



2011 Mandarin (Simplified)

Intermediate 1 Reading

Finalised Marking Instructions

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Questions/Acceptable answers

Your school has organised for you to work as a volunteer in a summer sports camp in China. You will be staying with Jie Lun.

1. Jie Lun has sent you an e-mail in which he tells you about himself and his family.

- (a) How old is Jie Lun? Tick (✓) the correct box below. **1 mark**

☐ 26 years old

☒ 28 years old

☐ 38 years old

- (b) Are the following statements **True** or **False**. Tick (✓) the correct boxes. **3 marks**

	True	False
Jie Lun is captain of the Chinese basketball team.	✓	
Jie Lun was born in America.		✓
Jie Lun's mother is British.		✓

- (c) Jie Lun's mother speaks three languages. Complete the sentence below. **1 mark**

- French

Unacceptable answers

Irrelevant/Insufficient

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<p>2. The organiser of the summer camp has sent you some information about your accommodation and working day at the camp.</p> <p>(a) The organiser tells you about your accommodation. Complete the sentence below. 2 marks</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sofa/couch • computer. <p>(b) At 8 o'clock you should help with an activity. Which activity is it? Tick (✓) the correct box. 1 mark</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Football</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Table tennis</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Swimming</p> <p>(c) If it rains at 9 o'clock, where should you go? Tick (✓) the correct box. 1 mark</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Library</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Gymnasium</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Classroom</p>	<p>chair</p>	

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<p>2. (continued)</p> <p>(d) What would you do there? Tick (✓) the correct box. 1 mark</p> <div> <input data-bbox="360 343 398 379" type="checkbox"/> Reading <input data-bbox="757 343 795 379" type="checkbox"/> Basketball </div> <div> <input checked="" data-bbox="360 411 398 448" type="checkbox"/> Table tennis <input data-bbox="757 411 795 448" type="checkbox"/> Surfing Internet </div>		

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3. Jie Lun sends you a web link which provides information about Shanghai.

(a) Complete the sentences below.

2 marks

- east
- biggest/largest

(b) Are the following statements **True** or **False**?
Tick (✓) the correct boxes.

2 marks

	True	False
In Shanghai the climate is mild.	✓	
The spring and autumn seasons are short.	✓	

(c) Complete the sentence below.

2 marks

- (very) cold
- rains

(d) Which of the following statements about Shanghai are correct? Put a tick (✓) beside the **two** correct statements.

2 marks

	Tick
Traffic is busy.	✓
There are two international airports.	
It has the largest port in the world.	✓
There are five main railway stations.	

Unacceptable answers

Irrelevant/Insufficient

Big/large

3.	(continued)	Questions/Acceptable answers	2 marks	Unacceptable answers	Irrelevant/Insufficient
	(e)	Complete the sentences below. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • cheap/inexpensive • tea houses/tearooms/tea shops 			

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4. Jie Lun gives you some more information.		
<p>(a) When will Jie Lun collect you from the airport? 1 mark</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> July 2nd or 02/07 or 2nd of July or 2 July 		
<p>(b) Mention one thing about Shanghai International Airport. 1 mark</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Lots of people/many people/busy 		
<p>(c) What does Jie Lun suggest you wear so he can see you more easily? 1 mark</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> A kilt/<u>Scottish</u> skirt 		skirt Scottish clothes
<p>(d) What will Jie Lun wear on the day? Mention two things. 2 marks</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (Red) shirt a hat/cap 		
<p>(e) What will he be holding? 1 mark</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (basket) ball 		
<p>(f) Jie Lun describes his physical appearance. Mention any two things. 2 marks</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Tall Thin short/brown hair 		big
(Any 2)		

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4. (continued)		
<p>(g) Jie Lun asks for information about yourself. What two things does he ask? 2 marks</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Is this your first visit to Shanghai? • What is/are your hobby/hobbies? 		
<p>(h) When did Jie Lun and his girlfriend visit Scotland? 1 mark</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 years ago 		
<p>(i) Why did they visit Scotland? 1 mark</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To attend film festival 		
<p>(j) Mention any one thing about his girlfriend. 1 mark</p> <p>Accept any one of the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • (University) student, studies history/history student 		Likes history
<p>(k) Mention two places that they visited. 2 marks</p> <p>Accept any two:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Museum(s), • (ancient/old) castle(s) • (ancient/old) building(s). 		
<p>(Any 2)</p>		

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