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Unit 2 Reading

Monday 1 June 2015 1.30 pm to 2.20 pm

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You will need no other materials.

Time allowed

- 50 minutes

Instructions

- Use black ink or black ball-point pen.
- Fill in the boxes at the top of this page.
- Answer **all** questions.
- You must answer the questions in the spaces provided. Do not write your answer outside the box around each page or on blank pages.
- Answer the questions in **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 45.
- You must **not** use a dictionary.

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Answer **all** questions in **English** in the spaces provided.

1 Chinese Spring Festival

What is mentioned?

Write the correct letter in the boxes.



Example:

中国人过春节时都喜欢看舞龙表演。

A	dragon dancing
B	holding parties
C	playing games

A

1 (a)

春节是中国人的新年，是中国的一个重要节日。

A	a traditional festival
B	a popular festival
C	an important festival

[1 mark]

1 (b)

每年春节，中国人都要在家里过年。

A	visiting temples
B	celebrating at home
C	hanging up lanterns

[1 mark]

1 (c)

新年前的晚上，全家人要在一起吃饭。

A	singing
B	dining
C	dancing

[1 mark]



1 (d)

老年人常常爱喝茶，年轻人爱喝汽水。

A	rice wine
B	beer
C	tea

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[1 mark]

1 (e)

很多人看电视上的新年节目，也有人会唱歌。

A	watching TV
B	fireworks
C	going out

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[1 mark]

1 (f)

新年那一天，人们会出门去看朋友。

A	wearing new clothes
B	visiting friends
C	enjoying a show

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[1 mark]

1 (g)

因为很多人出来，所以商店在新年都会开门。

A	shops are open
B	shops are closed
C	some open, most closed

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[1 mark]

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Jobs

Dandan writes about his family.



我爸爸是一个工人，他喜欢他的工作，因为他的爱好是做东西。妈妈是工程师，她和爸爸常常在一起工作，爸爸不太喜欢和妈妈一起工作。

姐姐想做一个护士，她很喜欢小孩子。我喜欢表演，将来想做一个电影演员。



Read the following statements.

Write: **T** (true)
F (false)
? (not in text).

Example: His father is a manual worker.

T

2 (a) His father likes his work because his hobby is making things.

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[1 mark]

2 (b) His mother does not enjoy working with his father.

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[1 mark]

2 (c) His sister would like to become a nurse.

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[1 mark]

2 (d) He would like to become a doctor.

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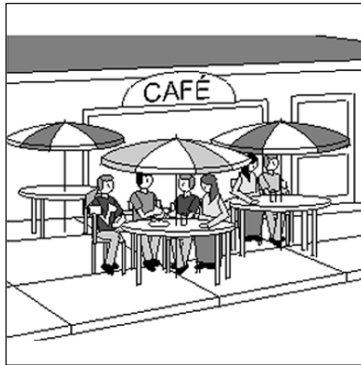
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The generation gap



You read this funny story in a magazine.

几个年轻人在一家咖啡馆里玩游戏玩得很高兴。

一个老年人对他们说：“请安静一点好吗？我不能看书了。”

一个年轻人说：“为什么？我五岁就能看书了！”

一个年轻人说：“不好，这儿是咖啡馆，不是图书馆。”



Answer the questions in **English**.

3 (a) What were the young people doing in the café?

[1 mark]

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3 (b) What were they asked to do?

[1 mark]

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3 (c) How did one of the young people answer? Give **one** detail.

[1 mark]

.....

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Lidong writes a letter to Aunt Yang, a TV agony aunt.

杨阿姨 (Aunt Yang): 您好!

我小时候生了一场大病，两年多没能去上学。现在身体比以前好得多了，可以每天去上课。

但我现在喜欢吃很多不健康的东西。我觉得吃的时候我会很快乐，不过现在越来越胖，跑步都跑不动了。

妈妈觉得中药可以帮助我，最近带我去看了中医。问题是中药又难吃又没用，我真地吃不下去。

杨阿姨，我该怎么办？

立东 (Lidong)



What does Lidong say about his health?

Write **P** if his opinion is positive

Write **N** if his opinion is negative

Write **P+N** if his opinion is both positive **and** negative.

Example: His health when he was little?

N

4 (a) His health now?

[1 mark]

4 (b) His eating habits now?

[1 mark]

4 (c) His thoughts about his eating habits?

[1 mark]

4 (d) His mother's view on Chinese medicine?

[1 mark]

4 (e) His own view on Chinese medicine?

[1 mark]

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School

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B



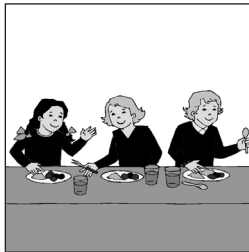
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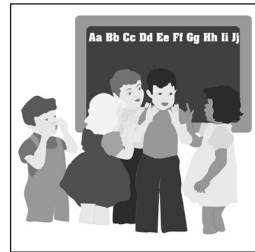
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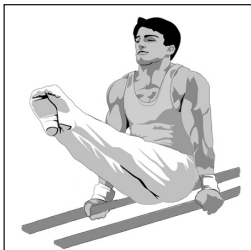
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F



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Which activity does each person mention below?

