

**Choose one of the 2 suggested subjects and write it down on your paper before starting the essay**

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Subject 1:

In this matter (human dignity) it is more and more necessary that our country should blaze the trail and set an example; that it should not become a slave to what others do, and that while taking into account the diversity of the human elements of which it is composed it should make progress thanks especially to a rectification of political and social behaviour and by the inculcation of growing respect for one's fellow-men and for the opinion of one's fellow-citizens.

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Subject 2:

...the first object (of the Parliamentary Assembly) was to strengthen the will to live in common here...At all costs it calls (*Lebanon's case*) for solutions dictated by moderation and wisdom which involve first of all the patient initiation of the Lebanese into the meaning of the general interest. It rules out tyranny, the domination of some by others, and upheavals in any form, as deadly dangerous.

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