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# GCSE CHINESE (MANDARIN)

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Foundation Tier Paper 3 Reading

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Time allowed: 45 minutes

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# MATERIALS You will need no other materials.

#### INSTRUCTIONS

- You must NOT use a dictionary.
- Use black ink or black ball-point pen.
- Answer ALL questions.
- You must answer ALL the questions in the spaces provided. Do NOT write 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).
- In SECTION A, answer the questions in ENGLISH.
- In SECTION B, translate the passage into ENGLISH.



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.

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SECTION A

**Questions and answers in ENGLISH** 

Answer ALL questions in the spaces provided.



#### FOOD AND DRINK

Some friends are talking about food and drink.

What food or drink does each person like?

Write the correct letter in each box, on page 7.

全 星星 (Xingxing):	我爱吃面条,不爱吃面包。
天 天 (Tiantian):	苹果很好吃,但是我不喜欢喝苹果汁。
净 涛 (Taotao):	我喜欢吃青菜,不喜欢吃肉。



A	bread
В	noodles
C	apples
D	apple juice
Ε	vegetables
F	meat

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Xingxing	[1	mark]
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- 0 1 . 2
- Tiantian [1 mark]
- 0 1 . 3
- Taotao [1 mark]



#### MY DIARY

Leo is a Year 7 student studying Mandarin.

Read Leo's diary.

Complete the sentences in ENGLISH.

三月五日,晚上十点 今天气很热,听说明天 会下雨。上午我去了叔叔家, 谷爷也在。下午我们一起打篮球,很晚才回家。

0 2 . 1

The date is

March. [1 mark]



0 2 . 2

The weather is

today. [1 mark]

0 2 . 3

Leo saw his

at his uncle's house. [1 mark]

0 2 . 4

Leo played

in the afternoon. [1 mark]

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#### **PETS**

Meimei (美美) and her mum are in the pet shop talking about animals.

For each person, write:

- the correct LETTER for the COLOUR of the animal
- the correct NUMBER for the REASON they like the animal in the boxes, on pages 11 and 12.

美美 (Meimei): 看这只黑色的小狗, 它的眼睛很大, 真可爱。 妈妈: 那只白色的鸟很好看, 唱歌也很好听。



# **COLOUR**

A	Green
В	Black
С	Yellow
D	White

# **REASON**

1	It is friendly.	
2	It sings well.	
3	It has big eyes.	
4	It is furry.	

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### Meimei

COL	OUR

REASON

[2 marks]



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Mum

COLOUR

REASON

[2 marks]





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### ME, MY FAMILY AND FRIENDS

Read Xiao Dong's blog.

When in Xiao Dong's life did these things happen?

Write P for something that happened in the PAST.

N for something that is happening NOW.

F for something that is going to happen in the FUTURE.

去年,我每个星期都去电影院看电影。现在,我总是在家听音乐,在网上和朋友们打电听音乐,在网上和朋友们打电话聊天。明年,我想和我的朋友一起去旅行。



0 4 . 1 Travelling	
[1 mark]	
0 4 . 2 Listening to music  [1 mark]	
0 4 . 3 Chatting with friends	
[1 mark]  0 4 . 4  Watching films	
[1 mark]	4

#### **VOLUNTARY WORK**

Read this interview with students. The students are discussing volunteering at an after-school club for children.

For each student, write ONE advantage and ONE disadvantage of volunteering.

Complete the tables in ENGLISH.

Interviewer: 你们喜欢在这里工作吗?

Alex: 在这里我有很多朋友,但是不能看电视。

Linda: 我喜欢和小朋友在一起, 但是每天太忙了。



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#### Alex

ADVANTAGE	DISADVANTAGE

[2 marks]

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# Linda

DISADVANTAGE

[2 marks]

[Turn over]



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#### A NOVEL

Read this extract adapted and abridged from the novel

《两个家庭》by Bing Xin (冰心).

Write T if the statement is TRUE.

F if the statement is FALSE.

NT if the statement is NOT IN THE TEXT.

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# **Glossary:**

亚茜: Yaqian – a Chinese name

太太: wife

街: street

老妈: elderly servant



0 6 . 1	
Yaqian wen yesterday.	t to the writer's house
	[1 mark]
0 6 . 2 The writer v	visited Yaqian after lunch.
	[1 mark]
0 6 . 3 The writer v	valked to Yaqian's house.
	[1 mark]



0 6.4 There are	schools on Yaqian's street.
	[1 mark]
0 6 . 5 The elderly surname.	y servant asked for the writer's
	[1 mark]
0 6 . 6 The writer	sees Yaqian very often.
	[1 mark]



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Yaqian and the writer were classmates for six years.





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# HOME, TOWN, NEIGHBOURHOOD AND REGION

Your Chinese friend has posted a tweet about life in the city.

Read some of the replies.

What are the views on living in a city?

A (Xiaowen): 小文	住在城市很不错,很热闹,可是空气不太好。
名 (Dashan): 大山	我住在市中心,太吵了。
名 (Mumu): 木木	住在城市可以经常去购物中心买



Write P for a positive opinion.

