

GCSE Modern Hebrew

Unit 2 Reading Mark scheme

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V1 Final Mark Scheme

Mark schemes are prepared by the Lead Assessment Writer and considered, together with the relevant questions, by a panel of subject teachers. This mark scheme includes any amendments made at the standardisation events which all associates participate in and is the scheme which was used by them in this examination. The standardisation process ensures that the mark scheme covers the students' responses to questions and that every associate understands and applies it in the same correct way. As preparation for standardisation each associate analyses a number of students' scripts. Alternative answers not already covered by the mark scheme are discussed and legislated for. If, after the standardisation process, associates encounter unusual answers which have not been raised they are required to refer these to the Lead Assessment Writer.

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Notes on the Marking Scheme

Non-verbal Answers
Follow the mark scheme as set out.

Verbal Answers

- 1. The basic principle of assessment is that students should gain credit for what they know, understand and can do. The following guidance should be borne in mind when marking.
 - (a) Credit should be given for all answers which convey the key idea required intelligibly and without ambiguity. A separate assessment of spelling, punctuation and grammar is not required on these papers because of the nature of the answers. However, these aspects are an integral part of assessing communication and marks cannot be awarded where errors in spelling, punctuation or grammar lead to a failure to communicate the required information **without ambiguity**.
 - (b) Where a student has given alternatives or additional information in an answer, the following criteria should be applied:
 - if the alternative/addition does not contradict the key idea or make it ambiguous, accept;
 - if the alternative/addition contradicts the key idea or makes it ambiguous,
 reject.
 - (c) Where numbered lines are given within a question/section of a question, credit should be given for correct answers, no matter which line they appear on.
 - (d) Where a question has more than one **section**, a student may include as part of the answer to one section the information required to answer another section. For instance, the information required to answer section (b) might be given as part of the answer to section (a). In such cases, credit should be given for having answered section (b), provided that no incorrect answer has been given for that section in the correct place.
 - (e) Where a question or part of a question carries more than one mark, students are given credit for all the correct answers they give, even if they have given incorrect answers as well, except where any of the latter contradicts a correct answer that they have given.
- 2./.... means that these are acceptable alternative answers. (.....) means that this information is not needed for full marks.
- 3. In questions where students are asked to name, for example, three types of vegetable sold in the market, only the first three items they write down should be considered.
- 4. Accept
 - T/F/?
 - Target language equivalent as instructed in rubric (eq. V/F/PM)
 - **√**/X/?
 - a mix and match approach using the above, where the response is clear and unambiguous (eg. T and ✓ are both used by the student).
- 5. In multiple choice questions where students must choose <u>one</u> letter or number, they should automatically get no mark awarded if they give more than one. If the rubric instructs them to write one letter or number in the box and they do so, but write a second letter or number outside the box too, then the answer in the box should be considered.
- 6. No mark scheme can cover all possible answers. When in doubt:

- look for the key idea, where this is appropriate.
- NFP = no further penalty
- 7. Where a student has crossed out an answer and what was underneath remains legible then it should be assessed. Where part of an answer is crossed out then only what remains should be considered.
- 8. Where a student spells the answer in such a way that it is a word in the target language, no credit can be awarded.
- 9. If a student offers two different responses in English or in the target language, eg dog (cat) or dog (chat) where the answer is dog, no credit can be awarded.

Question	Accept	Mark	Reject / Notes
1	В	1	

Question	Accept	Mark	Reject / Notes
2(a)	Е	1	

Question	Accept	Mark	Reject / Notes
2(b)	А	1	

Question	Accept	Mark	Reject / Notes
2(c)	В	1	

Question	Accept	Mark	Reject / Notes
3(a)	(This week) the (swimming) pool is closed.	1	

Question	Accept	Mark	Reject / Notes
3(b)	Hotel Manager /Head/Administration:	1	Do not accept "Head Master/Principal/Owner"