Write the correct letter in the boxes.

5 (a)

学校运动中心里的体操房是我和我的朋友最喜欢去的地方。

[1 mark]

5 (b)

我们学校的餐厅是一流的，喜欢中餐的学生还有筷子用，有意思吧？

[1 mark]

5 (c)

我很爱看电影。学校图书馆里有很多电影，我们去那儿找几个看。

[1 mark]

5 (d)

我常常跟我弟弟在图书馆旁边的音乐厅里练习唱歌，我们有一个自己的乐队。

[1 mark]

5 (e)

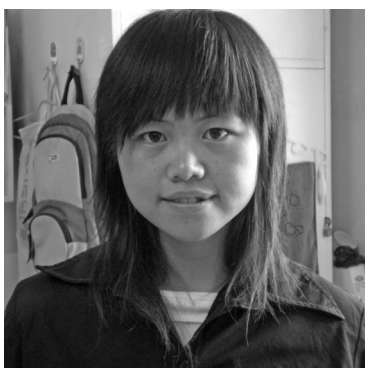
我一有机会就会去学校的运动场跟朋友一起打球。

[1 mark]



6

Relationships



Tingting is talking about her friends and family.

Write the correct letter in the boxes.

我和我的朋友回家后喜欢在网上聊天，一边聊天一边做作业，很好玩的。

我们周末喜欢去商店购物。我们住的地方离市中心有一点儿远，所以常常叫我哥哥开车送我们去。

为什么我哥哥对我这么好？因为他喜欢我的好朋友木兰 (Mulan) ...



6 (a) She and her friends enjoy ...

A	watching TV.
B	chatting.
C	playing games.

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[1 mark]

6 (b) What do they do at the weekend?

A	go shopping
B	work in shops
C	go online

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[1 mark]

6 (c) How do they go to the city centre?

A	bus
B	train
C	car

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[1 mark]

6 (d) Mulan is Tingting's ...

A	elder sister.
B	best friend.
C	mother.

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[1 mark]

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Free time



These people are talking about their free time.

Complete the sentences by writing the correct letter in the boxes.

7 (a)

我最喜欢山上，有空的时候我常去
 山。

[1 mark]

7 (b)

我没有多少钱，但我总是喜欢逛
 商店。

[1 mark]

7 (c)

一到周末我 很开心，可以做自己
 喜欢做的事情。

[1 mark]

7 (d)

我喜欢打 ，每个星期天早上我都
 在我家的花园里打。

[1 mark]




A	太极
B	足球
C	爬
D	虽然
E	走
F	就

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8

Holidays

 Message

X

毛毛 (Maomao):

我来法国度假两个多星期了，玩得很高兴，每天都在森林里骑自行车。

我们前天晚上去看了国际游泳比赛，看到了戴利 (Tom Daley) 跳水。妈妈问我哪个是戴利，我说您听到大家大声叫喊的时候，那就是他出场了。

新明 (Xinming)

Answer the following questions in **English**.

- 8 (a) How long **exactly** has Xinming been on holiday? [1 mark]

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- 8 (b) Where did he ride his bike in France? [1 mark]

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- 8 (c) When did he go to see an international swimming competition? [1 mark]

.....



8 (d) What happened when Tom Daley came out to compete?

[1 mark]

.....

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9

Environmental issues

林林 (Linlin) is having a chat with 大宁 (Daning).

林林: 大宁, 下午科学课的环境讨论, 你准备好了吗?

大宁: 没有, 我不知道我可以说些什么。

林林: 虽然大家都知道环境问题很重要, 但是很少人愿意少坐飞机, 住小一点的房子, 或者天冷时在家里多穿些衣服。

大宁: 是啊, 我夏天去了东南亚。有一天天不热, 但百货商店里空调开得太冷了, 冷得我当场就感冒了。

林林: 所以我们学校可以鼓励大家从小事做起: 不再开车上班的老师可以加一点工资, 开始走路上学的学生可以得一个爱护环境奖。

大宁: 好建议, 上完课后你应该给校长写一封信。

Answer the questions in **English**. (There is no need to write complete sentences but you **must** give full details in your answers.)

9 (a)

What are they going to do in the science lesson today?

[1 mark]

.....



9 (b) Why has Daning not prepared for the lesson? **[1 mark]**

.....

9 (c) Give **two** changes Linlin says everyone could make in their lives. **[2 marks]**

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9 (d) (i) Where did Daning go during the summer? **[1 mark]**

.....

9 (d) (ii) What does he say caused him to catch a cold? **[1 mark]**

.....

9 (e) In Linlin's opinion, what changes could teachers and students make to help the environment?

9 (e) (i) Teachers **[1 mark]**

9 (e) (ii) Students **[1 mark]**

9 (f) What does Daning suggest that Linlin should do about this issue? **[1 mark]**

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END OF QUESTIONS



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