

Read the passage in the Insert and then answer **all** the questions. Note that up to fifteen marks will be given for the quality and accuracy of your use of English throughout this Paper.

NOTE: When a question asks for an answer IN YOUR OWN WORDS AS FAR AS POSSIBLE and you select the appropriate material from the passage for your answer, you must still use your own words to express it. Little credit can be given to answers which only copy words and phrases from the passage.

- 1 Which word in paragraph 1 conveys the idea that the search for truth is 'long and arduous' (line 5)?

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- 2 What are the differences between the way society interpreted the natural world in the past and from the 18th century onwards (lines 11-13)? **Use your own words as far as possible.**

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- 3 Why has the author written 'truth' (line 20) in inverted commas?

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- 4 What does the author mean by the phrase 'their actual expertise here is secondary' in line 27? **Use your own words as far as possible.**

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5 In paragraph 4, identify the reasons the author provides for why we lie and accept lies. **Use your own words as far as possible.**

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6 In paragraph 4, how does the author illustrate that people lie for good intentions? **Use your own words as far as possible.**

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7 What does the author mean by a world that was 'idyllically false' (line 42) and how did Albert Camus feel about it?

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8 What distinctions does the author draw between the findings of the NBC report and the allegations of Russian interference in the US elections (lines 47-52)? **Use your own words as far as possible.**

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9 What is the author suggesting about the role of the individual when he says that 'the individual is the source, medium and target of falsehood' (line 87)?

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10 Suggest one reason why the author concludes the passage with the final sentence.

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- 11 Using material from paragraphs 6 and 7 only (lines 54-84), summarise what the author has to say about the negative consequences of not valuing the truth, and what is being done to combat the erosion of truth.

Write your summary in **no more than 120 words**, not counting the opening words which are printed below. **Use your own words as far as possible.**

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