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CHINESE

(CHN315114)

PART 1

Listening and Responding

Pages:	12
Questions:	5

Time: Approximately 1 hour

Candidate Instructions

1. You **MUST** make sure that your responses to the questions in this examination paper will show your achievement in the criteria being assessed.
2. You will hear **FIVE** spoken texts. Each text will be played **THREE** times. There will be a short break between the first and second playing, with a longer break after the third and final playing.
3. Answer **ALL** questions. Answers must be written in the spaces provided on the examination paper.
4. You may start writing your answers from the moment the first reading begins.
5. All written responses must be in English.

On the basis of your performance in this examination, the examiners will provide results on each of the following criterion taken from the course statement:

Criterion 1 Listen and respond to spoken Chinese.

Spoken Text 1 – Question 1

Listen to a speech from Mandy introducing herself and her family and answer, in **ENGLISH**, the questions that follow, using the information from the speech.

(a) (i) What is Mandy's job? (1 mark)

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(ii) How long has Mandy been working in this job? (2 marks)

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(b) How much older is Mandy's oldest child compared to the youngest one? (1 mark)

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(c) (i) Which of the following is NOT mentioned in regards to Mandy's children's hobbies?

Tick **ONE** answer from below . (2 marks)

Swimming

Playing music instrument

Playing soccer

Dancing

(ii) What is the children's favourite hobby? (1 mark)

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(d) What is/are Mandy's preferable leisure activity/activities? (2 marks)

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(e) According to the conversation, decide if the following statements are True or False. (3 marks)

1. Mandy's daughter is in high school while her son is in primary school.
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2. Mandy and her children don't have any common hobbies.
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3. Mandy's children do their hobbies on weekdays only.
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Spoken Text 2 – Question 2

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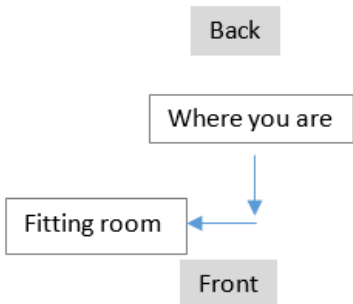
Listen to the conversation between a clothing sales person (Female voice) and a customer (Male voice) and answer, in **ENGLISH**, the questions that follow, using the information from the text.

- (a) Why was the customer unable to see the business shirts when he first came to the shop? (1 mark)

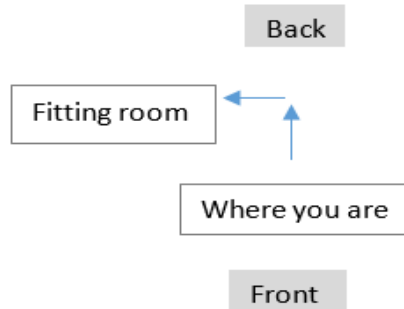
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- (b) Which of the following correctly shows the direction for the customer to get to the fitting room according to the sales person? (2 marks)

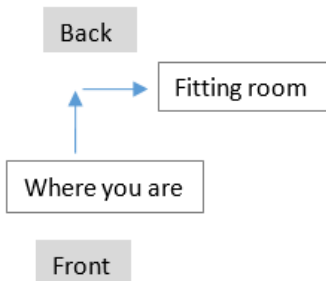
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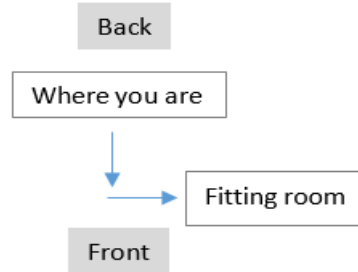
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(B)



(C)



(D)

- (c) Which size and color of the shirt did the customer try on for the first time? (2 marks)

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(d) (i) What's the problem with the 2nd shirt that the customer requested? (1 mark)

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(ii) What did the sales person suggest for him to buy? (2 marks)

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(e) How much did the customer pay for the shirt? (1 mark)

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(f) According to the conversation, which of the following statements is **NOT** correct?

