



**2009 Mandarin (Traditional)**

**Intermediate 1 – Listening**

**Finalised Marking Instructions**

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**Questions/Acceptable answers**

Lili, a Chinese overseas student in the UK, would like to volunteer as an interpreter for the London Olympics 2012. She goes to a Chinese community centre for an interview. She speaks to Madame Wang who works there.

- 1.** Madame Wang asks Lili two questions. What does she ask?  
Tick (✓) **two** boxes.

**2 points**

|                                    |   |
|------------------------------------|---|
| What is your name?                 | ✓ |
| Where do you come from?            |   |
| How old are you?                   |   |
| How long have you been in Britain? | ✓ |

**Unacceptable answers**

**Irrelevant/Insufficient**

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|------------------------------|--|----------------------|-------------------------|
| 2.                           | Then Lili speaks.  |                      |                         |
| (a)                          | Which part of China does she come from?  |                      |                         |
|                              | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• South <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></li> <li>• West <input type="checkbox"/></li> <li>• North <input type="checkbox"/></li> </ul> |                      |                         |
| (b)                          | What kind of school is she studying in just now in Britain?  |                      |                         |
|                              | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A secondary school / middle / college (in London)</li> </ul>  |                      |                         |

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|------------------------------|--|----------------------|-------------------------|
| 3.                           | <p>(a) Why did she come to London? <b>1 point</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Her boyfriend is studying there <input type="checkbox"/></li> <li>• Her parents came to work there <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></li> <li>• She always wanted to come to London <input type="checkbox"/></li> </ul> <p>(b) How long has she been living in London? <b>1 point</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 5 years <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></li> <li>• 6 years <input type="checkbox"/></li> <li>• 8 years <input type="checkbox"/></li> </ul> |                      |                         |

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|---|------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------------|
| <p><b>4.</b> She explains why she is suitable for this work. What does she say? Mention any <b>two</b> things.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Likes (to watch) <u>sports</u> (programmes)</li> <li>• Speaks (both) Chinese and English (fluently)</li> <li>• Likes to make friends</li> </ul> | <p><b>2 points</b></p> | <p>Any wrong specific</p> | <p>Knows a lot of friends</p> |
| <p><b>(2 from 3)</b></p>  |                        |                           |                               |

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5. After the interview, Lili goes to her part-time job in a London café. Two Chinese customers come into the shop.

(a) What would they like to drink?

**1 point**

- green tea

(b) What food do they order? Tick (✓) **two** boxes.

**2 points**

|            |   |
|------------|---|
| Beef       | ✓ |
| Vegetables |   |
| Noodles    | ✓ |
| Fish       |   |
| Pork       |   |
| Rice       |   |

**Questions/Acceptable answers****Unacceptable answers****Irrelevant/Insufficient**

- 6.** After the meal, one of the customers chats to Lili. He talks about his job. What does he say? Mention any **two** things.

**2 points**

- Works in an (international) company
- 20 years

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|---|------------------------|----------------------|-------------------------|
| <p>7. What does he like about his job? Mention <b>two</b> things.</p>   | <p><b>2 points</b></p> |                      |                         |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Long holidays <input data-bbox="645 351 696 399" type="checkbox"/></li> </ul>                |                        |                      |                         |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Good salary <input checked="" data-bbox="645 422 696 470" type="checkbox"/></li> </ul>       |                        |                      |                         |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Meets many people <input checked="" data-bbox="645 494 696 542" type="checkbox"/></li> </ul> |                        |                      |                         |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Short working day <input data-bbox="645 566 696 614" type="checkbox"/></li> </ul>            |                        |                      |                         |



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|---|----------------------|-------------------------|
| <p>8. They then talk about the Olympic games in 2008 in Beijing.</p> <p>(a) What sports did the customer watch? <b>2 points</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Swimming <input data-bbox="539 491 582 531" type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" data-bbox="616 491 658 531" type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" data-bbox="694 491 736 531" type="checkbox"/> <input data-bbox="770 491 813 531" type="checkbox"/> </li> <li>Basketball</li> </ul> <p>(b) What did he particularly enjoy? <b>1 point</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Firework (show) / fireworks</li> </ul> |                      |                         |

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|---|----------------------|-------------------------|
| <p><b>9.</b> Finally, he asks Lili for directions to London Zoo.</p> <p><b>(a)</b> How will he get there? <b>1 point</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bus <input data-bbox="645 424 696 464" type="checkbox"/></li> <li>• Underground <input checked="" data-bbox="645 496 696 536" type="checkbox"/></li> <li>• Taxi <input data-bbox="645 568 696 608" type="checkbox"/></li> <li>• Train <input data-bbox="645 639 696 679" type="checkbox"/></li> </ul> <p><b>(b)</b> How long will the journey take? <b>1 point</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 20 minutes (approx.)</li> </ul> |                      |                         |

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