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Paper 1 Listening Higher

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Listening and Reading tests

General principles of marking

Non-verbal answers

Follow the mark scheme as set out.

Verbal answers (English or target language)

- 1. The basic principle of assessment is that students should gain credit for what they know, understand and can do; provided their written response communicates the required message without ambiguity, it will get the mark. The following guidance should be borne in mind when marking.
- (a) Credit should be given for all answers which convey the key idea required intelligibly and without ambiguity. This applies whether the answer is in English or target language. A separate assessment of spelling, punctuation and grammar is not required because of the nature of the answers. However, these aspects are an integral part of assessing communication and marks cannot be awarded where errors in spelling, punctuation or grammar lead to a failure to communicate the required information without ambiguity.
- (b) Where a student has given alternatives or additional information in an answer, the following criteria should be applied: if the alternative/addition does not contradict the key idea/make it ambiguous, **accept** if the alternative/addition contradicts the key idea or makes it ambiguous, **reject**.
- (c) Where numbered lines are given within a question/section of a question, credit should be given for correct answers, no matter which line they appear on.
- (d) Where a question has more than one **section (eg (i) and (ii))**, a candidate may include as part of the answer to one section the information required to answer another section. Eg, in Listening, information required to answer section (ii) might be given as part of the answer to section (i). In such cases, credit should be given for having answered section (ii), provided that no incorrect answer has been given for that section in the correct place on the question paper.
- 2. In questions where students are asked to give for example a list of three items, only the first three items they write down should be considered for assessment purposes.
- 3. No mark scheme can cover all possible answers. When in doubt, look for the key idea.
- 4. Where a student has crossed out an answer and what was underneath remains legible then it should be marked. When part of an answer is crossed out, then only what remains should be considered.
- 5. .../.. means that these are acceptable alternative answers in the mark scheme. (.....) means that this information is not needed for full marks to be awarded.
- 6. In questions which are T/F/? or √/X/? in either Section A or Section B, a mix and match approach should be tolerated and credit given where it is clear and unambiguous (eg consistent use by the candidate). If candidates write 'True' instead of 'T' for TIk in Section B, this should also be credited despite the wrong language being used.

- 7. The following general principles should be applied in relation to answers in the target language in Section B:
 - A. Incorrect personal pronouns accept (unless this causes ambiguity)
 - B. Incorrect possessive adjectives accept (unless this causes ambiguity)
 - C. Wrong gender accept (unless this causes ambiguity)
 - D. Infinitive will normally communicate without ambiguity, so should be accepted
 - E. Wrong tense accept as long as student comprehension is not in question
 - F. Minor spelling errors accept as long as the answer is understandable with no ambiguity. In Section B, this means that even if the spelling error results in the creation of a word in another language, including English, then provided it is a recognisable attempt at a spelling in the target language, it will be credited.

Question	Key idea	Accept	Reject	Mark
	Advantage: (environment is) clean		Environment has become better	
01.1	1 mark			2
	Disadvantage: lack of (good) shopping	shops closed		_
	1 mark			

Question	Key idea	Accept	Reject	Mark
	Advantage: famous places	Many places to see		
	1 mark			
01.2	Disadvantage: house prices are/have increased/hard to buy a house			2
	1 mark			

Question		Accept		
02.1		В		1
Question		Accept		Mark
02.2		E		1
Question	Accept			Mark
02.3		A		
Question	Key idea	Accept	Reject	Mark
03.1 (past)	dance show	Bhangra show	show	1
Question	Key idea	Accept	Reject	Mark
03.2 (future)	games/sport competition		Sports show	1

Question		Accept		Mark
04.1		В		
Question		Accept		
04.2		С		1
Question		Accept		Mark
05		A, D, F (in any order)		
Question	Key idea	Accept	Reject	Mark
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06	due to mosquitos (from dirty water)			1
Question	Key idea	Accept	Reject	Mark
07	causing accidents	distract the drivers concentration		1
Question	Key idea	Accept	Reject	Mark
08	difficult to irrigate the crops	watering the crops	watering the plants	1

Question	Key idea	Accept	Reject	Mark
09.1	reasonable	just about the right price not high not low		1

Question	Key idea	Accept	Reject	Mark
09.2	storyline	Subject/Topic		1

Question	Key idea	Accept	Reject	Mark
09.3	festivals			1

Question		Accept		
10.1		N		
Question		Accept		
10.2		р		1
Question		Accept		
10.3		P/N		
Question		Accept		
10.4		N		1
Question	Key idea	Accept	Reject	Mark
11.1	because girls seem to look after/care for their parents more than boys			1
Question	Key idea	Accept	Reject	Mark
11.2	increase woman's pay/salary	pay (the) same wages to men and women	Neject	1

Question	Key idea	Accept	Reject	Mark
12.1	Advantage: bring knowledge/educational 1 mark Disadvantage: children become aggressive/angry 1 mark			2

Question	Key idea	Accept	Reject	Mark
12.2	Advantage: children don't do mischief 1 mark Disadvantage: fall behind in their education 1 mark			2

Question	Accept	Mark
13.1	D	1
Question	Accept	Mark
13.2	A	1
Question	Accept	Mark
13.3	E	1
Question	Accept	Mark
14.1	Т	1
Question	Accept	Mark
14.2	R	1
Question	Accept	Mark
14.3	G	1

Question	Key idea	Accept	Reject	Mark
15.1	she finished (law) studies	Look for a place to open		1

Question	Key idea	Accept	Reject	Mark
15.2	to help people/to choose her hours/freedom in work schedule			1

Question	Key idea	Accept	Reject	Mark
15.3	financial difficulty/to raise money	shortage of money	Take loan	1

Question	Key idea	Accept	Reject	Mark
15.4	(by preparing) an advertisement (on social media)	Promote on social media		1

Question	Accept	Mark
16.1	В	1
Question	Accept	Mark
16.2	D	1
Question	Accept	Mark
17.1	В	1
Question	Accept	Mark
17.2	С	1
Question	Accept	Mark
18.1	A	1
Question	Accept	Mark
18.2	В	1

Question	Key idea	Accept	Reject	Mark
19.1	ਖਰਾਬ ਮੌਸਮ ਹੋਣ ਕਰਕੇ 1 mark ਲੰਬਾ ਸਫਰ ਹੋਣ ਕਰਕੇ 1 mark			2

Question	Key idea	Accept	Reject	Mark
19.2	ਸਫਰ ਜਲਦੀ ਖਤਮ ਹੋ ਜਾਂਦਾ ਹੈ			1

Question	Key idea	Accept	Reject	Mark
19.3	ਅਨੋਖਾ ਲੱਗਿਆ			1

Total marks = 50