Tick **ONE** answer from below . (3 marks)

- The customer chose shirts from "New Arrivals".
- The customer liked the colour of the first shirt that he tried on.
- The customer paid for the shirt as it was marked.
- The sales person hoped the customer would come again.

Spoken Text 3 – Question 3

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Listen to the phone conversation between Wang Lan (Female voice) and Xiao Gang (Male voice) and answer, in **ENGLISH**, the questions that follow, using the information from the text.

(a) Why did Xiao Gang give Wang Lan a phone call? (2 marks)

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(b) (i) Where was Xiao Gang when he rang Wang Lan? (1 mark)

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(ii) Why was Xiao Gang at that place? (2 marks)

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(c) What did Xiao Gang originally plan to do for that night? (1 mark)

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(d) What would Wang Lan do for that night after talking with Xiao Gang on the phone? (2 marks)

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(e) When would Xiao Gang give Wang Lan a phone call again? (1 mark)

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(f) According to the conversation, which of the following statements **is** correct?

Tick **ONE** answer from below . (3 marks)

- Xiao Gang got sick and it was serious.
- Xiao Gang's mum said that he should stay in the hospital for one day at least.
- Xiao Gang forgot the thing that he had planned to do with Wang Lan that night.
- Wang Lan changed her plan for that night too because she was mad at Xiao Gang.

Spoken Text 4 – Question 4

Listen to the conversation between Jack (Male voice) and his Chinese school friend Xiaoling (Female voice) and answer, in **ENGLISH**, the questions that follow, using the information from the text.

(a) What is Xiaoling going to Melbourne for? Which of the following statements **is** correct?

Tick **ONE** answer from below . (2 marks)

- Travelling
- Studying in a university there
- Working
- Living in a new place (moving house)

(b) List the advantage(s) and disadvantage(s) that Xiaoling thinks about the place that she has been living in compared to Melbourne. (4 marks)

Advantage(s):.....
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Disadvantage(s):
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(c) Why would Xiaoling's grandparents like to live in Melbourne? (2 marks)

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(d) What does Xiaoling ask Jack to help her with? (1 mark)

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(e) According to the conversation, which of the following statements **is** correct?

Tick your answer from below . (3 marks)

- Xiaoling does not like the place that she has been living in.
- Jack has never been to Melbourne before.
- Jack does not think that Melbourne is a good place for Xiaoling's family to live in.
- Bus is the only public transport that can be seen in both Melbourne and the place that Xiaoling has been living in.

Spoken Text 5 – Question 5

Listen to a conversation between Andrew (Male voice) and his Chinese school friend Wenxin (Female voice) and answer, in **ENGLISH**, the questions that follow, using the information from the text.

(a) What kind of activity were Andrew and Wenxin talking about?

Tick **ONE** answer from below . (1 mark)

- School excursion
- School conference
- School competition
- School athletic carnival

(b) According to Wenxin, why was the school going to have the activity? (1 mark)

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(c) What was Wenxin's response to Mark's concern about participating in the activity? (2 marks)

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(d) What did Andrew decide to do after talking with Wenxin? (2 marks)

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(e) Which of the following is the date that the conversation happened on?

Tick **ONE** answer from below . (2 marks)

- 15th October
- 14th October
- 15th August
- 15th December

(f) What did Wenxin say that she would do for Andrew? (1 mark)

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(g) According to the conversation, which of the following statements **is** correct?

Tick **ONE** answer from below . (3 marks)

- According to Andrew's friend, only the winner was able to get an ipad as a prize.
- Wenxin didn't think that it's a short term to study Chinese for one and half years.
- Andrew wanted to learn more about the Chinese language and culture by participating in the activity.
- Andrew wasn't interested in attending the activity because none of his friends would do it.

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PART 2

Reading and Responding

Pages:	12
Questions:	3

Time: Approximately 1 hour

Candidate Instructions

1. You **MUST** make sure that your responses to the questions in this examination paper will show your achievement in the criteria being assessed.
2. You must answer a total of **THREE** questions, **TWO** questions from Section A and **ONE** question from Section B.
3. All written responses for **Section A** MUST be in **ENGLISH**.
4. All written responses for **Section B** MUST be in **CHINESE**.
5. Answer **ALL** questions. Answers must be written in the spaces provided on the examination paper.

