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Higher Tier Paper 3 Reading

Specimen Mark scheme

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Qu	Key idea	Accept	Reject	Mark
01.1	The billiard room	The snooker/pool room A room with a billiard/snooker/pool table in A room where billiards/snooker/pool is played		1
01.2	The people who are there	The people who are in the room The persons...		1
01.3	People coming from outside the house	People coming in from the street Anyone... Visitors		1

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Qu	Key idea	Accept	Reject	Mark
02.1	Grandparents	Grandmother and grandfather	Grandfathers	1
02.2	(Many) factories shut = 1 (A lot of) people lost their job(s) = 1 They improved the sports facilities = 1 (in any order)	...became unemployed The sports facilities were improved /made better.		3
02.3	(She was) frightened.	...worried Her heart leapt into her mouth. She didn't dare look. She was relieved ,,,.		1
02.4	(She thought) the boy might fall.	(She thought) there might be an accident / something might happen. Because the boy was on top of the (human) tower/the castell . (following <i>relieved</i> in 2.3)...because nothing happened.		1

Qu	Key idea	Accept	Reject	Mark
03.1	How bored you are = 1 How little you're paid = 1 What don't you like about your colleagues = 1 (in any order)	Being bored How little they pay you / The pay / Being underpaid ...work mates / the people you work with		3
03.2	Finding details of a company you are interested in (working for)	Finding information.../Finding out about... Finding details of what a company you are interested in does/makes		1
03.3	Have two (social networking) sites	...accounts		1
03.4	So you can distinguish between what's public and what's private	...the public and the private / personal To keep the public and the private / personal separate		1
03.5	Making (a lot of) mistakes = 1 create a bad impression. = 1 (either of the 2 elements gets the mark)	if you make (a lot of) mistakes / it can create a bad impression. Errors (for mistakes) ...it can give a (future) boss / employer a bad impression. It can damage your image.		1

Qu	Key idea	Accept	Reject	Mark
04.1	No + She usually sleeps less than 6 hours.	No + She doesn't sleep for 8 hours / She doesn't like going to bed.		1
04.2	No + She sits around all day	No + She doesn't exercise as much as she would like.		1
04.3	No + She prefers to eat junk food / fast food	No + She doesn't eat 5 items of fruit and veg a day.		1
04.4	Yes + She uses sun cream/block <u>and</u> a hat and glasses (to protect against UV)	Yes + she takes every precaution to protect herself against UV rays.	Yes + She uses sun cream/block (on its own)	1

Qu	Accept	Mark
05.1	N	1
05.2	P	1
05.3	F	1
05.4	F	1

Qu	Accept	Mark
06.1	A	1
06.2	A C (in either order)	1 1

Qu	Key idea	Accept	Reject	Mark
06.3	She realises the importance of the work.			1
06.4	Whether a young girl should be working (even though she likes it so much).	Child labour		1

Qu	Accept	Mark
07.1	B E (in either order)	1 1

Qu	Key idea	Accept	Reject	Mark
07.2	His father made Paco give him all the money he earned = (1) His father threw him out (of the house) / He made Paco homeless = (1)	He had to give everything he earned / all his wages to his father. His father refused to / said he couldn't keep him (any longer).		2

Qu	Key idea	Accept	Reject	Mark
8.1	(a fines del) invierno		Any answers in English	1
8.2	(los) combates de flores		“	1
8.3	(unas) estrellas del cine		“	1

Qu	Accept	Mark
09	G F B (in this order)	3

Qu	Key idea	Accept	Reject	Mark
10.1	hombre de negocios	negociante / empresario	negocios Answers in English	1
10.2	horas flexibles		Answers in English	1
10.3	médica	médico	Answers in English	1
10.4	seis años de estudio	6 años de estudio	Answers in English	1

Qu	Accept	Mark
11.1	E	1
11.2	B	1
11.3	A	1
11.4	C	1

Qu	Accept	Mark
12.1	7	1
12.2	3	1
12.3	6	1
12.4	2	1

Qu		Key idea	Accept	Reject	Mark
13	¿Qué estás haciendo con tu móvil?	What are you doing with your mobile (phone)?			1
	preguntó el profesor, furioso.	asked the teacher, angrily.	the teacher asked... ...crossly. ...the teacher, furious. ...the furious teacher.	Wrong tense	1
	No puedes usarlo en clase.	You can't use it in class.	...One can't/ It is forbidden to... ...in the lesson/in school		1
	Quiero ver el resultado del partido.	I want to see the result of the match.	...to look at... ...the game.		1
	Si mi equipo favorito gana esta tarde	If my favourite team wins this afternoon	...side.../...club...		1
	será el mejor de la liga.	it will be (the) best (one) in the league.	...top of the league.	Wrong tense	1
	Por favor, ¡no seas tan tonto!	Please, don't be so stupid!	...silly/daft.		1
	¿Qué dirían tus padres,	What would your parents say		Wrong tense	1
	si supieran cómo te comportas aquí?	if they knew how you behave here?	...behaved...	Wrong tense	1

Total = 60 marks

