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**GCSE
CHINESE (MANDARIN)**

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Higher Tier Paper 4 Writing

8673/WH

Wednesday 22 May 2024 Afternoon

Time allowed: 1 hour 15 minutes

MATERIALS

You will need no other materials.

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INSTRUCTIONS

- You must **NOT** use a dictionary.
- Use black ink or black ball-point pen.
- You must answer **THREE** questions.
- You must answer **EITHER** Question 1.1 **OR** Question 1.2. Do **NOT** answer both of these questions.
- You must answer **EITHER** Question 2.1 **OR** Question 2.2. Do **NOT** answer both of these questions.
- You must answer Question 3.
- Answer **ALL** questions in **CHINESE CHARACTERS**.
- You must answer the questions in the spaces provided. Do **NOT** write on blank pages.
- If you need extra space for your answer(s), use the lined pages at the end of this book. Write the question number against your answer(s).
- Do all rough work in this answer book. Cross through any work you do not want to be marked.



INFORMATION

- **The marks for questions are shown in brackets.**
- **The maximum mark for this paper is 60.**
- **In order to score the highest marks for Question 1.1/ Question 1.2, you must write something about each bullet point. You must use a variety of vocabulary and structures and include your opinions.**
- **In order to score the highest marks for Question 2.1/ Question 2.2, you must write something about both bullet points. You must use a variety of vocabulary and structures and include your opinions and reasons.**

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Answer EITHER Question 1.1 OR Question 1.2.

You must NOT answer BOTH of these questions.

EITHER

0 1 . 1

You are writing an email to your Chinese friend about using the Internet.

Mention:

- your views about the Internet
- how often you go online
- what you did when you were last online
- what you want to learn online in the future.

**Write approximately 75 CHINESE CHARACTERS.
Respond to every bullet point. [16 marks]**

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OR

0 1 . 2

Write a blog post about your life.

Mention:

- what job you would like to do in the future
- how you spend your weekends
- what clothes you wore last weekend
- your views on school uniform.

Write approximately 75 CHINESE CHARACTERS.
Respond to every bullet point. [16 marks]

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Answer EITHER Question 2.1 OR Question 2.2.

You must NOT answer BOTH of these questions.

EITHER

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You have won a Chinese cooking competition! You are asked to write a blog for the school website.

Mention:

- your views about food
- a recent special occasion when you cooked a meal.

**Write approximately 125 CHINESE CHARACTERS.
Respond to both bullet points. [32 marks]**

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OR

0 2 . 2

You have done some research about the environment.
Write an article about it.

Mention:

- the environmental issues in your area
- your views about where you would like to live in the future.

Write approximately 125 CHINESE CHARACTERS.
Respond to both bullet points. [32 marks]

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Translate the following passage into CHINESE CHARACTERS.

Today is a sunny day. My family and I are planning to go to the seaside. When we went last time the food there was very expensive, therefore Dad is going to buy bread and juice for us at the supermarket. After I get a job, if I have lots of money, I want to have a beautiful boat.

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