

## TEXT G: Schooling

### ANSWERS

- a** When Anne says that she is 'not a spring chicken', she means that: 1 mark

- ☐ she is not an animal.  
☐ she doesn't like eating chicken.  
☒ **she is not young.**  
☐ she wasn't born in spring.

- b** List **two** subjects that Anne studied at school. 2 marks

**Possible answers include:**

- English
- Maths
- Geography
- Science
- British History
- home economics
- sewing

- c** Why did Anne and many of her classmates leave school at the end of Year 11? 2 marks

**Most jobs didn't require university degrees and women didn't usually work for very long because they were expected to get married and have families.**

- d** What was the attitude of Bao's father towards education? Explain your answer. 2 marks

**Bao's father took education very seriously. He expected Bao to work hard and get straight As.**

- e** What did Bao worry about when he was at school? 1 mark  
**that he wouldn't pass his exams**

- f** Why was Bao surprised when he got his Year 12 results? 2 marks  
**He received much better marks than he had expected and he got into Medicine at university.**