCTED.

TIME ALLOWED: 30 MINUTES

5 minutes reading and planning time

20 minutes writing time

5 minutes checking time

STUDENT'S NAME:

WRITING

Read the instructions on the **ANSWER BOOKLET** and fill in your **NAME, SCHOOL** and **OTHER INFORMATION**.

Use a 2B or B pencil.

Do **NOT** use a pen.

Rub out any mistakes completely.

You are **NOT** allowed to use a dictionary or an electronic translator.

NARRATIVE

A narrative has three main features:

- one or more characters who do things that move the story along,
- a plot or a series of events that develop into a problem for the characters (this problem or complication may not be resolved), and
- a setting or the time and place in which the events occur.

WRITING TASK

Write a narrative that begins with the following words:

Sam turned the lights off immediately.

- You can continue the story in any way you like, so be creative.
- Write a narrative that contains drama and excitement so that readers want to keep reading.
- Use descriptive language to show what the characters are doing, thinking and feeling.

HINTS

- Use the planning time to organise your ideas.
- Stay on the topic: Write a narrative beginning with the words **'Sam turned the lights off immediately.'**
- Use different types of sentences to make your narrative interesting.
- Make sure you use correct grammar, spelling and punctuation.
- Write only on the lines provided. Additional writing may not be marked.
- Use the time at the end of the task to check and improve your writing.

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Malaysia	Standard 6
New Zealand	Year 7
Pacific Region	Year 7
Singapore	Primary 5



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