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GCSE CHINESE (MANDARIN)

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Higher Tier Paper 4 Writing

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Time allowed: 1 hour 20 minutes

MATERIALS

You will need no other materials.

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INSTRUCTIONS

- You must **NOT** use a dictionary.
- Use black ink or black ball-point pen.
- 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 **CHINESE CHARACTERS**.
- You must answer the questions in the spaces provided. Do **NOT** write on blank pages.
- 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 for 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.**

DO NOT TURN OVER UNTIL TOLD TO DO SO



Answer EITHER Question 1.1 OR Question 1.2 OR Question 1.3.

You must ONLY answer ONE of these questions.

EITHER

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THEME 1 – IDENTITY AND CULTURE

Write a blog post about your shopping habits.

Mention:

- how often you shop
- your views about your local shopping centre
- what you bought last week
- your plan for your next shopping trip.

Write approximately 75 CHINESE CHARACTERS.
Respond to every bullet point. [16 marks]



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OR

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THEME 2 – LOCAL, NATIONAL, INTERNATIONAL AND GLOBAL AREAS OF INTEREST

Write an article for your school newsletter about your local park.

Mention:

- **your views about your local park**
- **your favourite weather for going to the park**
- **how you travelled there last time**
- **who you would like to go with next time.**

**Write approximately 75 CHINESE CHARACTERS.
Respond to every bullet point. [16 marks]**



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THEME 3 – CURRENT AND FUTURE STUDY AND EMPLOYMENT

You are writing an email to your Chinese e-pal about school.

Mention:

- what after-school activity you do at the moment
- your views about the teacher who runs it
- what you did last week in the session
- what subjects you plan to study next year.

**Write approximately 75 CHINESE CHARACTERS.
Respond to every bullet point. [16 marks]**

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Answer EITHER Question 2.1 OR Question 2.2 OR Question 2.3.

You must ONLY answer ONE of these questions.

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THEME 1 – IDENTITY AND CULTURE

You have always enjoyed music. Write a blog for a music website.

Mention:

- your views about music
- a music event you have been to.

Write approximately 125 CHINESE CHARACTERS. Respond to both bullet points. [32 marks]



