Each essay is worth 30% of the paper mark: Al Liss Wal Kilab

(a) 
إلى أي مدى تُعتبر قصة اللص والكلاب أقرب إلى الرمز من الواقع؟ أعط أدلة من الكتاب.

أو

من العدوّ الأكبر لسعيد مهران في قصة اللص والكلاب؟ بين أسباب رأيك.

(b) 
There are many instances of symbolism in the book, from the characters to the scenery and atmosphere. Almost everything in the book is symbolic. However, although this is the case, the themes that they symbolise are real and therefore very close to reality.

Candidates are expected to mention one character only. Any character would be relevant as long as the choice is substantiated.