

# Oral Preparation Test (20 minutes)

## OPTION 1 - 5Ws

### OVERVIEW: What are the STEPS I should take when preparing the oral?

**READ** both documents

**WRITE** down on a two-column sheet for EACH document the 5 Ws; **COMPARE** the docs?

**ANSWER** the question (ex: *inequalities in Johannesburg*) using the 5 Ws and H (How)

**USE** Geography key words

### IN DETAILS:

- 1) **READ** both documents **(3 minutes)**
- 2) **WRITE** down on a two-column sheet for EACH document the 5 Ws; **(5 minutes)**
  - a) → WHAT is it?
  - b) → WHO is the author?
  - c) → WHEN was it published, photographed?
  - d) → WHERE does it take place?
  - e) → WHAT is the main message?
  - f) → WHY is the author talking about this?
- 3) **COMPARE** the documents: What do they have in common? What are the differences? How does one document help me understand the other? **(2 minutes)**
- 4) **ANSWER** the question (ex: *inequalities in Johannesburg*) and **JUSTIFY** using both documents: **(5 minutes)**
  - a) → WHAT are the inequalities?
  - b) → WHY is this happening?
  - c) → WHO are the 'victims'?
  - d) → WHEN is it happening?
  - e) → WHERE?
- 5) **USE** Geography key words

### IN MORE DETAILS:

#### **STEP 1: I READ both documents**

I look at the title, the author, and I use the dictionary for the words I don't know

**STEP 2: WRITE** down on a two-column sheet for EACH document the 5 Ws → WHAT is it? → WHO is the author? → WHEN was it published, photographed? → WHERE does it take place? → WHAT is the main message? → WHY is the author talking about this?

#### **STEP 3: COMPARE** the documents:

WHAT do they have in common? WHAT are the differences? HOW does one doc. help me understand the other?

#### **STEP 4: ANSWER** the question (*ex: inequalities in Johannesburg*) and **JUSTIFY** using **both** documents

WHAT are the inequalities? WHY is this happening? WHO are the 'victims'? WHEN is it happening? WHERE?

#### **STEP 5:** make sure you **USE** Geography key words

**Example:** according to the documents, I can say that:

**South Africa is a :** LIC, HIC, NEE country? **Its HDI should be :** high, low? **Johannesburg's landscape shows it is a :**

**Mega-city? The inequalities are about:** Food insecurity, Infrastructure, Life expectancy, Population density, Sanitation, Social opportunities? Feel free to add other key words: Discrimination, Flows, Racism, Scale...

**OPTION 2 - Mindmapping:**

**WRITE** in the center of your draft the question that has been asked (ex: *Inequalities in Johannesburg*)

**READ** both documents thoroughly

**START** mapping your ideas from the documents, **WRITING** next to your idea what **JUSTIFIES** your idea from the documents

**LOOK AT** your map and **HIGHLIGHT** the ideas in **2, 3 or 4 categories** -use different colors (*Categories could be general ones such as : Politics, Economy, Social, History, Geography, etc.,.... Or more specific ones such as: Landscape, Infrastructure, Discrimination, Housing, etc.,*)

**MAKE SURE** that you **QUOTE** both documents for each of your category (so you can **COMPARE**) the documents, **SEE** if they complete each other or not

**ADD** some Geography key words next to your ideas

*You are all set! You will use your 2, 3 or 4 categories to answer the question!*