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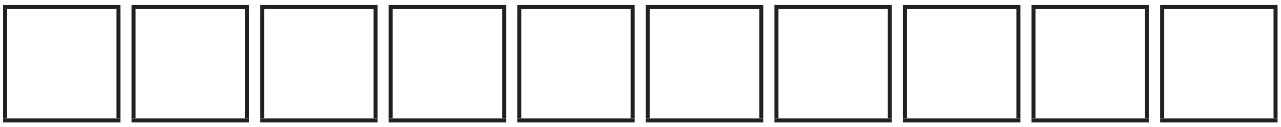
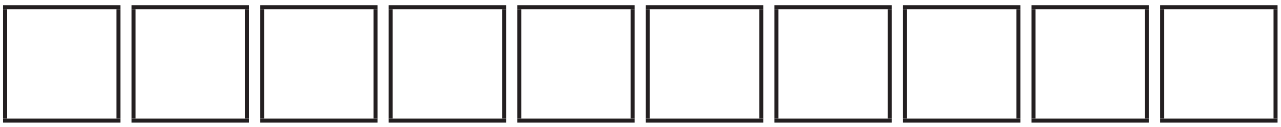
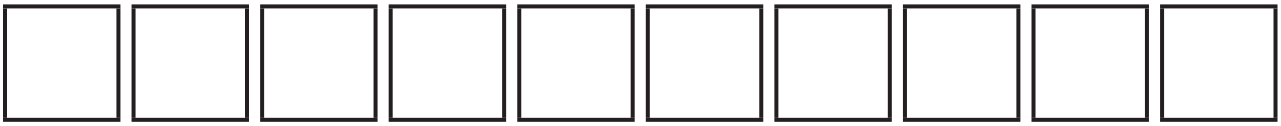
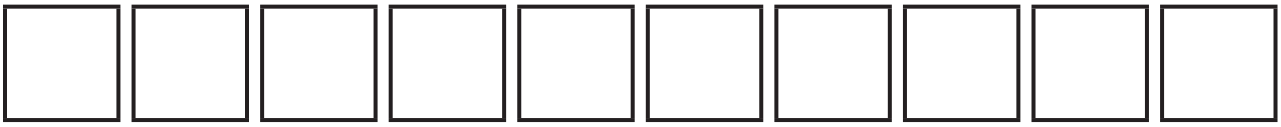
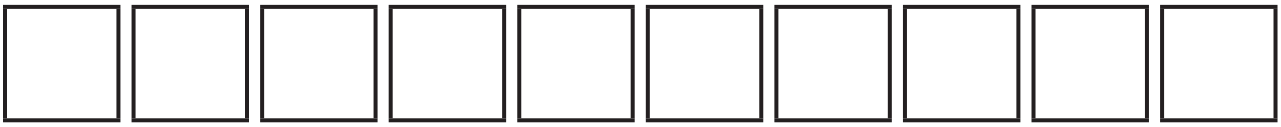
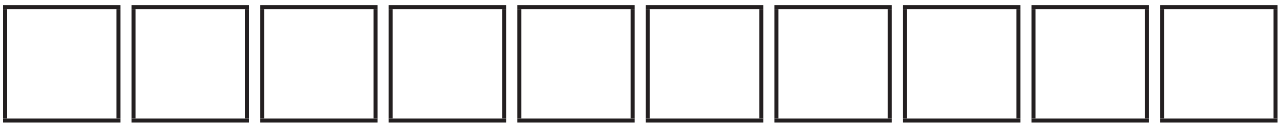
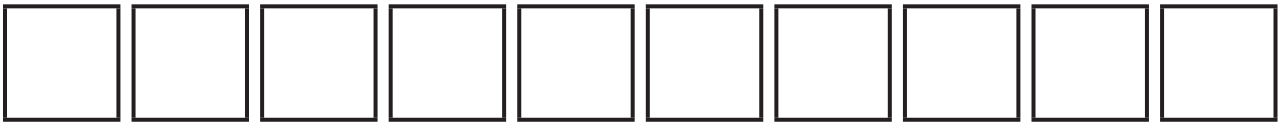
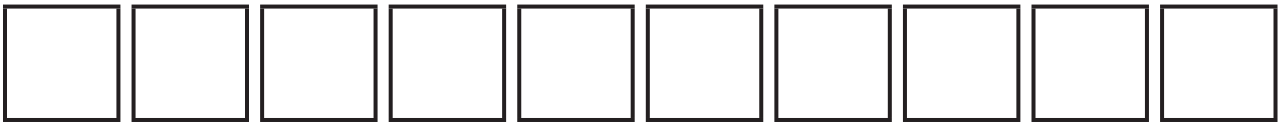
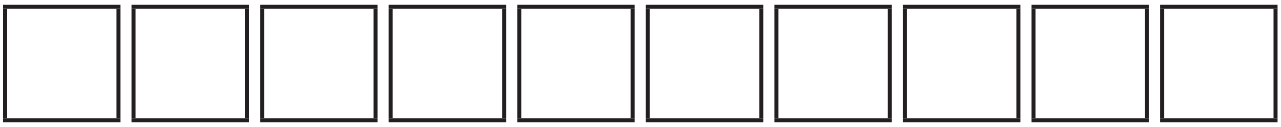
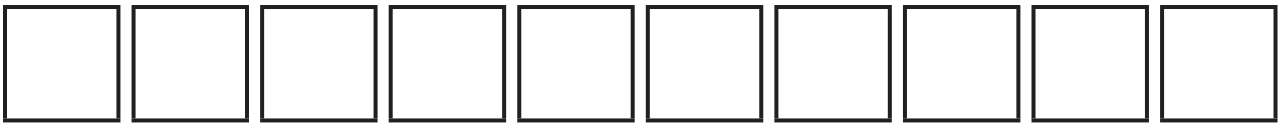
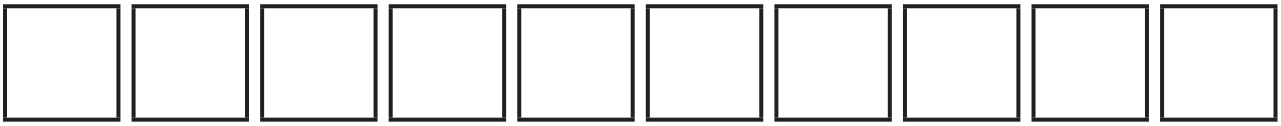
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THEME 2 – LOCAL, NATIONAL, INTERNATIONAL AND GLOBAL AREAS OF INTEREST

A Chinese travel website is asking people to post about their holidays. Write a post for the website.

Mention:

- **your views about holidays**
- **what your dream holiday would be.**

Write approximately 125 CHINESE CHARACTERS. Respond to both bullet points. [32 marks]



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THEME 3 – CURRENT AND FUTURE STUDY AND EMPLOYMENT

You have always enjoyed reading. Write an article about the library for the school newsletter.

Mention:

- **your views about the school library**
- **a recent special event which took place in the school library.**

Write approximately 125 CHINESE CHARACTERS. Respond to both bullet points. [32 marks]



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Translate the passage below into **CHINESE CHARACTERS**.

Last Saturday was my friend's birthday. I went with my friend to a Chinese restaurant. We drank tea. Tea tastes better than coffee. I study Mandarin at school. I think Chinese lessons are more and more interesting. In five years, I would like to teach English in China. [12 marks]

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