

Annual Examinations for Secondary Schools 2023

YEAR 10 ENGLISH SOURCE BOOKLET

In this booklet, you will find the texts which you need to read to be able to answer the reading comprehension questions in the Main Paper.

SOURCE A

Road to Nearly  
ZERO-ENERGY  
Buildings

Very low or high humidity can cause damage to your home and cause health problems.



It is, therefore, important to keep the humidity level in your home between 40% and 60% relative humidity (RH).

Picture A

Saving energy has never been easier!  
Live a comfortable life in your home!

Keep a hygrometer in your home to measure humidity.

Picture B

WINDOWS

Picture C

Ideally windows in a building should be with louvres on the outside, shutters on the inside and curtains. This way, you can control and benefit from:

- Natural light
- Natural ventilation
- Heat gain in winter
- Less heat in summer

ROOF

Use liquid membrane of a light colour on your roof to reflect the sun's rays and reduce the heat in your home. You can also use the following to further reduce the heat in your home:



Canopy

Picture D

Roof garden



Decking

For more information on other ways how you can save energy in your home and live more comfortably, please contact the Building and Construction Authority.



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## SANDWICHES

|                     |      |
|---------------------|------|
| Turkey              | 3.50 |
| Tomato and Cheese   | 2.50 |
| Peanut Butter       | 90c  |
| Peanut Butter Jelly | 1.50 |
| Paul's Special      | 5.50 |

## PIZZA

|                     |       |
|---------------------|-------|
| Hawaiian (Small)    | 6.99  |
| Hawaiian (Large)    | 9.99  |
| Vegetarian (Small)  | 6.99  |
| Vegetarian (Large)  | 7.99  |
| Pepperoni (Small)   | 11.99 |
| Pepperoni (Large)   | 13.99 |
| BBQ Chicken (Large) | 12.99 |

## SIDES

|               |      |
|---------------|------|
| Onion Rings   | 1.00 |
| Coleslaw      | 1.00 |
| Chips (Small) | 1.00 |
| Chips (Large) | 1.99 |
| Cheese Chips  | 3.99 |
| Salad         | 2.50 |

## DESSERTS

|                        |      |
|------------------------|------|
| Apple Pie              | 3.99 |
| Apple Pie & ice cream  | 4.99 |
| Ice Cream (one scoop)  | 1.50 |
| Ice Cream (two scoops) | 2.50 |
| Chocolate Cake         | 3.99 |

## DRINKS

|                               |      |
|-------------------------------|------|
| Bottled Mineral Water (Small) | 50c  |
| Bottled Mineral Water (Large) | 1.50 |
| Cola                          | 1.00 |
| Coffee                        | 1.20 |
| Tea                           | 1.20 |
| Hot Chocolate                 | 1.50 |

All prices are in EURO

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## How to find us

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