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Question	Answer	Marks
PART 1: DIRECTED WRITING		
The syllabus specifies that the candidates are to write an essay in Urdu of about 150 words. Examiners are to read up to 200 words and then ignore any further writing.		
Language (out of 9)		Content (out of 6)
8–9 Very good Confident use of complex sentence patterns; generally accurate; extensive vocabulary; good sense of idiom.	5–6 Very good Detailed, clearly relevant and well illustrated; coherently argued and structured.	
6–7 Good Generally sound grasp of grammar in spite of quite a few lapses; reads reasonably; some attempt at varied vocabulary and sentence patterns.	4 Good Sound knowledge and generally relevant; some ability to develop argument and draw conclusions.	
4–5 Adequate A tendency to be simple, clumsy or laboured; some degree of accuracy; inappropriate use of idiom.	3 Adequate Some knowledge, but not always relevant; a more limited capacity to argue.	
2–3 Poor Consistently simple or pedestrian sentence patterns (basic sentence structure) with persistent errors; limited vocabulary	2 Poor Some attempt at argument, tends to be sketchy or unspecific; little attempt to structure an argument; major misunderstanding of question.	
0–1 Very poor Only the simplest sentence patterns; little evidence of grammatical awareness; very limited vocabulary.	0–1 Very poor Vague and general; ideas presented at random.	

Content Marks	Language marks available
5/6	9
3/4	7
1/2	5

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1.1	ایک بات شہر کی اچھائیوں کے متعلق	1
1.2	ایک بات شہر کی اچھائیوں کے متعلق	1
1.3	ایک اور بات شہر کی کمزوریوں کے متعلق	1
1.4	ایک اور بات شہر کی کمزوریوں کے متعلق	1
1.5	ایک بات شہر کو بہتر بنانے کے متعلق	1
1.6	ایک بات شہر کو بہتر بنانے کے متعلق	1
1.7	زبان کے معیار کے لیے	1–9
	If only 2 out of 3 bullet points attempted total available language mark is 7	
	If only 1 out of 3 bullet points attempted total available language mark is 5	
	If composition is more than 200 words ignore any extra material	

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PART 2: LETTER REPORT DIALOGUE OR SPEECH (20 MARKS)																		
The syllabus specifies that the candidates are to write a response in Urdu of about 200 words. Examiners are to read up to 250 words and ignore any further writing.																		
Language (out of 15)		Content (out of 5)																
13–15 Very good Confident use of complex sentence patterns; generally accurate; extensive vocabulary; good sense of idiom.	5 Very good Detailed, clearly relevant and well illustrated; coherently argued and structured.																	
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IF CANDIDATE HAS ATTEMPTED WRONG TYPE OF TASK (E.G. LETTER INSTEAD OF SPEECH/DIALOGUE) MAXIMUM FOR CONTENT3 Marks (Available) MAXIMUM FOR LANGUAGE9 Marks (Available) Please note that if the content is ZERO language will be ZERO,														
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EITHER														
2(a)	تقریر													
	تقریر کی شروعات	1												
	تقریر میں ٹیچر کے متعلق تین باتیں تفصیل کے ساتھ۔	3												
	تقریر کا خاتمہ	1												
	زبان کے معیار کے لیے	1-15												
OR														
2(b)	مکالمہ													
	گلاب میں شامل ہونے کے حق میں دو دلائل	2												
	گلاب میں شامل ہونے کے خلاف دو دلائل	2												
	مناسب فیصلہ	1												
	زبان کے معیار کے لیے	1-15												
If either composition is more than 250 words ignore any extra material.														