N for a negative opinion.

P + N for a positive and negative opinion.

07.1 Xiaowen	
	[1 mark]
07.2	

[1 mark]

[Turn over]

**Dashan** 



0	7	•	3
Mu	ımı	J	

[1 mark]



#### **ONLINE LESSONS**

A student is talking on Snapchat about her online learning experience.

在家上网课很容易,可是也很没不用很容易,用很我我们是要不用。我们是要不是一样我们的,我们是一样我们的,我们是一样,我们们是一个,我们们的,我们们的,我们们的,我们们的,我们们的,我们们的,我们们们的,我们们们的,我们们们的,我们们们们的。



Which statements are correct?

Write A if only statement A is correct.

B if only statement B is correct.

A + B if both statements A and B are correct.

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The student thinks online learning is...

A	easy.
В	interesting.

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0	8	2

The student doesn't...

B wear school uniform.

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0 8 . 3
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The student...

Α	used	to	walk	to	sc	hoo	I.
	<b>acca</b>		Wall				

B takes his dog for a walk at the end of the day.

[1 mark]
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0 8 . 4

The student...

A can play games during break time.

B feels tired at the end of the day.

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#### MY FAMILY

Lisa is talking about her family.

Which THREE statements are correct?

Write the correct letters in the boxes, on page 33.

我爸爸是工程师,他喜欢他的工作。

我妈妈在医院工作,常常很累,但是她很快乐。

我想做数学老师, 因为数学很有用。



Α	Her dad likes his job.
В	Her dad's work is tiring.
С	Her grandmother is a doctor.
D	Her mum doesn't often feel tired.
E	Lisa wants to be a maths teacher.
F	Lisa thinks that maths is useful.

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	[3 marks]	3



#### **FESTIVAL**

Read the text below from your friend Lili.

Which THREE statements are correct?

Write the correct letters in the boxes, on page 35.

去年的圣诞节很安静。我和 我家人吃了圣诞大餐,还喝了 很多汽水。我们早上去湖边跑 步,下午在公园踢足球。在晚 上,一家人听京剧、看动画 片。



Α	Lili's Christmas was quiet last year.
	Lili and her family had lots of cakes.
С	Lili watched films with her family in the morning.
D	Lili and her family played football in the afternoon.
Ε	Lili and her family listened to American music in the evening.
F	Lili spent the evening with her family.

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	[3 marks]	3



#### **SPORTS**

Read the following advert for a football tournament.

时间:七月十日,星期天,上午十点半

地点: 天坛公园

请穿红色的运动服和黄色的足球鞋。

比赛后会有免费水果。

Answer the following questions in ENGLISH.

1 1 . 1

What time is the tournament? [1 mark]



1 1 . 2 Where will the tournament take place? [1 mark]		
1 1 . 3  What colour football boots do you need to wear? [1 mark]		
1 1 . 4 What is on offer after the tournament? [1 mark]		



1 2

# MOONLIGHT OVER THE LOTUS POND

Read this extract adapted and abridged from 《荷塘月色》 Moonlight over the Lotus Pond by Zhu Ziqing (朱自清).

Choose the correct answer for each question.

Write the correct letter in each box, on pages 39–41.

今晚我悄悄地穿上了大衣, 关上门出去。路上只有我一个 人,背着手散步。我爱热闹, 也爱安静。月光像水一样,静 静地泻在这一片叶子和花上。 荷塘的四面都是树。



Glossary	/
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泻: flows out

荷塘: lotus pond

1 2 . 1

What did the writer do after he put on his coat?

A	closed the window
В	turned the light off
С	shut the door

[1 mark]



1 2 .	. 2
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Who did the writer see on the road?

A	lots of people
В	no one
С	his family

1 2 . 3

What did the writer love?

A	going abroad
В	swimming
С	the quiet

[1 mark]



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### What surrounded the pond?

A	roads
В	flowers
С	trees

[1 mark]
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1 3

#### SCHOOL

Two friends are talking about problems with school.

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

Complete the table in ENGLISH.

王龙 (Wang Long): 以前我的学校离家太远了。现在我不喜欢我的同学。我将来的新学校太小了,也太旧了。

刘红 (Liu Hong): 去年, 我的课外活动很少。今年, 我的课太难了。明年, 我们每天要六点才放学, 太晚了!



1 3 . 1

### WANG LONG

PAST	CURRENT	FUTURE
PROBLEM	PROBLEM	PROBLEM
	I don't like my classmates.	

### [2 marks]

1 3 . 2

### LIU HONG

PAST PROBLEM		FUTURE PROBLEM
	The lessons are too difficult.	

[2 marks]

[Turn over]



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#### SECTION B

#### **Translation into ENGLISH**

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You've received this note from your friend and need to translate it into ENGLISH.

Write in complete sentences. [9 marks]

我住在法国的海边。夏天那里不但漂亮,饭馆也很多。上个星期五,我和哥哥去海里游了泳,非常舒服。





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