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Paper 2 Translation and Reading Comprehension

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1 hour 30 minutes

You must answer on the question paper.

You will need: Insert (enclosed)

INSTRUCTIONS

- Answer **all** questions.
- Use a black or dark blue pen.
- Write your name, centre number and candidate number in the boxes at the top of the page.
- Write your answer to each question in the space provided.
- Do **not** use an erasable pen or correction fluid.
- Do **not** write on any bar codes.

INFORMATION

- The total mark for this paper is 55.
- The number of marks for each question or part question is shown in brackets [].
- The insert contains the reading passage.

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Two old friends met every morning to chat at their local park. They had been friends since college, and were now both retired. They talked about their families, the weather and politics. One morning, one of the men seemed grumpy. His friend asked him what was wrong. The man pointed at his mobile phone, 'this is what is annoying me'. His friend looked surprised and commented that mobile phones were very useful. The first man explained that while he didn't mind using his phone to keep in touch with family and friends, he didn't like to communicate with his bank and the hospital through messages and applications on his phone. He preferred to speak to someone. His friend agreed, but added that his children had told him that dealing with small jobs through their phones was much quicker. The two men laughed together about how the younger generation seemed more comfortable with gadgets than with people.

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Section B – Reading Comprehension

Read the passage in the Insert and then answer Questions 3–13 on this Question Paper. You should use your own words as far as possible. (The number of marks is given at the end of each question. There are up to 5 additional marks available for Language and Spelling. Total mark: 20 + 5 = 25.)

3 ஏன் இரண்டு குழந்தைகளும் வீட்டை விட்டுப் போனார்கள்?

..... [1]

4 குழந்தைகள் வீட்டை விட்டுப் போனபிறகு, பெற்றோர் எப்பொழுது புதிய வீட்டிற்குப் போனார்கள்?

..... [1]

5 பழைய வீட்டிலுள்ள ஏதேனும் இரண்டு வசதிகளை எழுதவும்.

..... [2]

6 ஏன் பெரிய வீட்டிலிருந்து சிறிய வீட்டிற்கு பெற்றோர்கள் மாறினார்கள்? இரண்டு விடயங்களைக் குறிப்பிடுக.

..... [2]

7 சிறிய வீட்டிற்கு எடுத்துச் செல்லாத ஏதேனும் நான்கு பொருட்களைக் குறிப்பிடுக.

..... [4]

8 அவர்கள் மாறிய சிறிய வீடு எப்படி இருந்தது?

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..... [3]

9 ஏன் அவர்களுடைய மகள் நிரந்தரமாகத் திரும்பவும் வீட்டிற்கு வந்தார்?

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..... [1]

10 அவர்களது மகள் வீட்டிற்கு வந்த பிறகு அம்மா என்ன கட்டளைகளை இட்டாள்?

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..... [2]

11 ஏன் மகன் வீட்டிற்குத் திரும்பி வந்தான்?

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..... [1]

12 இரண்டு பிள்ளைகளும் வீட்டிற்கு வந்த பிறகு, எதனால் பிரச்சினைகள் தோன்றின?

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..... [1]

13 இரண்டு வீட்டில் எந்த வீடு அவர்களுக்கு மிகவும் ஏற்றதாக இருந்தது? இரண்டு காரணங்களை குறிப்பிடுக.

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