



Rewarding Learning

General Certificate of Secondary Education
2018

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French

Unit 3: Listening

Higher Tier

MV18

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TUESDAY 15 MAY, MORNING

Time

45 minutes approx. (including 5 minutes reading time) plus your additional time allowance.

Instructions to Candidates

Write your Centre Number and Candidate Number in the spaces provided at the top of this page.

You must answer the questions in the spaces provided.

Do not write on blank pages.

Complete in black ink only.

Answer **all nine** questions.

You will have 5 minutes to read through the paper after the CD starts.

Information for Candidates

The total mark for this paper is 40.

Figures in brackets printed at the end of each question indicate the marks awarded to each question or part question.

Use of a dictionary is **not** permitted.

Answer all questions.

1 Four teenagers describe their eating habits.

Tick (✓) the correct box. [1 mark for each]

(a) Vanessa

(i) eats healthy food.

(ii) thinks she must change her habits.

(iii) dislikes fast food.

(b) Thomas

(i) usually eats healthily.

(ii) rarely eats healthily.

(iii) drinks 4 litres of water a day.

(c) Aïcha

(i) does not eat healthy food.

(ii) eats a lot of meat.

(iii) eats very little meat.

(d) André

(i) is careful about what he eats.

(ii) does not pay attention to what he eats.

(iii) comes home at midday.

2 Four students talk about how they revise.

Tick (✓) the correct box. [1 mark for each]

(a) Serge

(i) has problems with revision.

(ii) is well organised.

(iii) starts to revise a week before the exam.

(b) Marion

(i) has enough energy for revision.

(ii) has no energy for revision.

(iii) has friends who are never tired.

(c) Jean-Jacques

(i) likes revising.

(ii) wants to continue his studies.

(iii) does not like revising.

(d) Odile

(i) drinks lots of hot chocolate.

(ii) works during the day.

(iii) has an unhealthy lifestyle.

3 Two girls discuss family life.Tick (✓) the **two** correct boxes. [2 marks]

- (a) (i) Claire is the oldest in the family.
- (ii) Claire is the youngest in the family.
- (iii) Claire's sisters help her.
- (iv) Claire's parents often work late.
- (v) Claire's parents help her with the housework.

Tick (✓) the **two** correct boxes. [2 marks]

- (b) (i) Isabelle always gets on well with her father.
- (ii) Isabelle's father trusts her.
- (iii) Isabelle has to say where she is going.
- (iv) Isabelle can go out whenever she wants.
- (v) Isabelle is not lucky.

4 Two teenagers discuss what they do on Saturdays.

Write the answers **in English** in the boxes.

[2 marks for each part]

(a) Cécile does not like Saturday because

Reason 1	Reason 2

(b) Matthieu likes Saturday because

Reason 1	Reason 2

5 Four people talk about going on holiday.

Tick (✓) the correct box. [1 mark for each]

(a) The passports were found in

(i) mum's handbag.

(ii) dad's pocket.

(iii) the boot of the car.

(b) When we go on holiday,

(i) mum likes to be on time.

(ii) dad stays calm.

(iii) dad loses his temper.

(c) The family

(i) is sad at leaving home.

(ii) is going to the seaside.

(iii) travels by car.

(d) Last year,

(i) things worked out in the end.

(ii) mum went to see the doctor.

(iii) mum had to stay at home.

6 Four pupils tell of their experiences in English schools.

Tick (✓) the correct box. [1 mark for each]

(a) Amélie

(i) did not like her experience.

(ii) wore school uniform.

(iii) enjoyed her visit.

(b) Charles

(i) really enjoyed the experience.

(ii) prefers lessons in France.

(iii) thought the pupils understood the lessons.

(c) Virginie

(i) was helped by the teacher.

(ii) is good at History.

(iii) spoke in French.

(d) During the lesson,

(i) Samuel spoke too fast.

(ii) Samuel spoke about sport in France.

(iii) the pupils answered well.

7 You hear this discussion between a father and his son.

Tick (✓) the **two** correct boxes. [2 marks]

- (a) (i) Most of David's friends are sensible.
- (ii) All David's friends are sensible.
- (iii) David has only ever smoked once.
- (iv) David has never smoked.
- (v) David's father knows he has been smoking.

Tick (✓) the **two** correct boxes. [2 marks]

- (b) (i) David's dad often plays sport.
- (ii) David's dad is too busy to play sport.
- (iii) David agrees with his dad.
- (iv) David believes that reading is relaxing.
- (v) David believes that exercise is the best way to relax.

8 Four adults reflect on their childhood.

Complete the following sentences in **English**.

(a) Pierre could play outside because there was not much
[1 mark]

_____ .

(b) Mathilde says that nowadays most young people either
have a car or can [1 mark]

_____ .

(c) Each year, Claude's father [1 mark]

_____ .

(d) Anne thinks that life these days is [1 mark]

_____ .

9 You hear this programme about learning a foreign language.

Answer the following questions **in English**.

(a) (i) Learning a foreign language is enjoyable, but what is essential? [1 mark]

(ii) What slight disadvantage is there in learning a language? [1 mark]

(b) Give **two** advantages of learning a foreign language. [1 mark for each advantage]

1. _____

2. _____

(c) (i) What can you understand better? [1 mark]

(ii) What has been discovered about knowing one language well? [1 mark]

(d) (i) What does learning a language give you? [1 mark]

(ii) Why are local people happy? [1 mark]

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