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Instructions to Candidates

In the boxes above, write your centre number, candidate number, your surname and initials, and your signature.

Materials required for examination

Answer EITHER Question 1 OR Question 2.

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Write your answer in the space provided in this question paper.

Information for Candidates

This unit assesses the following Assessment Objectives: AO5i, AO1 and AO4. They are listed at the end of this paper.

The total mark for this paper is 50. All questions carry equal marks.

Dictionaries may **not** be used in this examination.

The texts for use with Questions 1 and 2 are on the enclosed insert. This insert is NOT to be returned with the paper.

Advice to Candidates

You are reminded of the importance of clear English and careful presentation in your answer.

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This unit targets Assessment Objective AO5i and also assesses AO1 and AO4.

Answer EITHER Question 1 OR Question 2.

1. Read Texts A and B on pages 2 and 3 of the Insert.

Text A is a transcription of a conversation between three adults about a digital camcorder

Text B is taken from the inside cover of the novel *Daughter of Fortune* by Isabel Allende.

Describe and interpret the language features in Texts A and B. In your answer comment on how spoken and written language features suit both the audience and purpose.

Remember to make use of appropriate terminology.

Key to Text A

(.) Micropause – of one short syllable

(1.0) Timed pause

// // Places where speakers overlap

= Latch on (i.e. no pause, no overlap)

zoom Held syllable

that Strongly stressed word

st. Unfinished word {} Paralinguistic feature

Non-standard spelling is used selectively to indicate pronunciation.

A: Male B: Female

C: Female

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(Total 50 marks)



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2. Read Texts C and D on pages 4 and 5 of the Insert.

Text C is an extract from a conversation between two adults.

Text D is an extract from The Highway Code.

Describe and explain the distinctive language features of Texts C and D. In your answer comment on the ways in which the spoken and written language features are adapted to the nature of their context, audience and purpose.

Remember to make use of appropriate terminology.

Key to Text C

(.) Micropause – of one short syllable

(1.0) Timed pause

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= Latch on (i.e. no pause, no overlap)

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Non-standard spelling is used selectively to indicate pronunciation.

A: Female B: Female

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(Total 50 marks)

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