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# GCSE English Language (AQA 8700)

## Paper 1 Explorations in creative reading and writing

**Time allowed: 1 hour 45 minutes**

### Materials

For this paper you must have:

- **Source A** – included in the question paper.

### Instructions

- Answer all questions in the spaces provided.
- Use black ink or black ball-point pen.
- Fill in your details on this page.
- Answer the questions in the spaces provided.
- Do not write outside the box around each page or on blank pages.
- Do all rough work in this question and answer paper. Cross through any work you do not want to be marked.
- You must **not** use a dictionary.

### Information

- The marks for questions are shown in brackets [ ].
- The maximum mark on this paper is 80.
- There are 40 marks for **Section A** and 40 marks for **Section B**.
- Remember that you need to use correct English and clear presentation in your answers.
- You will be awarded marks for the quality of your **reading** in **Section A**.
- You will be awarded marks for the quality of your **writing** in **Section B**.

### Suggestions

- Spend about 15 minutes reading through the Source and all five questions before starting your answers.
- Leave enough time to check your answers at the end.