

**OXFORD CAMBRIDGE AND RSA EXAMINATIONS**  
**GCSE**

**A834/01**  
**PORTUGUESE**  
**Writing**

**WEDNESDAY 16 MAY 2018: Morning**

**DURATION: 1 hour**  
**plus your additional time allowance**

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**Candidates answer on the Question Paper.**

**OCR SUPPLIED MATERIALS:**

**None**

**OTHER MATERIALS REQUIRED:**

**None**

**READ INSTRUCTIONS OVERLEAF**



## **INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

**Write your name, centre number and candidate number in the boxes on the front page. Please write clearly and in capital letters.**

**Use black ink.**

**Read each question carefully. Make sure you know what you have to do before starting your answer.**

**Answer ANY TWO questions.**

**Write your answer to each question in the space provided. Additional paper may be used if necessary but you must clearly show your candidate number, centre number and question number(s).**

**WRITE APPROXIMATELY 150 WORDS FOR EACH QUESTION IN PORTUGUESE.**

## **INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES**

**The number of marks is given in brackets [ ] at the end of each question or part question.**

**The total number of marks for this paper is 50.**

**DICTIONARIES ARE ALLOWED.**

**Answer  
TWO  
questions  
only**

**You must answer TWO questions ONLY from the list of 5 printed below.**

**Each question is printed with space for you to write your answer.**

**QUESTION 1    Home and local area**

**Write A LETTER to your penfriend about your home and your neighbours.**

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**QUESTION 2    Health and sport**

**Write A REPORT for your local newspaper about a dance workshop for people of all ages.**

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**QUESTION 3    Leisure and entertainment**

**Write AN ESSAY about your favourite entertainer.**

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**QUESTION 4    Travel and the wider world**

**Write A BLOG about journeys and different ways to travel.**

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**QUESTION 5    Education and work**

**Write AN ARTICLE for your school website about the advantages of having a part-time job.**

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**You must answer TWO questions ONLY.**

**Write approximately 150 WORDS for each question in PORTUGUESE.**

## **QUESTION 1    Home and local area**

**Write A LETTER to your penfriend about your home and your neighbours. [25 MARKS]**

**REMEMBER:**

**to give factual information AND explain ideas and points of view (your own or those of others)**

**to use a variety of vocabulary, different types of sentences and different verb tenses.**

**You can use your own ideas OR you could include these ideas:**

**say where your home is and who you live with**

**say what you do to help in your home (e.g. cooking / cleaning / washing up)**

**give details of what you have done and/or plan to do to help your neighbours with their shopping or gardening and say how you feel about it**

**say whether or not you think that it is interesting to grow flowers and vegetables and why**

**if you could design your dream home, say where it would be, what it would look like, what would make it special and explain your choices.**

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## **QUESTION 2    Health and sport**

**Write A REPORT for your local newspaper about a dance workshop for people of all ages. [25 MARKS]**

### **REMEMBER:**

**to give factual information AND explain ideas and points of view (your own or those of others)**

**to use a variety of vocabulary, different types of sentences and different verb tenses.**

**You can use your own ideas OR you could include these ideas:**

**say what exercise you usually do to keep healthy**

**describe a style of dance you are interested in (e.g. street dance / hip hop / folk dance)**

**give details of what you did and learned in the dance workshop and say how you felt about it**

**say whether or not you think that dancing can be good exercise for people of all ages and why**

**if you could help to plan another dance workshop, say what you would do to make it even better and give your reasons why.**

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### **QUESTION 3    Leisure and entertainment**

**Write AN ESSAY about your favourite entertainer.**

**[25 MARKS]**

**REMEMBER:**

**to give factual information AND explain ideas and points of view (your own or those of others)**

**to use a variety of vocabulary, different types of sentences and different verb tenses.**

**You can use your own ideas OR you could include these ideas:**

**say who your favourite entertainer is and what s/he does (e.g. sings / plays music / tv star / film star)**

**describe this entertainer and say what makes you a fan**

**give details of what s/he did in a recent show/concert/ film and/or plans to do in the future and say how you feel about it**

**say whether or not you prefer to go to live concerts and shows than to watch films and recorded television programmes and explain why**

**if you could watch your favourite entertainer perform in a special place, say where you would go, who would go with you and give reasons why.**

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## **QUESTION 4   Travel and the wider world**

**Write A BLOG about journeys and different ways to travel.  
[25 MARKS]**

**REMEMBER:**

**to give factual information AND explain ideas and points of view (your own or those of others)**

**to use a variety of vocabulary, different types of sentences and different verb tenses.**

**You can use your own ideas OR you could include these ideas:**

**describe your normal journey to school**

**say how you like to travel when you go on holiday  
(e.g. car / coach / taxi)**

**give details of a boat or train journey that you have made and/or plan to make and say how you feel about it**

**say whether or not you think that a journey can be more interesting than arriving at your destination and why**

**say what would be your ideal journey anywhere in the world, who you would like to travel with and give reasons why.**

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## **QUESTION 5   Education and work**

**Write AN ARTICLE for your school website about the advantages of having a part-time job. [25 MARKS]**

**REMEMBER:**

**to give factual information AND explain ideas and points of view (your own or those of others)**

**to use a variety of vocabulary, different types of sentences and different verb tenses.**

**You can use your own ideas OR you could include these ideas:**

**say what you usually do when you get home from school**

**give details of a part-time job that you have or that one of your friends has (e.g. in a shop / restaurant / garden centre)**

**describe what you have done and/or plan to do to find an interesting part-time job and say how you feel about it**

**say whether or not you think that a part-time job is a good way to get work experience and why**

**if you could learn a skill that would help in your chosen career, say what skill you would learn, what career you would like to have and explain your choices.**

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**END OF QUESTION PAPER**



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