

Please write clearly in block capitals.

Centre number

--	--	--	--	--

Candidate number

--	--	--	--

Surname

Forename(s)

Candidate signature

GCSE CHINESE (MANDARIN)

H

Higher Tier Unit 2 Reading

Monday 6 June 2016

Afternoon

Time allowed: 50 minutes

Materials

You will need no other materials.

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.



There are no questions printed on this page

**DO NOT WRITE ON THIS PAGE
ANSWER IN THE SPACES PROVIDED**



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

1 Friends



兰兰 (Lanlan):

我今年十五岁，有很多好朋友。我们一起去电影院，也去运动中心游泳。
我爱我的学校，学校有很多好老师。

庆林 (Qinglin):

我是上海人，今年十五岁，两个月前来英国学习。我的英语不好，所以没有什么朋友。
我喜欢我的学校，老师常常给我多上课，现在我英语说得好多了。

Who do the following statements apply to?

Write:

L for Lanlan

Q for Qinglin

L+Q for both Lanlan and Qinglin.

Example: I am 15 years old.

L + Q

1 (a) I came to Britain recently.

[1 mark]

1 (b) I have many friends.

[1 mark]

1 (c) I like school.

[1 mark]

1 (d) I had extra lessons.

[1 mark]

4

Turn over ►



2 Social issues

Which issues are mentioned by these people?

大山(Dashan): 在我看来, 现在中国跟英国一样,
女同学学习学得比男同学好。

平玲(Pingling): 我很喜欢婷婷(Tingting), 可是她班
上的男孩子对她不好, 我很担心。

新明(Xinming): 我和我爸爸是好朋友, 我很高兴。
要是我妈妈也在家就更好了。

A	bullying
B	environment
C	education
D	family
E	unemployment



Write the correct letter in each box.

2 (a) Dashan

[1 mark]

2 (b) Pingling

[1 mark]

2 (c) Xinming

[1 mark]

3

Turn over for the next question

Turn over ►



3 Environmental issues

Which issues are mentioned?

Match the issues to the Chinese text.



A	water wastage
B	recycling
C	transport
D	litter
E	heavy rainfall

Write the correct letter in each box.

3 (a) 很多人外出就坐飞机，不坐火车。

[1 mark]



3 (b) 天气不正常，夏天常会下太大的雨。

☐

[1 mark]

3 (c) 有的人天天洗车，他们用水用得太多了。

☐

[1 mark]

3

Turn over for the next question

Turn over ►



4 Xiaogang's birthday

Complete the following sentences.

Write the correct letter in each box, do not leave a blank space.

Example:

明天我的好朋友小刚(Xiaogang)

A

 生日，我们去他家玩。

A	过
B	有
C	在

4 (a) 他喜欢

 运动，学习也学得很好。

A	打
B	做
C	踢

[1 mark]

4 (b) 他最喜欢篮球，我给他

 了一双球鞋。

A	头
B	卖
C	买

[1 mark]



4 (c) 他也喜欢音乐，他爸爸妈妈 了他一台新唱机。

A	说
B	给
C	到

[1 mark]

4 (d) 我们说好了，吃过饭以后就一起 音乐。

A	听
B	要
C	唱

[1 mark]

4

Turn over for the next question

Turn over ►



5 School pressures

Match the questions and answers. Use each answer only once.

Write the correct letter in each box.

Questions

Example:

学习压力很大吗?

C

5 (a) 每天花多少时间学习?

[1 mark]

5 (b) 哪一个科目最难?

[1 mark]

5 (c) 最喜欢上什么课?

[1 mark]

5 (d) 放学后喜欢做什么?

[1 mark]

Answers	
A	数学课, 有很多作业, 考试也不容易。
B	星期六不上课, 我很喜欢。
C	是, 每天都有太多的功课。
D	上网跟朋友聊天。
E	我每天坐火车上学, 很累。
F	我喜欢学校的音乐课, 我唱歌唱得不错。
G	大约三个多小时吧。



Turn over for the next question

**DO NOT WRITE ON THIS PAGE
ANSWER IN THE SPACES PROVIDED**

Turn over ►



6 Holidays

Which place did each person visit? Write the correct letter in each box.

6 (a) 今年暑假我们去了香港，没有去广州。

A

B

C



Singapore



Hong Kong



Guangzhou

[1 mark]

6 (b) 我们一起去了一个庙，这个庙美极了。

A

B

C



[1 mark]



- 6 (c) 爸爸对庙不感兴趣，他一个人去当地的体育场看了一场比赛。

A



B



C


☐

[1 mark]

- 6 (d) 我哥哥每天都只要去海边游泳，对美术馆和博物馆不感兴趣。

A



B



C


☐

[1 mark]

Turn over for the next question

Turn over ►



7 Jobs

Which job would these people like to do in the future?

Write the correct letter in each box.

