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Fill in these boxes and read what is printed below.

Full name of centre

Town

Forename(s)

Surname

Number of seat

Date of birth

Day

Month

Year

Scottish candidate number

Total marks — 30

Attempt ALL questions.

Write your answers clearly, in **English**, in the spaces provided in this booklet.

You may use a Chinese dictionary.

Additional space for answers is provided at the end of this booklet. If you use this space you must clearly identify the question number you are attempting.

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

There is a separate question and answer booklet for Writing. You must complete your answer for Writing in the question and answer booklet for Writing.

Before leaving the examination room you must give both booklets to the Invigilator; if you do not, you may lose all the marks for this paper.



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Text 1

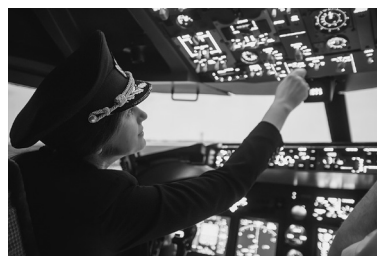
Ruikai talks about wanting to become a pilot.

我將來想做飛行員，因為我從小就喜歡旅行。

做飛行員有很多好處：你可以認識很多人，也可以去很多有趣的地方，而且比在辦公室工作更好。

我父母支持我做飛行員，但是他們說這份工作的壞處是壓力很大，時間也太長。

去年寒假我在北京國際機場實習過。每天去上班很方便，因為我們家離機場不遠。雖然我沒有工資，但是他們給我提供免費的午餐。每天早上我要在大門口歡迎旅客，下午我要幫旅客拿行李。我的同事都很熱情、幽默、外向，可是老闆很兇，容易生氣。



Word list

飛行員 pilot

實習 do work experience

Questions

(a) Why does Ruikai want to become a pilot? Tick (✓) the correct box.

1

| | Tick (✓) |
|--|----------|
| She has always loved flying | |
| Since primary school she has liked science | |
| She has enjoyed travelling since she was small | |



Text 1 questions (continued)

- (b) According to Ruikai, what are the advantages of becoming a pilot? Tick (✓) the two correct boxes.

2

| | Tick (✓) |
|--|----------|
| The holidays are quite long | |
| You can meet lots of people | |
| It is better than working in an office | |
| You can earn lots of money | |

- (c) What do Ruikai's parents think are the disadvantages of this job? State two things.

2

- (d) Ruikai talks about doing work experience. Why was it convenient for her?

1

- (e) What were her duties? Complete the grid below.

2

| Time of day | Duty |
|-------------|------|
| Morning | |
| Afternoon | |

- (f) What does Ruikai say about the people she worked with? State any two things.

2

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Text 2

Xiao Ma writes about a trip to China to see her grandparents.

去年我和家人一起去了中國河南省看我爺爺奶奶。他們家在農村，那裡附近有山，風景很漂亮。



他們的房子只有一個臥室，所以我們住在旅館。他們家也有一個小花園，我奶奶喜歡種蔬菜，比如薯仔、番茄等等。雖然我爺爺很老，但是他每天早上帶我去公園打羽毛球。我發現中國很多老年人早上會去公園散步、跳舞。每天晚上我爸爸都會幫助奶奶做飯，我覺得他們做的飯很好吃！

在爺爺奶奶家的最後一天，我們一家人在花園裡吃了一頓特別的午餐。我們坐出租車去火車站的時候，奶奶哭了，爺爺也很難過。

去中國看爺爺奶奶對我很重要，因為這是我第一次去他們家。雖然我爸爸是中國人，但是我們在家很少說中文，這次去中國對我很有用，因為也是一個練習中文口語的好機會。

Word list

發現 discover



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Questions

- (a) What does Xiao Ma tell you about where her grandparents live? Tick (✓) the two correct boxes.

2

| | Tick (✓) |
|--|----------|
| The air is very good | |
| It is only half an hour from the coast | |
| There are mountains nearby | |
| The scenery is beautiful | |

- (b) Xiao Ma writes about her grandparents' house. Are the following statements True or False? Tick (✓) the correct boxes.

2

| | True | False |
|--|------|-------|
| They have a small balcony | | |
| Her grandmother grows vegetables in the garden | | |

- (c) What were some of the activities the family did? Complete the grid.

2

| People | Activities |
|-------------------------|-----------------|
| Xiao Ma and grandfather | |
| | did the cooking |

- (d) Xiao Ma writes about the end of the trip. Are the following statements True or False? Tick (✓) the correct boxes.

2

| | True | False |
|--|------|-------|
| They had a special meal in the garden | | |
| Her grandparents saw them off at the airport | | |

- (e) Why was it important to Xiao Ma to go to China to see her grandparents? State one thing.

1

- (f) Why did Xiao Ma find the trip useful? State one thing.

1



Text 3

Lu Xi talks about holidaying in Lü Dao, Taiwan.

綠島是個旅遊的好地方。上個月,我和家人去那兒度假,我們住在一個五星級的大酒店。這個酒店又新又漂亮,離海灘很近。

我每天在酒店的花園裡吃早餐。酒店提供中式和西式的早餐。我比較喜歡吃新鮮的水果、喝牛奶, 有時候我也吃煎蛋。



因為中午太熱了,所以我經常在酒店大廳裡喝冰咖啡。下午媽媽在游泳池邊曬太陽,我和弟弟一起去海邊騎馬,輕輕的海風讓人覺得非常舒服。在綠島度假,我們都很開心,因為每個人都能享受自己的愛好。

綠島是一個環保的地方,這裡沒有汽車。大多數的人都騎自行車,因此這裡的空氣特別新鮮。

Word list

- 綠島 Lü Dao name of an island in Taiwan
- 享受 enjoy

Questions

- (a) When did Lu Xi go on holiday? 1

- (b) What does she say about the hotel? State any two things. 2



Text 3 questions (continued)

(c) She talks about the hotel breakfast.

(i) Where did she have breakfast?

1

(ii) What did she have? State any **two** things.

2

(d) Why does she mention the hotel lobby?

1

(e) What did the family do in the afternoon? State any **two** things.

2

(f) What makes the island environmentally friendly? State **one** thing.

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