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General Certificate of Secondary Education  
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# Modern Hebrew

**46754**

## Unit 4 Writing

Friday 25 May 2012 9.00 am to 10.00 am

You will need no other materials.

### Time allowed

- 1 hour

### Instructions

- Use black ink or black ball-point pen.
- Fill in the boxes at the top of this page.
- Answer **three** questions.
- Answer Question 1, **either** Question 2(a) **or** 2(b) and **either** Question 3(a) **or** 3(b).
- Answer the questions in **Modern Hebrew**.
- You must answer the questions in the spaces provided. Do not write your answer outside the box around each page or on blank pages.
- 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 50.
- You may use a bilingual dictionary during this test.



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Answer the questions in the spaces provided.

- 1 Your Israeli friend wants to know which cities you would like to visit in Israel.  
List in **Modern Hebrew**, your **four** favourite cities.

**Example:** באר - שבע

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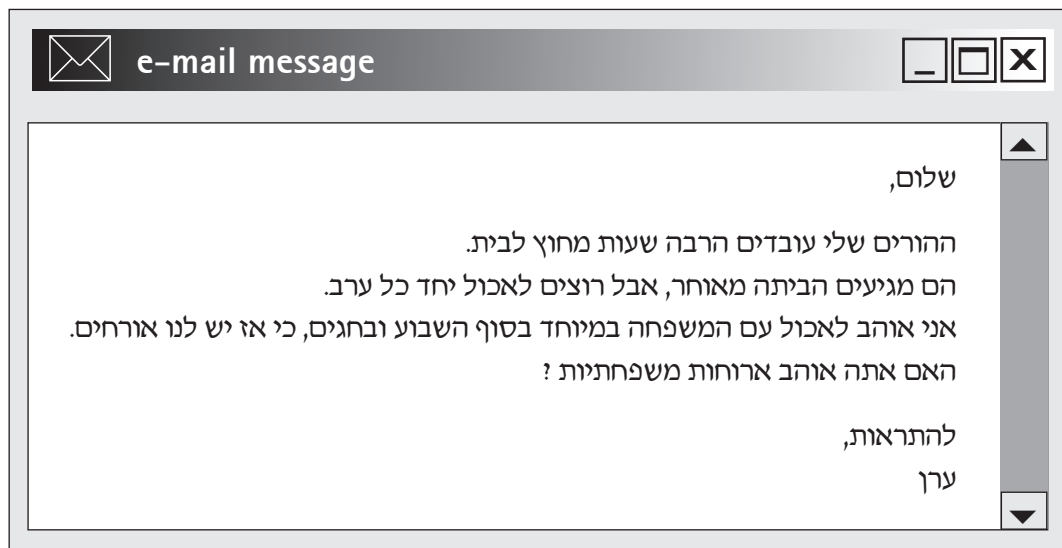
Answer **either** Question 2(a) **or** Question 2(b).

You must **not** answer **both** of these questions.

### EITHER

2 (a)

You have received this e-mail from your Israeli friend, Eran. He says that his parents work long hours away from home. They arrive home late but they want to eat together every evening. He likes to eat with his family, especially at the weekend and at festivals, because they have guests. He asks whether you like family meals.



Reply to Eran's e-mail in **Modern Hebrew**, giving your views and the reasons for your opinions. For example, you **could** talk about the following:

- your views on family meals, with reasons
- what you and your family have done together recently
- your views on the relationships between teenagers and parents, with reasons
- your opinion about what makes a good friend and why.

Or, you could include your **own** ideas on the topic of Lifestyle.

