SPECIMEN MATERIAL

GCSE
BENGALI

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Foundation Tier Paper 1 Listening

Specimen 2019 Morning Time allowed: 35 minutes
(including 5 minutes' reading time before the test)

You will need no other materials.
The pauses are pre-recorded for this test.

Instructions
Use black ink or black ball-point pen.
Fill in the boxes at the bottom of this page.
Do not open this book until you are told to do so.

Information
The marks for questions are shown in brackets. The maximum mark for this paper is 40.
You must **not** use a dictionary.

Advice
This is what you should do for each item.

- After the question number is announced, there will be a pause to allow you to read the instructions and questions.
- Listen carefully to the recording and read the questions again.
- Listen to the recording again, and then answer the questions.
- When the next question is about to start you will hear a bleep like this (*).
- You may write at any time during the test.
- In **Section A,** answer the questions in **English**. In **Section B,** answer the questions in **Bengali**.
- You must answer all the questions in the spaces provided. Do not write on blank pages.
- Write neatly and put down **all** the information you are asked to give.
- **You must not ask questions or interrupt during the test.**
- You now have five minutes to read through the question paper. You may make notes during this time. You may open your answer book now.
- **The test starts now.**

Please write clearly, in block capitals, to allow character computer recognition.

Centre number ☐☐☐☐☐ Candidate number ☐☐☐☐

Surname

Forename(s)

Candidate signature _____

Section A Questions and answers in **English**

School

Some Bengali students are taking about their school subjects.

For each subject, write in the box a reason why they do **not** like it.

Answer in **English**.

Example:

Subject	Reason
Science	**First lesson of the day**

0 1

Subject	Reason
PE	

[1 mark]

0 2

Subject	Reason
English	

[1 mark]

0 3

Subject	Reason
History	

[1 mark]

Family

You are doing some research into family life in Bangladesh. You find this clip online of students discussing relationships between family members.

Listen to what they say and answer the questions in **English**.

0 4 Who helps with housework?

_____

[1 mark]

0 5 Who disciplines the children?

_____

[1 mark]

0 6 Who works the hardest?

_____

[1 mark]

Turn over for the next question

Home and neighbourhood

Murshed and Zahida have conducted a study about their local area which they are now presenting at a council meeting.

A	Pedestrian crossing lights
B	Regeneration work
C	Clean environment
D	Smaller flats
E	Old buildings
F	Car park facilities
G	Improvement of local shops
H	Old people's homes

Which **four** issues are they talking about?

Write the correct letters in the boxes.

0 7 ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ **[4 marks]**

Jobs

Khaliq is giving a presentation to his class about his part-time job.

Answer this question in **English.**

0 8 What was his **main** job?

_____

[1 mark]

0 9 Which **two** extra duties did he have?

1 _____

2 _____

[2 marks]

Free-time activities

While on holiday in Bangladesh, you overhear four teenagers chatting about what they like to do in their free time.

Choose the correct answer and write the letter in each box.

1 0 This boy spends his time …

A	tweeting his classmates.
B	tweeting his childhood friend.
C	visiting his friends.

[1 mark]

1 1 This girl likes …

A	keeping in touch with relatives.
B	texting her friends.
C	going to birthday parties.

[1 mark]

1 2 This boy likes to …

A	try different foods.
B	eat at his friends' houses.
C	cook different food for his friends.

[1 mark]

Answer the question in **English**.

1 3 What effect does music have on this girl?

[1 mark]

Job interview

Ruhel has applied for his dream job. Listen to his telephone interview with the manager. Answer the questions in **English**.

1 4 Which **two** main qualities does Ruhel say he has?

1 _____

2 _____

[2 marks]

1 5 Why does Ruhel think he is perfect for the job? Give **two** reasons.

1 _____

2 _____

[2 marks]

1 6 What is his **main** reason for wanting the job?

_____

[1 mark]

Turn over for the next question

Young people

Listen to these friends making a recording for their school radio about their free-time activities.

Which topic is each person talking about and what is their opinion?

Write **P** for a positive opinion.

Write **N** for a negative opinion.

Write **P+N** for a positive and a negative opinion.

Topics	
A	Friends
B	Restaurant
C	Parks
D	Television
E	Theatre
F	Swimming
G	Shopping

Example

Topic	Opinion
D	**P+N**

1 7

Topic	Opinion

[2 marks]

1 8

Topic	Opinion

[2 marks]

1 9

Topic	Opinion

[2 marks]

Holidays

Rina and Jamal have made a podcast about their dream holiday.

A	Relaxing on the beach
B	Going shopping
C	Collecting souvenirs
D	Tasting local food
E	Rock climbing
F	Going surfing
G	Visiting historical places
H	Meeting new people

What **two** things does each person like doing on holiday?

Write the correct letters in the boxes.

2 0 ☐ ☐ **[2 marks]**

2 1 ☐ ☐ **[2 marks]**

Section B Questions and answers in **Bengali**

বাংলা নববর্ষ

নববর্ষ নিয়ে রীতা ও দিলীপ কী বলছে?
নীচের ছকদু'টি থেকে সঠিক দু'টি উত্তরের অক্ষর বেছে খালি বাক্সে লেখো।

2 2 দিলীপ এর মতে ...

A	লন্ডনে এই প্রথম বৈশাখী মেলা পালন করা হয়।
B	বাংলাদেশী খাবারের দোকানগুলো ছিলো জনপ্রিয়।
C	সবাই বেশী উপভোগ করে বাংলা গানের আসর।
D	শুধু স্থানীয় শিল্পীরাই মেলায় গান গেয়ে থাকেন।

[2 marks]

2 3 রীতার মতে ...

A	প্রতিবারের মতো সে এবারও গিয়েছিলো।
B	গাড়ি রাখার জায়গা ছিলো না।
C	সবাই গান-বাজনা খুব উপভোগ করেছিলো।
D	মেলায় ভীষণ ভিড় ছিলো।

[2 marks]

ক্রিকেটার শামিমের সঙ্গে একটি সাক্ষাৎকার শুনছো।

নীচের ছকদু'টি থেকে সঠিক দু'টি উত্তরের অক্ষর বেছে খালি বাক্সে লেখো।

2 4 শামিম সম্পর্কে কী কী বলা হয়েছে?

A	টি২০ তে শামিম প্রথম হেরে যান।
B	শামিম বিদেশের পক্ষে খেলেন।
C	শামিম একজন নামকরা খেলোয়াড়।
D	শামিম বাম হাত দিয়ে খেলেন।

[2 marks]

2 5 শামিমের পরিবার সম্পর্কে কী কী বলা হয়েছে?।

A	আসিফ চাচার খুব প্রিয় ছিলেন।
B	আমজাদ খান একজন নামী খেলোয়াড়।
C	চাচার অমতে শামিম ক্রিকেটার হন।
D	শামিম ক্রিকেট শিখেন আসিফের কাছে।

[2 marks]

END OF QUESTIONS

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