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**French  
Directed Writing**

FRIDAY, 26 APRIL  
9:00 AM – 11:00 AM



Fill in these boxes and read what is printed below.

Full name of centre

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Town

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**Total marks — 20**

Choose ONE scenario on *page 02* and write your answer clearly, in **French**, in the space provided in this booklet. You must clearly identify the scenario number you are attempting.

You may use a French dictionary.

Additional space for answers is provided at the end of this booklet.

Use **blue** or **black** ink.

There is a separate answer booklet for Reading. You must complete your answers for Reading in the answer booklet for Reading.

Before leaving the examination room you must give this Directed Writing question and answer booklet and your Reading answer booklet to the Invigilator; if you do not, you may lose all the marks for this paper.



Choose one of the following two scenarios.

**SCENARIO 1: Society**

Last summer you got the opportunity to spend a month living with a French family. On your return you were asked to write an account of your experience, in **French**, for your school/college website.

**You must include** the following information and **you should try to add** other relevant details:

- where exactly you went **and** what you thought of the town
- how you got on with the family
- what you did to improve your French
- what you found most difficult about your stay
- how you benefitted from your stay
- whether or not you would live with a French family again.

You should write approximately 150–180 words.

**OR**

**SCENARIO 2: Learning**

Last July, you spent two weeks in France at a language school. On your return you have been asked to write an account, in **French**, of your experience for the language school website.

**You must include** the following information and **you should try to add** other relevant details:

- where the language school was situated **and** where you stayed for the two weeks
- what you thought of the accommodation
- what you did during the day at the language school
- what you did in the evenings
- how you benefitted from your studies
- whether or not you would consider doing a similar course in the future.

You should write approximately 150–180 words.