On the basis of your performance in this examination, the examiners will provide results on each of the following criteria taken from the course statement:

Criterion 3 Read and respond to written Chinese texts.

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SECTION A

Answer **ALL** questions in this section.

All written responses for this section **MUST** be in **ENGLISH**.

It is recommended that you spend approximately **40 minutes** on this section.

Question 6

Read the text and answer, in **ENGLISH**, the questions that follow, using the information from the text.

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快乐的暑假就快结束了，小东约同学在快餐店见面，可是大部分同学不是去旅行了，就是还在打工，最后只有三位同学（小东，小明和小玲）参加了这个聚会。

小明：小东，你买新手机了，iPhone7！你暑假一定挣了不少钱吧？

小东：我打工两个月挣了7500块，500块给爸妈买了礼物，剩下的都用来买了这个手机。iPhone 7确实贵，不过也真的很不错，有很多有意思的功能。

小玲：你们俩别只站在那儿说话，我饿死了。我们先点餐吧。

小明：好的。你们想吃什么？我去点。

小东：我要一个汉堡和一杯可乐。

小玲：给我点一份薯条和一份鸡块吧。

小东：我忘了我也要一份薯条，谢谢。

（过了一会儿，小明回来了。）

小玲：还有一年我们就要毕业了，毕业以后你们打算做什么？

小东：我想去北京大学学信息管理。

小明：我暑假一直在我爸的公司打工，学习怎么做生意。毕业以后我应该会去爸爸的公司工作。小玲，你呢？

小玲：我还不知道。我又想上大学，又想开始工作。真麻烦！……

Question 6 continues.

Question 6 continued

Word List

暑假	shǔ jià	summer holiday
结束	jié shù	to end, finish
挣	zhèng	to earn (money)
剩下	shèngxià	remainder, rest
确实	què shi	indeed
功能	gōng néng	Function
汉堡	hàn bǎo	Hamburger
薯条	shǔ tiáo	Chips
毕业	bì yè	to graduate
信息管理	xìn xī guǎn lǐ	information management

(a) Why did only three people go to the gathering at the fast food restaurant? (4 marks)

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(b) (i) How much did 小东 pay for his new mobile phone? (3 marks)

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(ii) What does 小东 think of his mobile phone? (3 marks)

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(c) According to the context, what is the meaning of “点餐”?

Tick **ONE** answer from below . (2 marks)

- To eat food
- To order food
- To wait for food in a queue
- To clean the table after eating food

Question 6 (continued)

Question 6 continues.

(d) Which of the following is the correct food that 小东 ordered?

(3 marks)



(A)



(B)



(C)



(D)

(e) Using the information from the passage choose the statement that is **NOT** correct.

Tick **ONE** answer from below .

(3 marks)

- The three school friends got together at the fast food restaurant when the summer holiday was about to start.
- Both 小东 and 小玲 ordered chips.
- 小明's father runs a company.
- 小玲 is still not sure what to do after graduation.

(f) Which of the following is **NOT** discussed in their conversation?

Tick **ONE** answer from below .

(3 marks)

- Food to eat at the fast food restaurant that day
- Traveling experience in the summer holiday
- The mobile phone that 小东 just bought
- The plan after graduation

Question 7

Read the text and answer, in **ENGLISH**, the questions that follow, using the information from the text.

这套两层的房子楼上和楼下一样大，各 75 平方米。楼下有厨房、客厅和一个洗手间，楼上也有一个洗手间，还有两个卧室。房子里有各种家电，比如电视、电冰箱、热水器；也有很多家具，比如沙发、饭桌、双人床。房子是 5 年前建造的，而且刚刚经过一个多月的整修，所以看起来跟新的一样，干净漂亮。

房子位于 Kingston 的中心地区，往北走 5 分钟就可以到中心公共汽车站，每 10 分钟就有一辆公车到城市，开车到城里也只需要 15 分钟左右，交通非常方便。房子的西边有一个超市，南边还有一个学校，都离房子差不多 200 米远，所以上学、买东西都非常容易，非常适合情侣或者有一两个孩子的小家庭居住。不过，房东不允许在房子里养宠物，所以如果你希望跟你的宠物一起生活，那这套房子不太适合你。

