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# GCSE ITALIAN

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Higher Tier Paper 4 Writing

Time allowed: 1 hour 20 minutes

### Materials

You will need no other materials.

### 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.
- You must answer **three** questions.
- You must answer **either** Question 1.1 **or** Question 1.2 **or** Question 1.3. Only answer **one** of these questions.
- You must answer **either** Question 2.1 **or** Question 2.2 **or** Question 2.3. Only answer **one** of these questions.
- You must answer Question 3.
- Answer **all** questions in **Italian**.
- You must answer the questions in the spaces provided. Do **not** write outside the box around each page or on blank pages.
- 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).
- Do all rough work in this answer book. Cross through any work you do not want to be marked.

### Information

- The marks for questions are shown in brackets.
- The maximum mark for this paper is 60.
- In order to score the highest marks for Question 1.1/Question 1.2/Question 1.3, you must write something about each bullet point. You must use a variety of vocabulary and structures and include your opinions.
- In order to score the highest marks in Question 2.1/Question 2.2/Question 2.3, you must write something about both bullet points. You must use a variety of vocabulary and structures and include your opinions and reasons.

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**Theme 1 – Identity and culture**

Scrivi un blog sulla famiglia e i rapporti personali.

Menziona:

- la tua famiglia
- la tua opinione su un membro della famiglia
- com'eri fisicamente da piccolo/a
- i tuoi progetti futuri di matrimonio.

Scrivi circa **90** parole in **italiano**. Rispondi a **tutti** gli aspetti della domanda.

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**Theme 2 – Local, national, international and global areas of interest**

Scrivi un'email al tuo amico italiano.

Menziona:

- la tua casa
- cosa pensi della tua camera da letto
- che cosa hai fatto per aiutare in casa recentemente
- la tua casa ideale.

Scrivi circa **90** parole in **italiano**. Rispondi a **tutti** gli aspetti della domanda.

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**Theme 3 – Current and future study and employment**

Scrivi un tema\* per il tuo professore d'italiano.

Menziona:

- un lavoretto che fai
- cosa hai fatto con i soldi
- la tua opinione di lavorare il weekend
- il lavoro che farai in futuro.

Scrivi circa **90** parole in **italiano**. Rispondi a **tutti** gli aspetti della domanda.

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Answer **either** Question 2.1 **or** Question 2.2 **or** Question 2.3.

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**0 2 . 1** **Theme 1 – Identity and culture**

Scrivi un articolo per una rivista

Menziona:

- i vantaggi e gli svantaggi di usare Internet
- il futuro dei cellulari.

Scrivi circa **150** parole in **italiano**. Rispondi ai **due** aspetti della domanda.

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**Theme 2 – Local, national, international and global areas of interest**

Scrivi un articolo per un sito web dedicato all'ambiente.

Menziona:

- la tua opinione sui problemi ambientali nella tua zona
- quello che dovremmo fare per ridurre l'inquinamento.

Scrivi circa **150** parole in **italiano**. Rispondi ai **due** aspetti della domanda.

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**Theme 3 – Current and future study and employment**

Rispondi a una lettera di un tuo amico italiano.

Menziona:

- le tue passate esperienze scolastiche
- la tua opinione della vita dopo gli esami.

Scrivi circa **150** parole in **italiano**. Rispondi ai **due** aspetti della domanda.

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Translate the following passage into **Italian**.

My school is situated in the suburbs. The teachers are nice but they give us lots of homework. In summer, I enjoy playing tennis outside. However, next winter I would like to go abroad because it always rains here. Last Wednesday I played the violin, after which my friends and I went to an Italian restaurant. It was really enjoyable!

**[12 marks]**

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