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You will need: Insert (enclosed)

- Answer **all** questions.
- Use a black or dark blue pen.
- Write your name, centre number and candidate number in the boxes at the top of the page.
- Write your answer to each question in the space provided.
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- The total mark for this paper is 70.
- The number of marks for each question or part question is shown in brackets [].
- The insert contains all the sources referred to in the questions.

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Read the information in the insert and answer **all** questions.

1 Study Sources 1 to 3.

(a) Identify the percentage of the world's population under the age of 25, from Source 1.

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(b) Identify **two** challenges for young people, from Source 2.

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(c) Which challenge for young people do you think is the most significant? Explain why.

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(d) Explain why young people should be a priority for governments.

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2 Study Source 3.

(a) 'Young people care about the future.'

What are the strengths and weaknesses of the argument supporting this claim?

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- (b)** 'Many older people think that young people are badly behaved.'

How could you test this claim? You may consider the types of information, sources of evidence and methods you might use.

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3 Study Source 4.

(a) Identify a value judgment from Hana's statement. Explain why it is a value judgment.

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(b) Kaito is arguing that older people should hold positions of power.

(i) Identify **one** fact from Kaito's statement.

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(ii) Explain how well this fact supports Kaito's argument.

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4 A government wants to improve the lives of young people.

The following actions are being considered:

- provide more education and training for young people
- lower the voting age so that young people can vote in elections
- involve young people in decision-making about local issues.

Which **one** of these actions would you recommend to the government, and why?

In your answer, you should:

- state your recommendation
- give reasons and evidence to support your choice
- use the material in the sources and/or any of your own ideas
- consider different arguments and perspectives.

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