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General Certificate of Secondary Education
2022

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French

Unit 4: Writing
Foundation Tier



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FRIDAY 27 MAY, AFTERNOON

TIME

1 hour.

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Write your Centre Number and Candidate Number in the spaces provided at the top of this page.

You must answer the questions in the spaces provided.

Do not write outside the boxed area on each page or on blank pages.

Complete in black ink only. **Do not write with a gel pen.**

Answer **all four** questions.

INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

The total mark for this paper is 60.

Figures in brackets printed down the right-hand side of pages indicate the marks awarded to each question or part question.

Use of a dictionary is **not** permitted.



Answer **all** questions in **French**.

1 School life



(a) Your French teacher asks you to make a list of subjects you study.

Write a suitable **word** in each of the spaces provided.

Write in **French**.

(i) _____ [1]

(ii) _____ [1]

(iii) _____ [1]

(iv) _____ [1]



(b) Your French teacher asks you to write about what you wear to school.

Write a suitable short phrase **of 2–3 words** in each of the spaces below.

Write **in French**.

(i) _____ [2]

(ii) _____ [2]

(iii) _____ [2]

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2 Your home and local area



A French exchange student is coming to visit and would like to know some details about where you live.

Write **one** sentence for each answer.

Write **in French** in the spaces below.

(a) Your home

[2]

(b) Your bedroom

[2]

(c) Housework

[2]



(d) What there is near your home

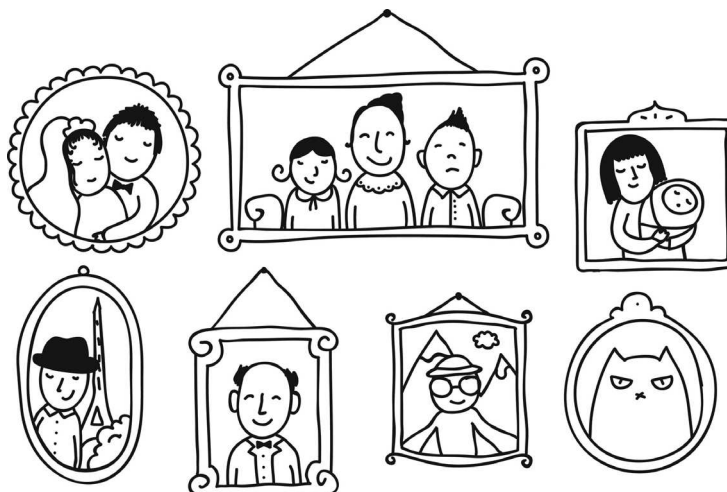
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(e) Your opinion of where you live

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3 Myself and my family



You write to your French exchange partner about yourself and your family.

Translate the English sentences.

Write **in French** in the spaces below.

(a) My name is Alex.

[2]

(b) I live near Belfast.

[2]

(c) I love my sister.

[2]



(d) I have two rabbits.

[2]

(e) I am very shy.

[2]



- 4 Choose **one** question from the three options provided and write your answer **in French**.

You **must** write **five** paragraphs.

You **must** include **all** bullet points.

(a) Context 1:

Topic: Festivals and celebrations

You are writing an article for a tourist information website about festivals and celebrations in your country.

- Your birthday
- What you do with your friends at Easter
- What the weather is like at Christmas
- What you ate on Christmas Day last year
- Presents you would like to receive next Christmas

OR

(b) Context 2:

Topic: Holidays

You have entered a French writing competition at your school on the topic of holidays.

- Where you like to go on holidays
- How you prefer to travel on holiday
- Interesting activities for tourists in Northern Ireland
- What you did during the summer holidays last year
- Where you will go on holiday next year

OR

(c) Context 3:

Topic: Extra-curricular activities

You are writing an article on extra-curricular activities for the French section of your school's website.

- Sport in your school
- Music in your school
- Why extra-curricular activities are important
- A trip organised by your school in the past
- A new school activity you would like to try in the future

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