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French

8655/WH

Paper 4 Writing

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Wednesday 21 May 2014 9.00 am to 10.00 am

You may use a dictionary during this test.
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 **two** questions.
- Answer **either** Question 1(a) **or** 1(b) and **either** Question 2(a) **or** 2(b).
- Answer the questions in **French**.
- 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 maximum mark for this paper is 50.
- The marks for questions are shown in brackets.
- In **Question 1**, in order to score the highest marks, you must convey quite a lot of information and include a variety of vocabulary and structures.
- In **Question 2**, in order to score the highest marks, you must give a fully relevant and detailed response and include a variety of vocabulary and structures and at least **two different tenses**.



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Answer **either** Question 1(a) **or** Question 1(b).

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

EITHER

- 1 (a)** Your French friend has asked you to write an article about your **free time** for the exchange school's newsletter. You reply giving details of what you do in your **free time**.

You may use the words below to help you.

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| • un passe-temps | – a hobby |
| • un(e) ami(e) | – a friend |
| • le soir | – in the evening |
| • je fais | – I do / make |

Write in full sentences in **French**. Remember to include opinions in your response.

In order to score the highest marks, you must convey quite a lot of information (approximately 80–100 words) and include a variety of vocabulary and structures.

[20 marks]

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1 (b)

You may use the words below to help you.

- le centre-ville – the town centre
- les jeunes – the young people
- calme – quiet
- il y a – there is / are

In order to score the highest marks, you must convey quite a lot of information (approximately 80–100 words) and include a variety of vocabulary and structures.

[20 marks]

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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 been asked to write about **your holidays**. You should include details about your holiday preferences, destinations and activities.

Write in full sentences in **French**. Remember to include ideas, opinions and explanations in your response.

In order to score the highest marks, you must give a fully relevant and detailed response (approximately 150–200 words) and include a variety of vocabulary and structures and at least **two different tenses**.

[30 marks]

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