房子的租金是每周 350 元，不算贵，而且还可以跟房东商量，房东希望每月付一次房租。如果你对这套房子有兴趣或者想预约看房，请尽快与 John Smith 联系。联系电话：0436872235。谢谢。

Word List

厨房	chú fáng	kitchen
客厅	kè tīng	living room
洗手间	xǐ shǒu jiān	bathroom
卧室	wò shì	bedroom
家电	jiā diàn	home electric appliance
整修	zhěng xiū	to renovate
情侣	qíng lǚ	couple
房东	fáng dōng	landlord
允许	yǔn xǔ	to allow
房租	fáng zū	rent
预约	yù yuē	to make an appointment
尽快	jǐn kuài	as quickly as possible

(a) What is the area of the house? (2 marks)

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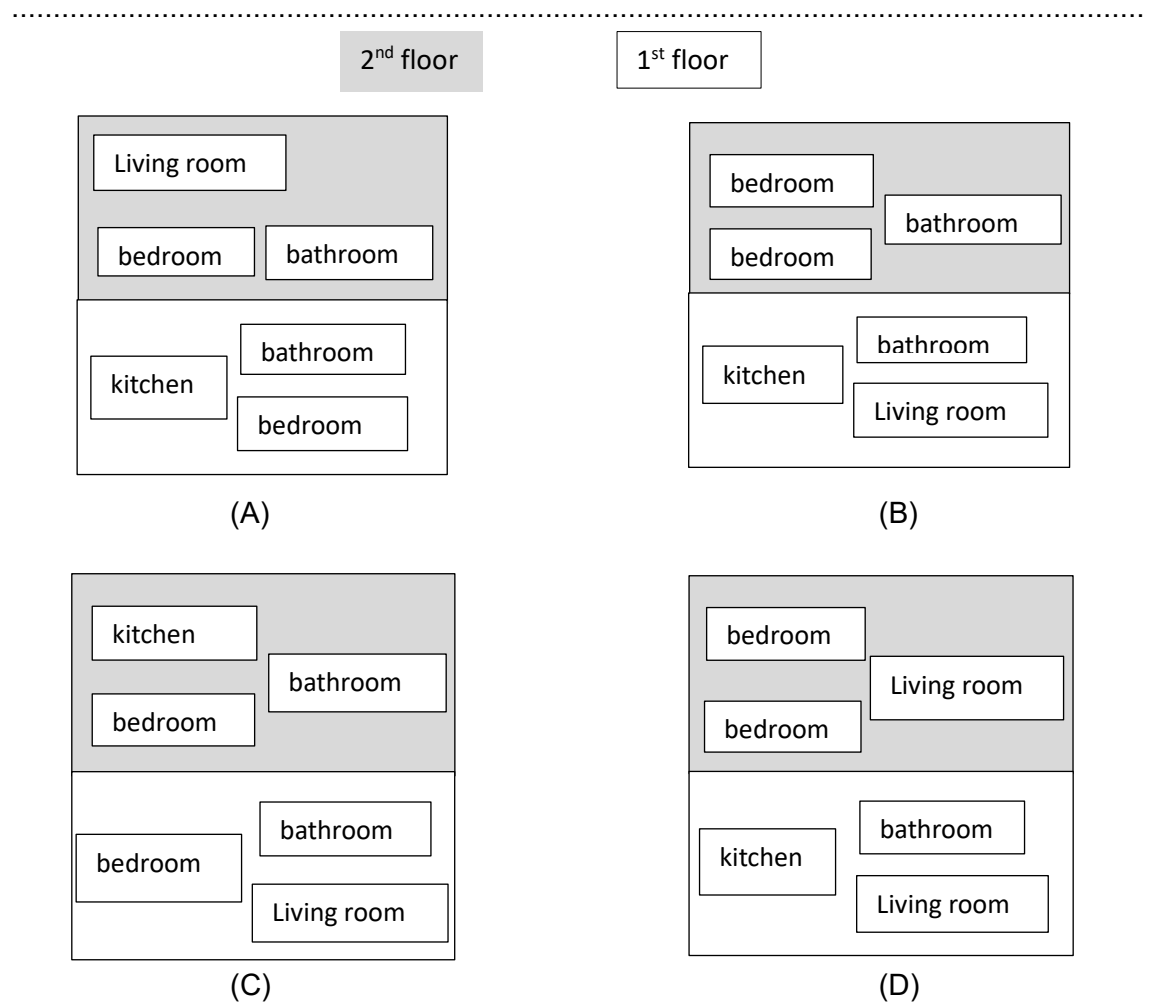
(b) Choose the things that are mentioned in the 1st paragraph that are provided by the house.

