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General Marking Guidance

- All candidates must receive the same treatment. Examiners must mark the first candidate in exactly the same way as they mark the last.
- Mark schemes should be applied positively. Candidates must be rewarded for what they have shown they can do rather than penalised for omissions.
- Examiners should mark according to the mark scheme not according to their perception of where the grade boundaries may lie.
- There is no ceiling on achievement. All marks on the mark scheme should be used appropriately.
- All the marks on the mark scheme are designed to be awarded. Examiners should always award full marks if deserved, i.e. if the answer matches the mark scheme. Examiners should also be prepared to award zero marks if the candidate's response is not worthy of credit according to the mark scheme.
- Where some judgement is required, mark schemes will provide the principles by which marks will be awarded and exemplification may be limited.
- When examiners are in doubt regarding the application of the mark scheme to a candidate's response, the team leader must be consulted.
- Crossed out work should be marked UNLESS the candidate has replaced it with an alternative response.

GCSE Japanese Higher tier

Paper 3 Mark scheme

All candidates are expected to answer in English. Answers in Japanese will not be credited.

SECTION A

Question number	Answer	Mark
1(a)	No friends / He couldn't see his friends.	(1)

Question number	Answer	Reject	Mark
1(b)	Lesson 1 / period 1		(1)

Question number	Answer	Mark
1(c)	The time had changed / the clocks had changed	(1)

Question number	Answer	Mark
2(i)	C	(1)

Question number	Answer	Mark
2(ii)	D	(1)

Question number	Answer	Mark
2(iii)	B	(1)

Question number	Answer	Mark
2(iv)	D	(1)

Question number	Answer	Mark
2(v)	A	(1)

Question number	Answer	Mark
3(a)	(going for) a walk	(1)

Question number	Answer	Mark
3(b)	Apples	(1)

Question number	Answer	Mark
3(c)	Have a cup of tea – give the mark for the word tea	(1)

Question number	Answer	Mark
3(d)	Takeshi had finished work / given up his job / lost his job	(1)

Question number	Answer	Mark
4(a)	Nao	(1)

Question number	Answer	Mark
4(b)	Satomi	(1)

Question number	Answer	Mark
4(c)	Toshiki	(1)

Question number	Answer	Mark
4(d)	Akio	(1)

Question number	Answer	Mark
4(e)	Toshiki	(1)

Question number	Answer	Mark
5(a)	In a (swimming) pool	(1)

Question number	Answer	Mark
5(b)	Speaking / answering (politely / to adults) / Speech	(1)

Question number	Answer	Mark
5(c)	Horses / riding / horse riding	(1)

Question number	Answer	Mark
5(d)	Either of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Elderly people (in Japan) • Why people (in Okinawa) live to an old age 	(1)

Question number	Answer	Mark
5(e)	Long life	(1)

Question number	Answer	Mark
6(i)	C	(1)

Question number		Mark
6(ii)	D	(1)

Question number	Answer	Mark
6(iii)	C	(1)

Question number	Answer	Mark
6(iv)	A	(1)

Question number	Answer	Mark
6(v)	B	(1)

Question number	Answers	Mark
7(a)	Megumi	(1)

Question number	Answers	Mark
7(b)	Kenta	(1)

Question number	Answers	Mark
7(c)	Takashi	(1)

Question number	Answers	Mark
7(d)	Kenta	(1)

Question number	Answers	Mark
7(e)	Any one of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • It starts from a seaside town (1) • It goes to a hot spring (1) • It goes into the mountains (1) • It goes there and back (1) 	(1)

Question number	Answers	Mark
7(f)	Any one of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • He said he didn't want to get off (1) • He said he would wait for them there (whilst playing) (1) 	(1)

Question number	Answers	Mark
8(a)	Either of <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Her parents grew flowers (1) • She likes nature (1) 	(1)

Question	Answers	Mark
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8(b)	The plants started to grow / The plants were visible above the ground / the plants popped their green heads from out of the soil	(1)

Question number	Answers	Mark
8(c)	(The workmen) trod / stepped on the flowers.	(1)

Question number	Answers	Mark
8(d)	She enjoyed them at the same time as the cherry blossoms / together with flower viewing	(1)

Question number	Answers	Mark
8(e)	Climbing up the mountain to see the flowers / The mountain opens (for climbing)	(1)

Question number	Answer	Mark
9(i)	A, C, F	(3)

Question number	Answers	Mark
9(ii)	He has his own blog.	(1)

Question number	Answer	Mark
9(iii)	Any one of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • He used to live in a horrible house • His owners weren't kind • They threw Pin out into the park. 	(1)

SECTION B

Question Number	Indicative content	Mark
10	Last week, English high school students came to (my / our) school, so I / we introduced them to Japanese culture. We did things like the tea ceremony and eating rice with chopsticks. At the weekend we plan to go to a lake.	

Mark	Descriptor
0	No rewardable communication.
1-3	The meaning of the passage is partially communicated. Some errors in the translation prevent meaning being conveyed, e.g. frequent use of incorrect words, omitted phrases , incorrect tenses.
4-6	The meaning of the passage is mostly communicated. Occasional errors affect the flow or clarity of the translation, e.g. incorrect words, omitted words, inexact syntax.
7	The meaning of the passage is fully communicated. Any errors do not detract from the overall effectiveness of the translation.