RAIMONDI COLLEGE SYLLABUS OF FIRST TERM EXAMINATION (2015-2016) SECONDARY 2

Subject	Scope / Topic			
English	Paper I: Composition	 A 220-word composition on ONE topic out of a choice of three. 1. Feature Article (Promotional) 2. Short Story 3. Friendly Letter Part A (A) Comprehension (B) Vocabulary - Textbook Unit 1, 3, 4 (Longman Elect JS2A) 		
		Grammar Items	English Grammar in Use	
-	Paper II:	All Tenses (Including the Future) (JS2A – Unit 1)	Units 1-5, 19-23	
	General English	Talking about the Future: will, (be) going to, Present Simple, Present Continuous	Units 19-23	
		Reported Speech: Statement (JS2A – Unit 2)	Unit 47	
		Conditionals Type 0, 1, 2	Units 38-39	
		Adjectives: Comparative, Superlative & Ungradable	Units 105-108	
		Adverbs: Comparative & Superlative	Longman Elect Unit 4	
		Articles: Definite, Indefinite & Zero	Units 71-78	
		Miscellaneous items	1	

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Geography	Book 3: The Trouble of Water		
	Unit 3.1 - 3.6		
History	1. Europe in the Middle Ages		
	 Notes, Textbook, pp. 2 – 3 and Revision Exercises 		
	2. The Renaissance		
	 Textbook, pp. 4 – 39, Revision Exercises and Revision Notes 		
	3. The Reformation		
	Notes, Revision Exercises		
	4. The Age of Absolutism and the Age of Enlightenment		
	 Notes, Textbook, pp.46-p.54 and Revision exercise 		
Life & Society	Module 12 Public Finance of Hong Kong		
	1. Effects of public finance on the economy and society		
	1.1 Major items of the government's revenue and expenditure		
	1.2 Factors affecting government expenditure		
	1.3 Functions of public finance		
	1.4 Relationship between the government and citizens concerning public finance		
	1.5 Comparison between Hong Kong's and other developed countries' tax systems		
	2. Public finance of Hong Kong under an ageing population		
	2.1 Ageing population in Hong Kong		
	2.2 Effects of an ageing population on public finance		
	Module 11 Sensible consumption		
	1. Rights and responsibilities of sensible consumers		
	1.1 Characteristics of sensible consumers		
	1.2 Avoiding unnecessary consumption		
	1.3 Rights and responsibilities of consumers		
	1.4 Green consumption		
	1.5 Regulations and institutions that protect consumers' rights		
	2. Respecting intellectual property rights		
	2.1 Criminal liability of infringing upon intellectual property rights		
	2.2 Arguments for and against protecting intellectual property rights		
	2.3 Moral considerations of respecting intellectual property rights		