Tick CORRECT answer(s) from below .

(3 marks)

- Fridge
- TV
- Microwave
- Dining table
- Single bed

(c) Which of following floorplans correctly matches the information given in the 1st paragraph about the house? (4 marks)



(d) What is the condition of the house? (2 marks)

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Question 7 (continued).

Question 7 continues.

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(e) If you miss the bus scheduled at 3pm from Kingston Central to the City, what time is the next bus you can take? (2 marks)

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(f) Who is the house suitable for according to the text? (3 marks)

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(g) Who needs to contact John Smith? (2 marks)

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(h) Which of the following statements **is** correct according to the text?

Tick **ONE** answer from below . (3 marks)

- The house is newly built.
- The supermarket is further away from the house than the school.
- The monthly rent of this house would be approximately \$1400.
- You can negotiate with the landlord if you have a dog to live with you.

SECTION B

Answer **ALL** questions in this section.

All written responses for this section **MUST** be in **CHINESE** (not Pinyin).

It is recommended that you spend approximately **20 minutes** on this section.

Question 8

Read the text and answer, in **CHINESE**, the questions that follow, using the information from the text.

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《红楼梦》是中国最有名的古典小说，不仅中国人爱看，很多外国人也很喜欢看。很多人说这部小说的作者就是写了一个自己的故事。

故事的男主角叫宝玉，他的爸爸是一个大官，家里很有钱。他长得很漂亮，也很聪明，所以家里人都很喜欢他。宝玉 13 岁的时候，家里来了一个美丽的女孩，叫黛玉。黛玉比宝玉小一岁，跟宝玉一样，她也喜欢看书、写诗和画画儿。他们俩常常一起吃饭、看书，一起游花园、写诗。黛玉的身体不太好，常常生病，所以宝玉很照顾她，总是给她送药，还送好吃的、好玩的。慢慢地，他们都爱上了对方，可是宝玉的家人不让他们结婚，因为他们觉得黛玉身体不好，而且家里也没有钱。就在宝玉跟别的女孩结婚的时候，黛玉把宝玉给她的礼物和写给她的诗都烧了，哭了好几天，就死了。宝玉难过极了，常常一个人去他们俩以前常去的花园，回忆他们有过的快乐。后来，他离开了他的家，做了一个和尚。他的妻子也非常难过。

这部小说除了给我们讲了一悲伤的爱情故事，还给我们介绍了那时候人们的吃、穿、住、用等等，对我们了解中国的传统文化有很大的帮助。

Question 8 continues.

Question 8 (continued)

Word List

主角	zhǔ jué	leading role (character)
爱情	ài qíng	romantic love
诗	shī	poetry
照顾	zhào gù	to look after
烧	shāo	to burn
难过	nán guò	be grieved
回忆	huí yì	to recall, remember
和尚	hé shàng	Buddhist monk
悲剧	bēi jù	tragedy, tragic drama

(a) 黛玉来宝玉家的时候多大? (2 marks)

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(b) 宝玉对黛玉怎么样? (3 marks)

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(c) 下面哪些是宝玉和黛玉都有的东西? (4 marks)

Tick CORRECT answer(s) from below .

- 长得好看
- 常常生病
- 喜欢看书
- 家里很有钱

(d) 为什么宝玉的家人不让他跟黛玉结婚? (2 marks)

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Question 8 (continued)

Question 8 continues.