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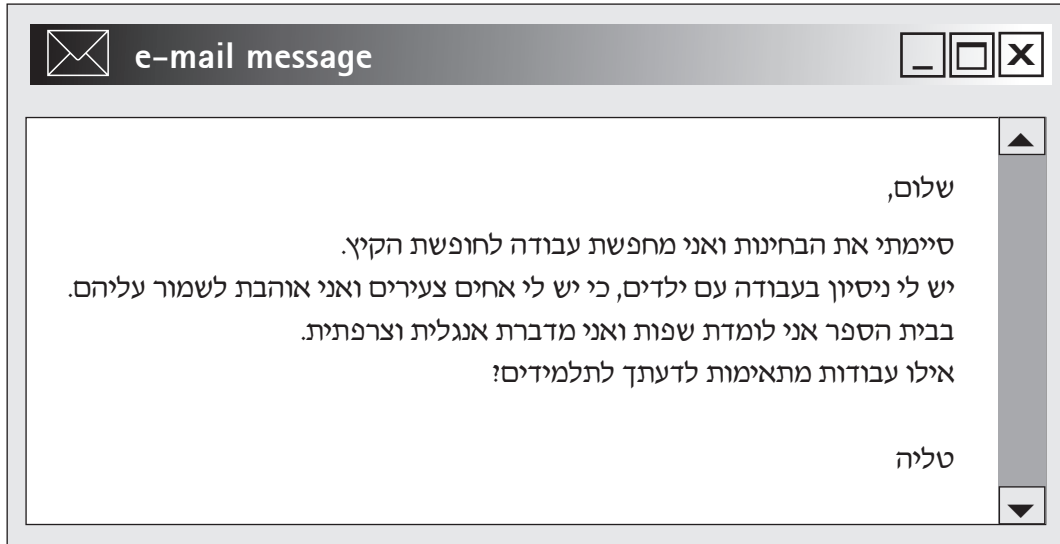
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OR

2 (b)

Your Israeli friend, Talia, has sent you this e-mail. She says that she has finished her exams and is looking for a job for the summer holiday. She has experience of looking after children because she has young brothers and she likes to look after them. She studies English and French at school and so she can speak both these languages. She asks what, in your opinion, is a suitable job for a student.



Reply to Talia's e-mail in **Modern Hebrew**, giving your views and the reasons for your opinions. For example, you **could** talk about the following:

- your opinion about what jobs are suitable for students and why
- a job you or your friends have done recently
- what, in your opinion, is a good job
- your views on learning a foreign language, with reasons.

Or, you could include your **own** ideas on the topic of Work and Education.

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Answer **either** Question 3(a) **or** Question 3(b).

You must **not** answer **both** of these questions.

**EITHER**

**3 (a)**

You have seen this advertisement on an Israeli travel website. "Tur-El" travel agency is offering tourists special discounts on holidays in the winter season; new hotels in the city centre or in the countryside, with swimming pools, health clubs and excellent restaurants. There are interesting tours and sports activities for children and adults. For more details and to make reservations, please send an e-mail.

סוכנות הנסיעות "תור-אל" מציעה לתיירים,  
הנחות מיוחדות לחופשות בעונת החורף:  
בתי מלון חדשים במרכז העיר או בכפר עם בריכות שחיה, מועדוני בריאות ומסעדות מצויינות.  
טיולים מעניינים ופעילויות ספורט לילדים ולמבוגרים.  
לפרטים נוספים והזמנות, בבקשה לשלוח דואר אלקטרוני.

Write an e-mail to the website about your holidays, in **Modern Hebrew**, giving your views and the reasons for your opinions. For example, you **could** talk about the following:

- in your opinion, when the best time is to go on holiday and why
- what you enjoyed most on your last holiday
- what the advantages are of staying in a hotel
- whether your next holiday will be in the city or in the countryside and why
- your views on school trips, with reasons.

Or, you could include your **own** ideas on the topic of Leisure.

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3 (b)

You see this letter in a school magazine in Israel. Daniel has written about his daughter, Maya, who asks him every morning to take her to school by car. He says that they do not live far from school but the buses are slow and never arrive on time. He says that in order to look after the environment, we all need to travel less by car, but he does not want his daughter to be late for school. He asks what they should do.

שלום,

הבת שלי מאיה מבקשת כל בוקר שאקח אותה לבית הספר במכונית.  
 אנחנו גרים לא רחוק מבית הספר, אבל האוטובוסים נוסעים לאט ואף פעם לא מגיעים בזמן.  
 כדי לשמור על איכות הסביבה, צריך לנסוע פחות במכוניות, אבל אני לא רוצה שמאיה תגיע  
 לבית הספר מאוחר.  
 מה לעשות?  
 דניאל

Write an article for the school magazine, in **Modern Hebrew**, giving your views and the reasons for your opinions. For example, you **could** talk about the following:

- your opinion about how Maya should get to school and why
- your views about using cars, with reasons
- what you have done recently in school and at home to protect the environment
- what you like most in your neighbourhood and why
- where you would like to celebrate your next birthday and why.

Or, you could include your **own** ideas on the topic of Home and Environment.

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