Question	Accept	Marks	Reject / Notes
4(a)	C, D, E, H	4	In any order

Question	Accept	Marks	Reject / Notes
4(b)	B, F	2	In any order

Questi	n Accept	Mark	Reject / Notes
5(a)	С	1	

Question	Accept	Marks	Reject / Notes
5(b)	A, D, E, H	4	In any order

Question	Accept	Marks	Reject / Notes
5(c)	B, D, E	3	In any order

Question	Accept	Marks	Reject / Notes
6(a)	A, C, E, F, H	5	In any order

Question	Accept	Marks	Reject / Notes
6(b)	C, E, F	3	In any order

Question	Accept	Mark	Reject / Notes
7(a)	watch / clock	1	

Question	Accept	Mark	Reject / Notes
7(b)	alcohol/spirits (drinks)	1	Do not accept Any special type of drink such as whiskey or gin, or "flask of"

Question	Accept	Mark	Reject / Notes
7(c)		1	Any one of two
	Buying alcohol under 18 years of age is forbidden.		Do not accept Any special type of drink such as whiskey or gin,
	Drinking too much/lots of alcohol can endanger life/damage health/unhealthy.		or "flask of"

Question	Accept	Mark	Reject / Notes
8(a)	D	1	

Question	Accept	Mark	Reject / Notes
8(b)	В	1	

Question	Accept	Mark	Reject / Notes
8(c)	С	1	

Question		Mark	Reject / Notes
9(a)	R	1	

Que	estion	Accept	Mark	Reject / Notes
9	9(b)	S	1	

Questio	Accept Accept	Mark	Reject / Notes
9(c)	E	1	

Question	Accept	Mark	Reject / Notes
9(d)	Е	1	

Question	Accept	Marks	Reject / Notes
10	11, 8, 3, 2, 5	5	In that order

Question	Accept	Mark	Reject / Notes
11(a)	to bring back family meals during the week/midweek	1	Do not accept "once a week" or "eat together once a week"

Question	Accept	Marks	Reject / Notes
11(b)		2	Any two of four
	Families <u>only eat</u> together <u>on Friday/Shabbat nights</u> .		Do not accept "Saturday evening" or "after Shabbat". Accept "Shabbat" when written in English.
	In the <u>middle of week</u> they do not eat together.		
	eating <u>alone</u> in front of the television.		
	 Many people come home at different times. 		

Question	Accept	Mark	Reject / Notes
11(c)		1	Any one of three
	better relationships/connection/ closer		Accept similar meanings
	improve children's (self) confidence		
	children gain more confidence		

Question	Accept	Mark	Reject / Notes
12(a)	Т	1	

Question	Accept	Mark	Reject / Notes
12(b)	?	1	

Question	Accept	Mark	Reject / Notes
12(c)	F	1	

Question	Accept	Mark	Reject / Notes
12(d)	F	1	

Qu	estion	Accept	Mark	Reject / Notes
1	12(e)	Т	1	

Question	Accept	Mark	Reject / Notes
13(a)	F	1	

Question	Accept	Mark	Reject / Notes
13(b)	С	1	

Question	Accept	Mark	Reject / Notes
13(c)	Е	1	

Question	Accept	Mark	Reject / Notes
13(d)	В	1	

Question	Accept	Mark	Reject / Notes
14(a)	It is the first museum under the water.	1	Any one of three
	The visitor(s) wear a diving suite.		
	You can find sculptures/statues, coins and shipwrecks.		

Question	Accept	Mark	Reject / Notes
14(b)	the experience/feeling of going back to the past	1	

Question	Accept	Mark	Reject / Notes
15(a)	an industrial/manufacturing/ factories (plural) area	1	

Question	Accept	Mark	Reject / Notes
15(b)	a bridge	1	

Question	Accept	Mark	Reject / Notes
15(c)(i)	increase sales/exports (to Arab countries)/selling more products to Arab countries	1	Accept "to countries", reject to "Western Countries"

Question	Accept	Mark	Reject / Notes
15(c)(ii)	increased employment/jobs/number of places of employment.	1	Accept similar meaning

Question	Accept	Mark	Reject / Notes
15(d)	peace agreement between Israel and Jordan	1	

Question	Accept	Mark	Reject / Notes
15(e)	a stronger relationship (between Israel and Jordan)	2	Any two of four
	economic growth		
	strengthen the future of peace in the area		
	increase tourism		

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