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Higher Tier Paper 1 Listening

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**Time allowed: 45 minutes approximately
(including 5 minutes' reading time before the test)**

MATERIALS

You will need no other materials.

- The pauses are pre-recorded for this test.**

At the top of the page, write your surname and other names, your centre number, your candidate number and add your signature.

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INSTRUCTIONS

- You must NOT use a dictionary.
- Use black ink or black ball-point pen.

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.
- In SECTION A, answer the questions in ENGLISH. In SECTION B, answer the questions in URDU.
- You must answer ALL the questions in the spaces provided. Do NOT write 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).



SECTION A**Questions and answers in ENGLISH.****Answer ALL questions in the spaces provided.****TECHNOLOGY**

Listen to Radio Pakistan, where Asad and Salma are discussing the advantages and disadvantages of technology.

Give ONE advantage and ONE disadvantage.

Complete the tables below and opposite in ENGLISH.

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ASAD

ADVANTAGE	DISADVANTAGE

[2 marks]

0	2
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SALMA

ADVANTAGE	DISADVANTAGE

[2 marks]

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[Turn over]



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LIFESTYLE

Listen to a TV programme where three people are describing their friends.

Which of the following is true for each person?

Write the correct letter in each box on page 7.

A	Playing badminton
B	Sleeping a lot
C	Wasting money
D	Playing videogames
E	Helping others
F	Saving money



0 6

0	3	.	1
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FARZANA

[1 mark]

0	3	.	2
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SALEEM

[1 mark]

0	3	.	3
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SHEELA

[1 mark]

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0	4
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YOUTH EMPLOYMENT

Misbah is talking about young people's employment problems.

What was a problem in the PAST and what will be a problem in the FUTURE?

Fill in the boxes in ENGLISH. [2 marks]

Past problem	Current problem	Future problem
	No jobs for educated young people	

2



0 8

MUSIC

Listen to Mohsina discussing the role of Pakistani singers.

Write the correct letter in each box.

0 5

Pakistani...

A	music industry prefers Indian singers.
B	singers are not paid well.
C	singers are popular in India.

[1 mark]

0 6

Pakistani folk music is...

A	loved by Indians.
B	NOT popular in India.
C	too old.

[1 mark]

4

[Turn over]



0	7
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HOLIDAYS

Listen to Nazima talk about her visit to Pakistan.

What THREE things did she DO during her last holiday?

Write the correct letter in each box.

During her last holiday, Nazima...

A	went to Spain with her friends.
B	went to Karachi with her family.
C	went to Spain to attend a wedding.
D	could only meet relatives.
E	stayed at home.
F	did some shopping.
G	went to see the seaside.

[3 marks]

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GLOBAL ISSUES

Year 11 students are talking about environmental issues in their Urdu lesson.

Answer the questions below in ENGLISH.

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What is the cause of pollution? [1 mark]

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How does this problem affect some people?
Give ONE detail. [1 mark]

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How can this issue be resolved? [1 mark]



SOCIAL ISSUES

Listen to these Pakistani students talking about weddings.

Complete the sentences below in ENGLISH.

1	1
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The biggest expense when getting married is [1 mark]

1	2
---	---

Parents also spend money on their sons' [1 mark]

1	3
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The amount of money girls' parents spend is [1 mark]

6

[Turn over]



MODERN TECHNOLOGY

You hear some friends expressing their opinions about modern technology.

What is each person's opinion about the role of modern technology?

For a positive opinion, write P.

For a negative opinion, write N.

For a positive and negative opinion, write P+N.

1	4
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[1 mark]

1	5
---	---

[1 mark]

1	6
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[1 mark]

1	7
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[1 mark]

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1 5

1	8
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SOCIAL ISSUES

Zulaikha is taking part in a talk show and discussing homelessness.

Answer BOTH parts of the question in ENGLISH.

1	8	.	1
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Why do people borrow money? [1 mark]

1	8	.	2
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What other reasons for people to become homeless does Zulaikha find surprising? [1 mark]



1	9
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SPORT

Listen to Fatima on Radio Pakistan who is discussing sports.

Write TWO advantages and TWO disadvantages of sports.

Complete the table in ENGLISH.

	ADVANTAGE	DISADVANTAGE
1		
2		

[4 marks]

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[Turn over]



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LOOKING AFTER THE ENVIRONMENT

Listen to the podcast about the environment.

