Sample common internal assessment 2020

Stimulus book

# **Essential English**





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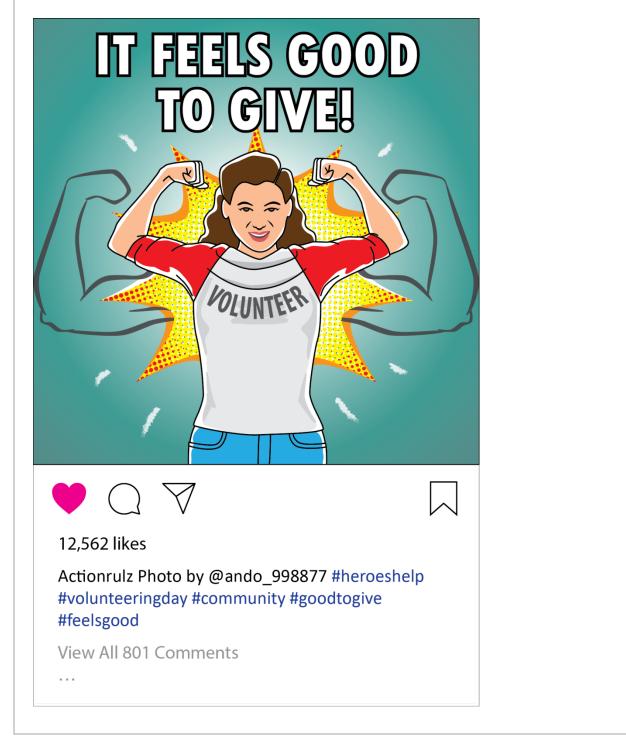
#### Stimulus 1

The following written stimulus is an extract from a blog post published on Voices of Youth by Haydn Jackson, a student excelling in Year 12 studies at Queensland School, together with some readers' comments.

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<b>Vew Age' Volunteering</b> y Haydn Jackson   June 25, 2018	
veryone says that volunteering is for older people (non-millennials!) because it requires hergy and time. Apparently, they're the ones who want to help others, not millennials whelf-entitled, have no attention span and are apathetic.	
o, volunteering organisations aren't doing anything to attract us then, right?	
/rong. Definitely wrong!	
here are some fantastic causes out there being run by progressive volunteering organisati eaningful and worthwhile for us. They:	ions who make it
give us a chance — they let us help plan and promote the cause	
play to our strengths — they ask us to share our skills; they know we're more digitally a and let us monitor their social media presence	aware than older people,
show faith in us — they openly recognise our talent, enthusiasm and readiness to help. T the right volunteering organisation for our skills.	They also help us choose
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#### Stimulus 2

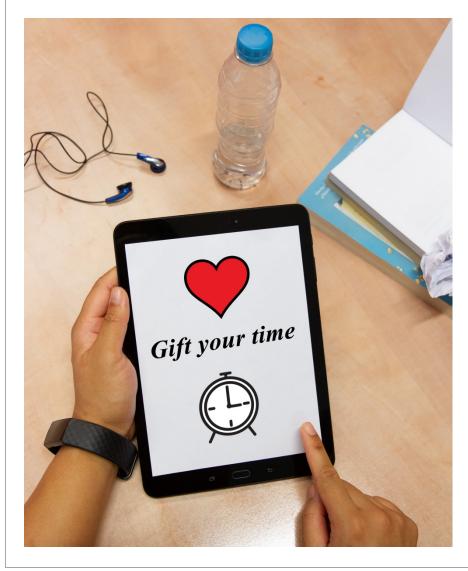
The following visual stimulus is a social media post with a meme<sup>1</sup> shared about volunteering.



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Meme: an image, video, photo or text containing cultural ideas or symbols, often shared on social media platforms

#### Stimulus 3

The following visual stimulus is an image featured on a charity webpage about volunteering.



#### References

#### Stimulus 2

Inspired by Vectorfusionart, 'Composite image of portrait of cheerful volunteer', www.onepixel.com/photo/composite-image-of-portrait-of-cheerful-volunteer-1822971

#### Stimulus 3

Inspired by Vectorfusionart, 'Composite image of volunteer heart', www.onepixel.com/photo/composite-image-of-volunteer-heart-1824901

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