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NATIONAL  
QUALIFICATIONS  
2007TUESDAY, 15 MAY  
F: 9.00 AM – 9.45 AM  
G: 10.05 AM – 10.50 AM  
C: 11.10 AM – 12.10 PMDRAMA  
STANDARD GRADE  
Foundation, General  
and Credit Levels  
Stimulus Paper

Study carefully the five stimuli (i), (ii), (iii), (iv) and (v) before answering the questions in Section A of the Question Paper.



STIMULUS (i)

Confessed faults are half mended.

**Scottish Proverb**

STIMULUS (ii)



*Flight*  
Quint Buchholz

**STIMULUS (iii)**

Like curs a glance has brought to heel, . . .  
We listen'd flinching there:  
And look'd, and look'd, on the untouched meal  
And the overtoppled chair.

**Wilfred Wilson Gibson (Flannan Isle)**

**STIMULUS (iv)**

1. **neb**: Another word for nose: "Jist you keep yer neb oot o' this."

(Scots Dictionary)

**[Turn over for Stimulus (v) on *Page four***

STIMULUS (v)

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