Which of the following aspects are important for each person?

Write the correct letter in each box, on page 19.

A	Saving the environment is not important.
B	Cleaning their street themselves.
C	Protecting the environment by planting trees.
D	Training people how to keep their houses clean.
E	Using public transport.
F	Teaching students about recycling.



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GUL

[1 mark]

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FAHMIDA

[1 mark]

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AHMAD

[1 mark]

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[Turn over]



1 9

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SOCIAL ISSUES

Listen to the conversation between three young Pakistani people talking about charity work.

How did each of these people and their friends help?

Write the first letter of the correct name in each box.

Write J for Javed.

Write S for Shamim.

Write K for Karamat.

2	1	.	1
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Whose friends collected donations?

[1 mark]

2	1	.	2
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Whose city organised an event to raise money for a children's fund?

[1 mark]

2	1	.	3
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Who helps poor families every month?

[1 mark]



2	2
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TRAVEL AND TOURISM

Noor is taking part in a talk show and shares her travel experience.

Answer BOTH parts of the question in ENGLISH.

2	2
.	1

What is so astonishing about this area?
Give TWO details. [2 marks]

1 _____

2 _____

2	2
.	2

How is the hunting done and by whom?
Give TWO details. [2 marks]

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2 _____

[Turn over for Section B]



SECTION B**Questions and answers in URDU.****Answer ALL questions in the spaces provided.**

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مستقبل کے ارادے

موسمی اور ماہ جبین کے مستقبل کے ارادوں کے بارے میں سنئے۔

دونوں مستقبل میں کیا بننا چاہیں گے؟

دو صحیح جوابات کے سامنے دیے گئے انگریزی حروف نے پے خانوں میں لکھیے۔

پھوں کو پڑھانے کا کام کرنا۔	A
ذاتی کاروبار کرنا	B
وکیل بننا	C
ڈاکٹر بننا	D

2	3	.	1
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موسمی

[1 mark]

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ماہ جبین

[1 mark]



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کھیل

لاہور میں کھیلے جانے والے کبڈی عالمی کپ فائنل کے بارے
میں راشد کی بات چیت سنئے۔

راشد کو کبڈی عالمی کپ فائنل کا کھیل:

2	4	.	1
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شاندار لگا۔	A
دچسپ نہیں لگا۔	B
عجیب لگا۔	C

درست جواب کا انگریزی حرف سامنے دیے
گئے خانے میں لکھئے۔

[1 mark]



پاکستانی ٹیم:

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برابر ہی۔	A
ہار گئی۔	B
جیت گئی۔	C

درست جواب کا انگریزی حرف سامنے دیے

گئے خانے میں لکھیے۔

[1 mark]

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[Turn over]



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تھوار منانا

شاہین ایک ریڈیو شو میں عرب ملکوں میں رمضان منانے کے بارے میں بات کر رہی ہے۔

اکثر مسلمان:

2	5	.	1
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A	کام اور آرام کا وقت بدل لیتے ہیں۔
B	رمضان بالکل نہیں مناتے۔
C	رمضان میں سارا دن سوتے ہیں۔



درست جواب کا انگریزی حرف سامنے دیے
گئے خانے میں لکھیے۔

[1 mark]



2	5	.	2
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رمضان کے دوران:

A	اکثر لوگ کام پر بالکل نہیں جاتے۔
B	دفتر اور دکانیں دوپھر کے بعد کھلتے ہیں۔
C	لوگوں کو کھلے عام کھانے پینے کی اجازت ہے۔

درست جواب کا انگریزی حرف سامنے دیے

گئے خانے میں لکھیے۔

[1 mark]

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[Turn over]



2	6
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صحت بخش زندگی

زلفی ایک ٹاک شو میں صحت بخش طرزِ زندگی کے متعلق بات کر رہا ہے۔

2	6	.	1
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کون سے دو فشمن کے کھانے صحت کے لیے انہیں چھمیں؟
جواب اور دو میں لکھمیں۔

[2 marks]



2	6	.	2
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کھانے کے وقت کون سی دو باتوں کا خیال رکھنا چاہیے؟
جواب اردو میں لکھیں۔

[2 marks]

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END OF QUESTIONS



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