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Pearson Edexcel Level 1/Level 2 GCSE (9–1)

Time 1 hour 25 minutes

Paper
reference

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Chinese

(spoken Mandarin/spoken Cantonese)

PAPER 4: Writing in Chinese

Higher Tier

You do not need any other materials.

Total Marks

Instructions

- Use **black** ink or ball-point pen.
- **Fill in the boxes** at the top of this page with your name, centre number and candidate number.
- Answer **either** Question 1(a) **or** Question 1(b) and **either** Question 2(a) **or** 2(b), and Question 3.
- Answer the questions in the spaces provided
– *there may be more space than you need.*
- Write your answers in full sentences.
- You must **not** use a dictionary.

Information

- The total mark for this paper is 60.
- The marks for **each** question are shown in brackets
– *use this as a guide as to how much time to spend on each question*
– *you should spend approximately 15 minutes on the translation question.*

Advice

- Read each question carefully before you start to answer it.
- Check your answers if you have time at the end.

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Use of Chinese Characters

All questions are printed twice, once in English and traditional/full characters and once in English and simplified characters. Questions in English and traditional/full characters begin on page 3. Questions in English and simplified characters begin on page 11. **You may work from whichever version you wish.** Please indicate which set of questions you intend to work from by putting a cross in one box below.

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繁體字

TRADITIONAL/FULL CHARACTER VERSION

(Simplified Character Version begins on page 11)



TRADITIONAL/FULL CHARACTERS

Choose either Question 1(a) or Question 1(b).

If you choose Question 1(a) put a cross in the box .

Cultural life

- 1 (a) Your Chinese friend, Da Ming, has written to ask about young people's lives in the UK.

Write a reply to Da Ming.

You **must** refer to the following points:

- a film you watched recently
- your opinion about watching films online
- your reading habits
- your plans for next weekend.

Write approximately 80–110 characters in **Chinese**.

Use language appropriate for an **informal** email.

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If you choose Question 1(b) put a cross in the box .

Holidays

- 1 (b) A magazine wants to know about young people's opinions on holidays.

Write an article for the magazine.

You **must** refer to the following points:

- what you did on your last holiday
- describe the journey
- your opinion about going on holiday with friends
- where you would like to go on your next holiday.

Write approximately 80–110 characters in **Chinese**.

Use language appropriate for an **informal** article.

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(Total for Question 1 = 20 marks)



TRADITIONAL/FULL CHARACTERS

Choose either Question 2(a) or Question 2(b).

If you choose Question 2(a) put a cross in the box .

Friendship

- 2 (a) A local youth club is looking for stories about friendship to be published on their website.

Write an article to interest the website's editor.

You **must** refer to the following points:

- describe your best friend
- how you recently spent time with your friend
- how you will use technology to stay in touch with friends in the future
- your opinion on what makes a good friend.

Justify your ideas and your opinions.

Write approximately 130–180 characters in **Chinese**.

Use language appropriate for a **formal** article.

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TRADITIONAL/FULL CHARACTERS

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Playing your part

- 2 (b) An environmental charity is looking for Chinese-speaking volunteers to help at an international exhibition.

Write a letter to convince the charity that you are suitable.

You **must** refer to the following points:

- why you want to help
- what you have done in the past for your local environment
- your opinion on why it is good for young people to volunteer
- what good cause(s) you want to support in the future.

Justify your ideas and your opinions.

Write approximately 130–180 characters in **Chinese**.

Use language appropriate for a **formal** letter.

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SIMPLIFIED CHARACTER VERSION

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SIMPLIFIED CHARACTERS

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SIMPLIFIED CHARACTERS

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Playing your part

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SIMPLIFIED CHARACTERS

Further study

3 Translate the following passage into **Chinese**.

I like sport. Apart from having tennis lessons at school, I also attend competitions at weekends. In the future, I want to go to university in America because there are many good training centres there.

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TOTAL FOR PAPER = 60 MARKS

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