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Candidate surname

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Monday 19 June 2023

Afternoon (Time: 1 hour 20 minutes)

Paper
reference

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Japanese

PAPER 4: Writing in Japanese

Foundation Tier

You do not need any other materials.

Total Marks

Instructions

- Use **black** ink, ball-point pen or pencil.
- **Fill in the boxes** at the top of this page with your name, centre number and candidate number.
- Answer Questions 1, 2, 3 and 4. In Questions 2 and 3, answer **either** option (a) **or** option (b).
- Answer the questions in the spaces provided
– *there may be more space than you need.*
- Write your answers in full sentences.
- You must **not** use a dictionary.

Information

- The total mark for this paper is 60.
- The marks for **each** question are shown in brackets
– *use this as a guide as to how much time to spend on each question*
– *you should spend approximately 10 minutes on the translation question.*
- Any work in romaji will **not** be credited.

Advice

- Read each question carefully before you start to answer it.
- Check your answers if you have time at the end.

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Music

4 Translate the following sentences **into Japanese**.

(a) I like music.

(2)

(b) I am good at the guitar.

(2)

(c) It is difficult, but fun.

(2)

(d) We have band practice at school.

(3)

(e) Last week I went to London and met a famous pianist.

(3)

(Total for Question 4 = 12 marks)

TOTAL FOR PAPER = 60 MARKS



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If you choose Question 2(b) put a cross in the box ☒ .

Doing sports together

2 (b) Ms Yamashita, a local sports teacher, has written to your Japanese class, asking you to join one of her classes for an afternoon of sport. Write to Ms Yamashita, **in Japanese**, to accept the invitation.

Write a letter with the following information:

- what day you will visit
- how you will travel there
- what sport you like to play
- a Japanese activity, other than a sport, that you would also like to do.

Write approximately 50–80 characters **in Japanese**.

Use language appropriate for a **formal** letter.

(16)

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(Total for Question 2 = 16 marks)



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Choose either Question 2(a) or Question 2(b).

If you choose Question 2(a) put a cross in the box .

Using your Japanese

- 2 (a) You have heard that your local Japanese restaurant is looking for someone to work for a few hours each week. Write to the manager, **in Japanese**, expressing your interest.

Write a letter with the following information:

- what day you will work there
- how you will get there
- what you will do in the restaurant
- what Japanese food you want to try.

Write approximately 50–80 characters **in Japanese**.

Use language appropriate for a **formal** letter.

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