

Question		
<p>1. Explain what Kierkegaard described as being lost in the infinite AND lost in the finite.</p>	<p>Give two marks for two fully-explained definitions. Examples of each will be awarded one mark each.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lost in the infinite - a person being unable to progress in life as they are stuck being able to make decisions because there are too many possible choices in life. • Lost in the finite - a person follows a group or ideology, rather than making their own choices in life. 	4
<p>2. Explain what Camus meant by the term 'absurd'.</p>	<p>Give four marks for four points, or marks for a points with examples.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The world is absurd as it has no point, no higher power and no defined purpose. • As the world is absurd, people should choose their own paths and create their own points. • As the world is absurd, we are truly free as there is no prescribed reason to exist. <p>Accept any other valid points/development.</p>	4
<p>3. 'Existentialism is a philosophy that makes people happy in life' Do you agree? Explain your answer. You should discuss your opinions but also opinions that are counter to your own, with particular emphasis on specific existentialists and their ideas. Aim to come to a clear conclusion.</p>	<p>For this question, use the following best fit from the table below.</p>	12

Level 1	Describes a basic opinion about the statement. May not mention specific existentialist ideas. Low quality of English – SpaG (Spelling, punctuation and grammar)	1-3
Level 2	Describes their own view and will mention other views, but maybe not with great detail or accuracy. Fair SPaG – some mistakes. May not be structured very clearly.	4-6
Level 3	Explanations of their own and others’ views. Mentions at least two specific existentialist ideas in some detail. Comes to a clear conclusion. Good SPaG with some errors but a good structure.	7-9
Level 4	Detailed explanations of their own and others’ opinions. Mentions at least two specific existentialist ideas in some detail. Comes to a clear, justified conclusion. Excellent SPaG – few errors and good structure.	10-12

When you have found a mark out of 20, use this grid to show what grade you have achieved:

Marks	Grade
7 or less	2
10-12	3
13	4b
14	4a
15	5b
16	5a
17	6c
18	6a
19	7
20	8