

# English Year 9 Learn Sheet

You will be answering questions 1, 2, 3 and 4 from an assessment paper 2 (non-fiction texts).

Q1—Identify the four true statements from a text.

Q2—Summarise viewpoints in two different texts

Q3— How has the writer used language?

Q4— Compare writers' viewpoints and methods.

## Paper 2 Question 2

Remember:

# C D I



C – comparison

D - detail

I – inference

## For Question 3, remember: **WARM PIES and AFOREST**

### WORD CLASSES

ALLITERATION

RHETORICAL

QUESTIONS

METAPHOR

PERSONIFICATION

IMAGERY

EMOTIVE

LANGUAGE

SIMILE



A	alliteration / anecdote / address
F	facts
O	opinions
R	repetition/rhetorical questions
E	emotive language / exaggeration
S	stats/similes
T	Triples



For Paper 2 Question 4, remember to use.....

Point

Evidence

Explore

Compare/contrast

Evidence

Explore



...when writing your answers.

## An extract from a guide to dealing with stress in nursing

Stressed? Then read our expert guide to dealing with stress in nursing...

A nursing day involves a lot of stress. Whether working with gravely ill patients or helping families cope with the loss of a loved one after death, nurses have to be there for almost every imaginable situation. It is a job that requires energy on many levels. Physically, the job can be demanding with high levels of physical exertion, culminating in many aches and pains. Mentally, you are required to be 'on the ball', making crucial decisions and answering questions from patients and relatives. Emotionally, the impact is felt when you empathise and help people in an environment where there is pain and sadness. Additionally, the work situation may be characterised by resource limits, poor staffing and organisational change, which all add to the energy expended.

### Work or Life?

Maintain a healthy work/life balance. Ask yourself "Do you live to work or work to live?" Use your free time to recharge your batteries. Remember to plan regular holidays and take them. Small treats like visits to the cinema or a meal at a restaurant will help you switch off and relax.

### Being aware

Be aware of negative thinking when stressed. Instead of thinking 'I must never make a mistake' think more realistically, for example 'I am doing the best I can in tough situations'. Challenge the internal pressures by turning the musts into preferences, from 'I must complete this today' to 'I'd like to complete it today and will do what I can'. If you identify what you can and can't control, then you can learn to accept external pressures. After all, you are not expected to be superhuman!

## Practice Questions:

1. True or false?
  - Nursing can be stressful
  - Nurses jobs are not varied
  - Nurses need to be alert
  - Nursing isn't very emotional
2. What other facts about nursing can you identify?
3. How does the writer use language to show that nursing can be stressful? Identify WARM PIES and AFOREST techniques and their effects.
4. What is the writer's viewpoint about stress in nursing? Find a highlight examples of the methods they use to convey this viewpoint.