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(e) 黛玉死了以后，宝玉做了什么？ (3 marks)

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(f) 根据短文判断下面的说法对还是错。

Write **True** (in Chinese) if the statement is true according to the whole text or write **False** (in Chinese) if the statement is false according to the whole text.

(i) 只有中国人喜欢看《红楼梦》。 (1 mark)

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(ii) 很多人说这个小说跟作者自己没有关系。 (1 mark)

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(iii) 黛玉把宝玉给她的礼物都烧了，因为她不爱宝玉。 (1 mark)

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(iv) 这个小说不能让我们了解中国的传统文化。 (1 mark)

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PART 3

Writing in Chinese

Pages:	8
Questions:	5

Time: 60 minutes

Candidate Instructions

1. You **MUST** make sure that your responses to the questions in this examination paper will show your achievement in the criteria being assessed.
2. You must answer **ONE** question from this section.
3. Write approximately 170-200 characters in **CHINESE** (not Pinyin) on the question you have selected.
4. The questions have been written in both English and Chinese.
5. All answers must be written in the spaces provided on the examination paper.
6. All written responses must be in Chinese.

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Criterion 4 Express ideas and information in written Chinese.

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Question 9

A local newspaper interviewed Tiya, an international student from China, on her impression of Tasmania and the differences from China. Write the conversation for the interview.

一家本地的报社最近采访了一位中国留学生 Tiya，询问了她对于塔斯马尼亚的印象以及跟中国相比存在的差异。请写出这个采访对话。

Question 10

Choose one particular Chinese festival and describe the relevant food, customs, etc.

选择一个特定的中国节日，介绍跟这个节日相关的食物、风俗等。

Question 11

Your Chinese pen pal Li Yang is coming to your school for a short-term study and he has sent you an email asking about your school. Write a reply that could include information such as the school size, teachers, courses and activities.

你的中国笔友李阳打算来你的学校进行短期学习，所以他最近给你发了一封电子邮件询问一些关于你学校的信息。请给他写一封回信，答复他关于学校规模、教师、课程以及活动等方面的内容。

Question 12

You've attended a local event that takes place once a year. Write a diary entry describing your day, who you met and what you did etc.

你参加了一个本地一年一度的重要活动，请写一篇日记记叙你参加这次活动的经历，比如你在活动中遇到了谁，你做了些什么等等。

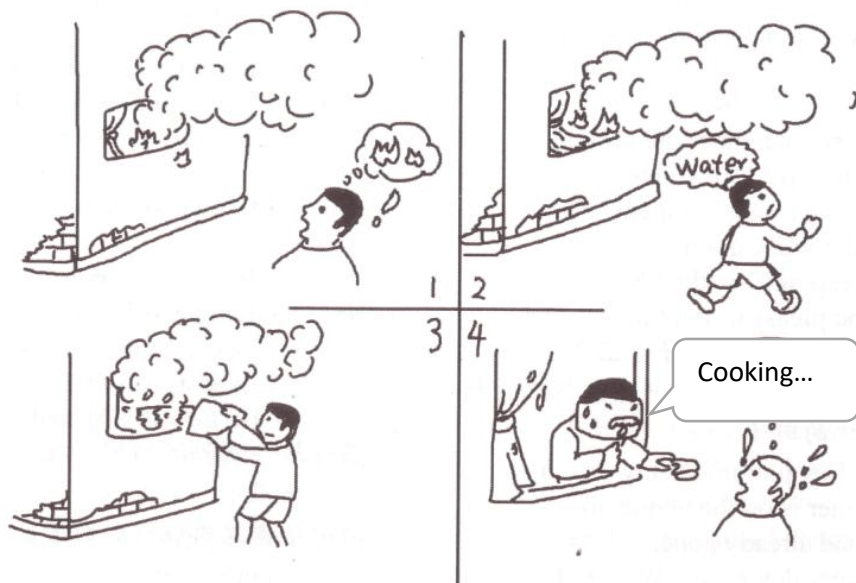
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Question 13

Write a story based on the pictures below. You may use the words given to help with your storyline.

根据下面的图片和英文说明写一个故事。



Question Number:

(In the box write the number of the question you are answering)

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