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**Edexcel GCSE**

**Russian**

**Unit 4: Writing in Russian**

Thursday 14 June 2012 – Afternoon  
**Time: 1 hour**

Paper Reference

**5RU04/01**

**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.
- This paper is in two sections. Attempt **one** task from Section A and **one** task from Section B.
- Answer the tasks in the spaces provided  
– *there may be more space than you need.*
- The use of an appropriate bilingual dictionary is permitted in both Tasks 1 and 2.

### Information

- The total mark for this paper is 50.
- The marks for **each** question are shown in brackets  
– *use this as a guide as to how much time to spend on each question.*

### Advice

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

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## Section A (Short writing task)

1 Choose **either** a, b, c or d from the tasks below.

### Media, travel and culture:

(a) Your Russian-speaking friend is conducting a project about what young people in your area like to wear.

In your reply you should:

- refer to the clothes that you and your friends like to wear
- say what clothes you bought recently and where.

(b) Answer a request for information from a Russian school about what you like to read.

In your reply, you should:

- give a brief description of what you like to read about
- say what you think about something you have read recently.

### Sport, leisure and work:

(c) You have read an article in a Russian magazine about clubs that Russian students take part in at school. Write a letter to the magazine in which you give similar information about what there is in your school.

You should:

- say what clubs your school offers to students
- say which club you will attend in the future and why.

(d) Your Russian correspondent has asked you to help with a project about how you spend your Saturdays. Write an email in Russian answering his questions.

You should:

- give a brief description of what you usually do on a Saturday
- refer to a Saturday when you did something different and why.

**Write 25–50 words**  
**(Total for Question 1 = 20 marks)**



Indicate which task you are answering by marking a cross in the box . If you change your mind, put a line through the box  and then indicate your new task with a cross .

**Chosen task:**

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**TOTAL FOR SECTION A = 20 MARKS**



## Section B (Longer writing task)

2 Choose **either** a, b, c or d from the tasks below.

### Media, travel and culture:

- (a) You have recently celebrated a family occasion with a trip to a restaurant. Write to your Russian friend about it. Say whether you will go back to the restaurant or not and give reasons for your decision.
- (b) Write an article for a Russian-language website describing a recent visit to a tourist attraction in your area. Describe what else tourists should visit in your home town and why.

### Sport, leisure and work:

- (c) Write an article for a Russian-language website about something you own. Mention why you like it and what you will do with it in the future.
- (d) You have been asked by your Russian link school to give information about whether you will carry on at school after your GCSEs or start work. Give reasons for your choice.

**Write a minimum of 90 words**  
**(Total for Question 2 = 30 marks)**

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Indicate which task you are answering by marking a cross ☒. If you change your mind, put a line through the box ☒ and then indicate your new task with a cross ☒.

Chosen task:

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**TOTAL FOR SECTION B = 30 MARKS**  
**TOTAL FOR PAPER = 50 MARKS**



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