

Pearson Edexcel Level 1/Level 2 GCSE (9–1)

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Chinese

(spoken Mandarin/spoken Cantonese)

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STIMULUS FP1

Topic: Daily life



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Look at the picture and prepare answers to the following:

- a description of the photograph
- your opinion of eating fruit and vegetables
- something special you have eaten in the past
- where you would like to eat lunch tomorrow
- your opinion of eating with your family.

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Topic: Cultural life



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Look at the picture and prepare answers to the following:

- a description of the photograph
- your opinion of celebrating Chinese New Year
- a festival food you ate last year
- a festival you plan to celebrate in the future
- whether it is important to celebrate festivals with your family.

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Topic: Holidays



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Look at the picture and prepare answers to the following:

- a description of the photograph
- your opinion of travelling
- what you did on your last holiday
- where you would like to go next summer holiday
- your opinion of travelling with friends.

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Topic: Town, region and country



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Look at the picture and prepare answers to the following:

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- your opinion of winter
- an activity you did in cold weather
- what you would eat and drink if it snowed tomorrow
- your opinion of spending time with family.

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Topic: What school is like



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Look at the picture and prepare answers to the following:

- a description of the photograph
- your opinion of wearing school uniform
- an occasion you studied without a computer
- what subject(s) you will study next year
- your opinion of studying with classmates.

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Topic: School activities



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Look at the picture and prepare answers to the following:

- a description of the photograph
- your opinion of taking part in school trips
- a souvenir you have bought
- a school trip you would like to go on in the future
- your opinion of going on trips with your classmates.

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Topic: Ambitions



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Look at the picture and prepare answers to the following:

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- your opinion of helping animals
- an occasion you helped a classmate
- what job you want to do in the future
- whether volunteering is important.

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Topic: Work



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Look at the picture and prepare answers to the following:

- a description of the photograph
- your opinion of being a journalist
- an occasion you worked outside
- a part-time job you want to do in the future
- whether knowing a foreign language can help you find a job.

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Topic: Bringing the world together



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Look at the picture and prepare answers to the following:

- a description of the photograph
- your opinion of listening to music
- a concert you have been to
- an international activity you want to watch in the future
- whether it is important to have international friends.

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Topic: Environmental issues



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Look at the picture and prepare answers to the following:

- a description of the photograph
- your opinion of recycling
- what you recycled last week
- whether you want to buy a car in the future
- whether protecting the environment is difficult.