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**CHINESE (MANDARIN)**

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**Higher Tier Paper 2 Speaking**

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**8673/SH**

**CANDIDATE'S MATERIAL – PHOTO CARD**

**To be conducted by the teacher-examiner  
between 2 April and 17 May 2024**

**Time allowed: 10–12 minutes  
(+ 12 minutes' supervised preparation time)**

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## **INSTRUCTIONS**

- **You must NOT use a dictionary at any time.**

## **SUPERVISED PREPARATION TIME (12 MINUTES)**

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**CARD G****CANDIDATE'S PHOTO CARD**

- **Look at the photo during the preparation period.**
- **Make any notes you wish to on an Additional Answer Sheet.**
- **Your teacher will then ask you questions about the photo and about topics related to ME, MY FAMILY AND FRIENDS.**



**An image shows a family sitting on a sofa in a living room. There is an older man and a woman, a young man and a woman, and a boy and a girl. The boy is sitting on the older man's lap. The girl is sitting on the young woman's lap. They are all smiling except the boy.**

**[Turn over]**

**Your teacher will ask you the following three questions and then TWO MORE QUESTIONS which you have not prepared.**

- **What is there in the photo?**
- **Where did you go to have fun when you were little?**
- **What type of friends do you like to have?**

**END OF QUESTIONS**

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**CARD H****CANDIDATE'S PHOTO CARD**

- **Look at the photo during the preparation period.**
- **Make any notes you wish to on an Additional Answer Sheet.**
- **Your teacher will then ask you questions about the photo and about topics related to FREE-TIME ACTIVITIES.**



**An image shows nine people watching a film in a cinema. A couple of them are holding snacks.**

**[Turn over]**

**Your teacher will ask you the following three questions and then TWO MORE QUESTIONS which you have not prepared.**

- **What is there in the photo?**
- **What type of films do your family members like to watch?**
- **Last time you went to the cinema, who did you go with?**

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## **CARD I**

### **CANDIDATE'S PHOTO CARD**

- **Look at the photo during the preparation period.**
- **Make any notes you wish to on an Additional Answer Sheet.**
- **Your teacher will then ask you questions about the photo and about topics related to HOME, TOWN, NEIGHBOURHOOD AND REGION.**



**An image shows a busy pedestrian street in a city. On the left of the street are lots of shops and a food hall. Outside the shops are billboard advertisements and street lights. On the right of the street are two parked trams. There are lots of people walking along the street. Some are holding shopping bags. In the background are high-rise buildings.**

**[Turn over]**

**Your teacher will ask you the following three questions and then TWO MORE QUESTIONS which you have not prepared.**

- **What is there in the photo?**
- **Do you think it is good to live in the city centre?**
- **Describe a place you lived in when you were little.**

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- **Look at the photo during the preparation period.**
- **Make any notes you wish to on an Additional Answer Sheet.**
- **Your teacher will then ask you questions about the photo and about topics related to GLOBAL ISSUES.**



**An image shows a woman sitting outside under a tree and reading a book. She is smiling. In the background is a hedge and lots of other trees.**

**[Turn over]**

**Your teacher will ask you the following three questions and then TWO MORE QUESTIONS which you have not prepared.**

- **What is there in the photo?**
- **What kind of weather do you like and why?**
- **Where did your family members go last weekend?**

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**CARD K****CANDIDATE'S PHOTO CARD**

- **Look at the photo during the preparation period.**
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- **Your teacher will then ask you questions about the photo and about topics related to MY STUDIES.**



**An image shows four young men and four young women looking at a laptop screen and smiling. One of the women is holding a pen and there is a notebook on the table.**

**[Turn over]**

**Your teacher will ask you the following three questions and then TWO MORE QUESTIONS which you have not prepared.**

- **What is there in the photo?**
- **What subject are you best at?**
- **What subject did your friends feel was most difficult last term?**

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- **Your teacher will then ask you questions about the photo and about topics related to EDUCATION POST-16.**



**An image shows six students walking along a corridor with large windows. The students are all carrying a bag. Three of them are holding a notebook. One of them is holding a laptop. They are all smiling and chatting.**

**[Turn over]**

**Your teacher will ask you the following three questions and then TWO MORE QUESTIONS which you have not prepared.**

- **What is there in the photo?**
- **Describe a happy day you had at school recently.**
- **Do you think it is good for students to do a part-time job? Why/why not?**

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