

Writing

Time: 60 minutes

- *Write all your answers on the separate answer sheet*
- *You must not speak to the other candidates*

Task One: Compulsory Task (30 minutes)

- You must answer this question.

Jana, a student from abroad, is studying sculpture at university. She needs more room to work from home. You work for the university accommodation office.

Hi!

I've just found these ads – I think I might be able to find something good but I don't understand the situation. Could you help me and write to the estate agents for me:

- Money?
- Enough room for my work?
- Deposit, how much?
- When can we view it?

Cheers!

Jana

TO LET

2 room flat, 60m²

35 min walk from Grenberg town centre.

EUR 1200 per month

TO LET

1 Huge room

100 square metre attic in the centre of Grenberg.

Great view of the River Gren – 1 minute from the tram.

EUR 950 per month

TO LET

5 room converted shop in Sheldon (30km from Grenberg)

Big garden.

EUR 1100 per month

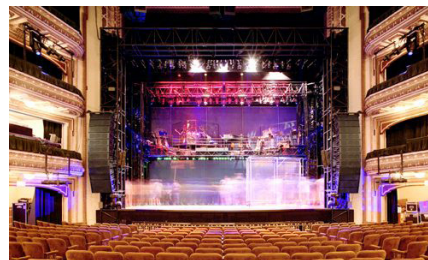
- **Write a letter to the estate agents on her behalf choosing a flat, checking its details and asking for more information. (100 - 120 words)**

Task Two: Extended Writing (30 minutes)

- Choose only **ONE** of the following questions – 1, 2 OR 3. Write ca. 150 words.
- You can include addresses, dates etc. if you want to, but they will not be marked.
- **DO NOT** answer more than one question.

1.

You have just been to the theatre to see a famous play which you think has been performed very badly.



Write a review for your local newspaper.

N.B. Remember to analyse the performance critically.

2.

These are the opening lines of a short story:

Every drawer open, vases and pots smashed and clothes all over the floor. The sight punched Peter in the face as he entered his flat. He had been burgled.

A sudden horror gripped him as he realised what the thief might have taken. He ran across the room to check...



Continue the **story**.

N. B. Make sure your story is appropriate, relevant and has an ending.

3.

“People in all countries are fundamentally the same.”

To what extent do you agree with this statement?



Write an essay.

N. B. List your points for and against and a conclusion at the end. Make sure you state your argument in a logical way.