7 (a)

我从小就喜欢火车，爸爸跟我一起花了很多时间做了一辆小火车。我高兴极了，长大后要做一个工程师。

[1 mark]**7 (b)**

我爸爸很有名，很多人都请他看病。虽然他每天都很忙，但帮了很多病人。我将来要做一样的工作。

[1 mark]**7 (c)**

以前我父母不喜欢我想做的工作。一天我做了很多又好吃又好看的菜，现在他们都说我会是一个有艺术风格的厨师！

[1 mark]**7 (d)**

虽然很多人说体育训练很累，将来也很难成为明星，但我每天训练后一点都不累。看到进步，我非常快乐。

[1 mark]

A

Artist

B

Sports Star

C

Train Driver

D

Chef

E

Doctor

F

Engineer

4

Turn over for the next question

Turn over ►



8 New technology

晓月 (Xiaoyue):

现在的新手机又好又便宜。我每天坐火车回家，路上都用它做功课，听音乐。在中国旅行时，想知道火车站离我们住的饭店有多远，马上就可以看到。学习外语发音时，它太有用了。

子雨 (Ziyu)

我也觉得新手机很好玩。上网、看节目、玩游戏等等，我都很喜欢。

问题是新手机都很贵，不是每个人都有买新手机的钱。如果一个年轻人想买又没有钱，就会有很多压力。

Read the following statements.

Write: **T** (true)

F (false)

? (not in the text)

- 8 (a)** Xiaoyue and Ziyu both like the new mobile phones.

☐

[1 mark]

- 8 (b)** Xiaoyue only uses his mobile phone to do homework on his way home.

☐

[1 mark]

- 8 (c)** Ziyu finds her mobile a good way to learn foreign languages.

☐

[1 mark]



8 (d) Xiaoyue could not use his mobile phone when he was in China.

☐

[1 mark]

8 (e) Ziyu thinks the new mobile phones are all expensive.

☐

[1 mark]

5

Turn over for the next question

Turn over ►



9

School trip



Choose the correct letter from the grid below to complete the following sentences.
Write the correct letter in each box.

A	的
B	地
C	得
D	能
E	会
F	除了
G	因为



9 (a) 去年我和同学们一起参加了中国北京夏令营，玩得很高兴。

[1 mark]

9 (b) 老师带我们去了长城。 西西(Xixi)以外，我们大家都爬上了长城上最高的地方。

[1 mark]

9 (c) 西西(Xixi)上个星期打篮球的时候伤了脚，不走很多路。

[1 mark]

9 (d) 北京现在有太多的空气污染问题，所以我们已经看不到北京城里的故宫了。

[1 mark]

9 (e) 但我们大家都喜欢北京，我们说好两年后一定再来北京玩。

[1 mark]

5

Turn over for the next question

Turn over ►



10

Shopping

A teacher is talking to some students about shopping.

老师(Teacher)

今天我们谈谈年轻人购物，好不好？

国伟(Guowei)

我很会买东西。我姐姐去买衣服的时候，常常要我跟她一起去。她觉得我比她的朋友更会买东西。

有的同学觉得我喜欢购物很好笑，可是我觉得他们不懂我的生活。

明月(Mingyue)

我也喜欢购物。我在学校女子网球队打球，常常去体育用品商店买网球裙。妈妈和姐姐喜欢去百货商店，可我对时装没什么兴趣。

我的姐姐喜欢买手提包，一个人就有二十个左右的手提包，很可笑。

天林(Tianlin)

明月说得对，很多人现在太喜欢买东西了。我觉得人跟人比，不应该比谁的衣服好看，应该比谁的能力强。

不过，购物也有好处。购物可以是一种很好的运动。



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

10 (a) What sort of people does the teacher ask the students to talk about? [1 mark]

10 (b) What do Guowei and his sister often buy together? [1 mark]

10 (c) What do Guowei's classmates think is funny? [1 mark]

10 (d) What is Guowei's opinion of his classmates? [1 mark]

10 (e) What does Mingyue think about fashion? [1 mark]

10 (f) (i) What does Mingyue's sister like to buy? [1 mark]

10 (f) (ii) How many does she have? [1 mark]

10 (g) What does Tianlin agree with Mingyue about? [1 mark]

10 (h) What benefit does Tianlin think there is to shopping? [1 mark]

END OF QUESTIONS



There are no questions printed on this page

**DO NOT WRITE ON THIS PAGE
ANSWER IN THE SPACES PROVIDED**



There are no questions printed on this page

**DO NOT WRITE ON THIS PAGE
ANSWER IN THE SPACES PROVIDED**



There are no questions printed on this page

**DO NOT WRITE ON THIS PAGE
ANSWER IN THE SPACES PROVIDED**

Copyright information

For confidentiality purposes, from the November 2015 examination series, acknowledgements of third party copyright material will be published in a separate booklet rather than including them on the examination paper or support materials. This booklet is published after each examination series and is available for free download from www.aqa.org.uk after the live examination series.

Permission to reproduce all copyright material has been applied for. In some cases, efforts to contact copyright-holders may have been unsuccessful and AQA will be happy to rectify any omissions of acknowledgements. If you have any queries please contact the Copyright Team, AQA, Stag Hill House, Guildford, GU2 7XJ.

Copyright © 2016 AQA and its licensors. All rights reserved.