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MARK EACH SENTENCE ON SCREEN BY USING THE RED 'CROSSES' TOOL(X) IF THERE IS A WRONG RESPONSE – ADD UP ALL CROSSES THEN MINUS FROM 40 AND THEN DIVIDED BY 2. IF THE HALF MARKS, THEN ROUNDS IT DOWN.		
3.1	<u>They say that</u> playing team sports <u>bring people closer together</u>	
	کہا جاتا ہے / کہتے ہیں کہ ٹیم میں کھیلے جانے والے کھیل کو دو لوگوں کو قریب لاتے ہیں۔	2
	Accept گروپ میں /	
	Reject اکٹھے کھیلنا / سپورٹس /	
3.2	<u>In most cases</u> they are <u>very enjoyable ways</u> of <u>not only keeping fit</u>	
	اکثر یہ نہ صرف تندرست رہنے کے بہت مزے دار طریقے ہیں	3
	Accept زیادہ تر / تفریحی طریقے /	
	Reject تقریباً / ہر معاملے میں / عام طور پر /	
3.3	<u>but of learning to deal</u> with life's <u>ups and downs</u> .	
	بلکہ زندگی کی اتار چڑھاؤ پر قابو پانا سیکھنے کے	2
	Accept اُچ نیچ / نشیب و فراز	
	Reject اوپر نیچے / اچھائی بُرائی /	
3.4	These <u>include working together</u> as a team	
	ان میں ایک ٹیم کے طور پر مل کر اکٹھے کام کرنا شامل ہے۔	2
	Accept	
	Reject	

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3.5	and <u>accepting winning and losing without getting too upset</u> .	
	اور زیادہ مایوس ہوئے / پریشان ہوئے بغیر ہار جیت ماننا / قبول کر لینا	3
	Accept افسردہ	
	Reject شرمندہ ہوئے بغیر	
3.6	<u>But you must remember that the main purpose</u> of any sport	
	لیکن آپ کو یہ لازمی یاد رکھنا ہوگا کہ کسی بھی کھیل کا اہم مقصد	3
	Accept ذہن نشین / ضرور / خاص / اصل مقصد	
	Reject کھیلوں	
3.7	<u>is simply to have fun and spend time</u> with your friends.	
	محض اپنے دوستوں کے ساتھ وقت گزارنا اور مزہ لینا ہے۔	3
	Accept صرف / بس	
	Reject دوست	
3.8	<u>However, some people in the modern world we live in think</u>	
	البتہ / تاہم / بہر حال / پھر بھی / اس جدید دنیا جہاں ہم رہ رہے ہیں کچھ لوگوں کے خیال میں۔	3
	Accept / بعض لوگ سوچتے ہیں / جدید دور /	
	Reject جب کہ / لیکن / حتیٰ کہ	

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3.9	<u>that</u> it is more important to win at <u>all costs</u>	
	کہ کسی بھی قیمت پر جیتنا زیادہ/بہت ضروری/اہم بات ہے۔	3
	Accept ہر حالت میں/ہر صورت	
3.10	<u>Team coaches</u> can get <u>their young</u> teams <u>to play too hard</u>	
	ٹیم کے کوچ اپنی جوان ٹیموں کو حد سے زیادہ زور سے کھیلنے پر مجبور کر سکتے ہیں۔	3
	Accept دباؤ/	
	Reject اساتذہ/	
3.11	<u>and sometimes</u> this <u>results</u> in <u>fights on the pitch</u> .	
	اور کبھی کبھی نتیجہ یہ ہے کہ میدان میں لڑائیاں شروع ہوتی ہیں۔	3
	Accept اور بعض اوقات/پیچ/جسکی وجہ سے	
	Reject	
3.12	32–33 One <u>very experienced</u> coach's <u>opinion</u>	
	ایک بہت تجربہ کار کوچ کی رائے میں۔	2
	Accept کے خیال میں/نقطہ نظر/کہنا/ماننا	
	Reject ماہر/	

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3.13	is that <u>this may be happening</u> <u>because</u> <u>sport is now</u> seen to be a <u>way out of poverty</u>	
	یہ سب ہو سکتی ہے کیونکہ آجکل کھیل غربت سے نکلنے کا راستہ سمجھا جاتا ہو۔	4
	Accept ذریعہ / نجات سے	
	Reject سپورٹ	
3.14	and, <u>quite naturally</u> , <u>young people</u> will do <u>almost</u> anything	
	اور قدرتی طور پر نوجوان تقریباً کچھ بھی کریں گے۔	2
	Accept بالکل قدرتی طور /	
	Reject	
3.15	to <u>improve</u> their and <u>their families'</u> lives.	
	ان کی اور ان کے خاندانوں کی زندگی بہتر بنانے کے لیے۔	2
	Accept	
	Reject	
ADD UP ALL CROSSES(X) AND MISSING WORDS THEN MINUS FROM 40 AND THEN DIVIDED BY 2. IF THE HALF MARK, THEN ROUND IT DOWN. TOTAL WILL BE OUT OF 20		