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Paper 1 Written Exam **February/March 2025**

1 hour 25 minutes

You must answer on the question paper.

You will need: Insert (enclosed)

INSTRUCTIONS

- Answer **all** questions.
- Use a black or dark blue pen.
- Write your name, centre number and candidate number in the boxes at the top of the page.
- Write your answer to each question in the space provided.
- Do **not** use an erasable pen or correction fluid.
- Do **not** write on any bar codes.

INFORMATION

- The total mark for this paper is 70.
- The number of marks for each question or part question is shown in brackets [ ].
- The insert contains all the sources referred to in the questions.

This document has **8** pages.

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Read the information in the insert and answer **all** questions.

1 Study Sources 1 and 2.

(a) From Source 1, which communication technology took the least time to reach 100 million users?

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(b) **(i)** Identify **one** example of a value from Source 2.

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(ii) Explain why the example you identified is a value.

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(c) From Source 2, describe the charity's perspective on digital communication.

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(d) Sources 1 and 2 suggest some consequences of digital communication.

Which consequence of digital communication do you think is the most significant? Explain why.

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2 Study Source 3.

(a) Explain the strengths and weaknesses of the research outlined in Source 3.

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(b) 'Many households in the local area do not have access to the internet.'

Explain how this claim could be tested. You should consider the research methods and evidence that could be used.

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3 Study Source 4.

Which argument is more convincing, Todd's or Hanna's?

Your answer should:

- consider both arguments
- evaluate their reasoning, evidence and use of language
- support your judgement with their words and ideas.

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4 A government wants to improve access to the internet for the citizens in their country.

The following actions are being considered:

- Offer free computers to people in poverty.
- Provide computer education in schools.
- Encourage charities to provide internet access to the local community.

Which **one** of these actions would you recommend to the government, and why?

In your answer, you should:

- state your recommendation
- give reasons and evidence to support your choice
- use the material in the sources and/or any of your own ideas
- consider different arguments and perspectives.

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