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GCSE CHINESE (MANDARIN)

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Higher Tier Paper 1 Listening

Tuesday 14 May 2024 Afternoon Time allowed: 45 minutes approximately
(including 5 minutes' reading time before the test)

You will need no other materials.

The pauses are pre-recorded for this test.

Instructions

- You must **not** use a dictionary.
- Use black ink or black ball-point pen.
- Fill in the boxes at the top of this page.
- Do not open this book until you are told to do so.**

This is what you should do for each item.

- After the question number is announced, there will be a pause to allow you to read the instructions and questions.
- Listen carefully to the recording and read the questions again.
- Listen to the recording again, and then answer the questions.
- When the next question is about to start you will hear a bleep like this (*).
- You may write at any time during the test.
- Answer **all** questions in **English**.
- You must answer **all** the questions in the spaces provided. Do **not** write outside the box around each page or on blank pages.
- Write neatly and put down **all** the information you are asked to give.
- Ask any questions now. You must not ask questions or interrupt during the test.**
- You now have five minutes to read through the question paper. You may make notes during this time. You may open your answer book now.
- The test starts now.**

Information

- The marks for questions are shown in brackets.
- The maximum mark for this paper is 50.
- If you need extra space for your answer(s), use the lined pages at the end of this book. Write the question number against your answer(s).

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Answer **all** questions in **English** in the spaces provided.

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Optional classes

You are listening to a teacher talking to her students.

Which **three** classes are offered?

Write the correct letters in the boxes.

A	baking
B	business writing
C	computing
D	music
E	personal finance
F	public speaking

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[3 marks]

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Charity work

Dayong is telling visitors about fundraising events in his school.

What are they doing **this month**?

What are they going to do **next month**?

Complete the table in **English**.

0 2

last month	this month	next month
selling clothes		

[2 marks]

Answer the question in **English**.

0 3

Name **two** places that will receive money from the fundraising events.

[2 marks]

- 1 _____
- 2 _____

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Talk show

You are listening to the headlines of a talk show on YouTube.

Match the correct topic to each item of news.

Write the correct letter in the box.

A	China setting a world record
B	Italian food
C	job opportunities
D	managing money
E	new television series
F	tourism in Taiwan
G	valuable artwork
H	young people's relationships

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[1 mark]

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A crime drama (part 1)

You are listening to a crime drama on a Singapore radio station.

A detective is interviewing a female suspect.

Answer the questions in **English**.

0 9 . 1

What time does the suspect usually arrive at the office?

[1 mark]

0 9 . 2

What stopped the suspect from going to work last Thursday?

[1 mark]

Write the correct letter in the box.

0 9 . 3

What did the suspect do instead of going to work last Thursday?

A	She had a day off.
B	She went to see the doctor.
C	She worked from home.

[1 mark]

A crime drama (part 2)Answer the questions in **English**.

1 0 . 1

How many phone calls did the suspect make on Thursday?

[1 mark]

1 0 . 2

Where did the suspect go at lunchtime?

[1 mark]

Write the correct letter in the box.

1 0 . 3

Who can confirm that the suspect's story is true?

A	her family
B	her secretary
C	the waiter

[1 mark]

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Family visitor

Xiaochun's uncle is visiting from China.

Answer **both** parts of the question.

Write the correct letters in the boxes.

A	British history
B	cooking
C	getting up early
D	learning English
E	socialising
F	visiting museums

1 1 . 1

What **two** things does Xiaochun's uncle like?**[2 marks]**

1 1 . 2

Which **two** things is Xiaochun's uncle **not** interested in?**[2 marks]**

4



Healthy eating

Your teachers are talking about healthy eating in school.

What does each teacher say?

Complete the sentences in **English**.

1	2
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The pupils have eaten...

_____ recently.

[1 mark]

1	3
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The pupils plan **not** to...

_____ on Fridays.

[1 mark]

2

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University life

Du Li is talking about her life at university.

Answer **all four** parts of the question.

Write the correct letter in each box.

1 4 . 1

What year is Du Li in at university?

A	first year
B	second year
C	third year

[1 mark]

1 4 . 2

Du Li has made...

A	a few good friends.
B	a lot of friends.
C	very few friends.

[1 mark]

1 4 . 3

Du Li goes to the library...

A	after her lessons.
B	before her lessons.
C	to meet her tutor.

[1 mark]

1 4 . 4

Du Li prefers...

A	cooking her own meals.
B	going to the students' canteen.
C	not eating lunch.

[1 mark]

4



An interview with a footballer

Listen to this interview with a Chinese footballer.

Answer the questions in **English**.

1	5
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At what age did the footballer go to football academy?

[1 mark]

1	6
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Who is the best player in the footballer's family?

[1 mark]

1	7
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Who is the footballer going to teach to play football?

[1 mark]

3

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Classwork (part 1)

Your Chinese teacher is setting a writing task.

Answer the questions in **English**.

1 8 . 1

What exactly does the teacher ask everyone to write?

[1 mark]

1 8 . 2

How long do the students have to finish the task?

[1 mark]

Write the correct letter in the box.

1 8 . 3

What are students allowed to use when doing the task?

A	computer
B	dictionary
C	mobile phone

[1 mark]

Classwork (part 2)

Your friend is called Liu Jian. Liu Jian asks your teacher a question.

Answer **both** parts of the question in **English**.

1 9 . 1

What is Liu Jian's question?

[1 mark]

1 9 . 2

Why does Liu Jian ask the question?

[1 mark]

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TV quiz show

You are watching a quiz show on Chinese television.

The contestants are introducing themselves.

Answer the questions in **English**.

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What types of music does Wang Meiyun like? Give **two** details.

[2 marks]

1 _____

2 _____

2	1
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Apart from his name, what else does Zhang Dawei tell us about himself?
Give **two** details.

[2 marks]

1 _____

2 _____

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Opinions about holidays

Yiqing and Xiaobao are talking about holidays.

What are their opinions?

Write **P** for a **positive** opinion.

N for a **negative** opinion.

P + N for a **positive** and **negative** opinion.

2	2
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Yiqing

[1 mark]

2	3
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Xiaobao

[1 mark]

2



Equal pay

Pingquan is talking to her employer about her salary.

Answer the question in **English**.

2	4
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Pingquan complains that she gets paid less than her male colleague. What are the reasons for her complaint? Give **two** details.

[2 marks]

1 _____

2 _____

Complete the sentence in **English**.

2	5
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Pingquan's male colleague has two other part-time duties:

In the morning, he _____ ;

and at weekends, he _____ .

[2 marks]

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Weather forecast

You are listening to a weather forecast on Chinese radio.

Which **two** types of weather are mentioned for each day?

Write the correct letters in the boxes.

A	cloudy
B	foggy
C	rainy
D	snowy
E	sunny
F	windy

2	6
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This evening

[2 marks]

2	7
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Tomorrow

[2 marks]

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