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Chinese

(spoken Mandarin/spoken Cantonese)

PAPER 2: Speaking in Chinese

Task 1: Role play Instructions to the teacher
(simplified characters)

Foundation Tier

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Topic: Who am I?

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Begin the role play with the following introduction.

A new Chinese student from Beijing has joined your class and you are speaking to them during break.

1	你好! 你是哪国人? Allow the candidate to say what their nationality is.
2	你有什么爱好? Allow the candidate to say what their hobby is.
3	! 你为什么喜欢XX? Allow the candidate to say why they like XX.
4	你家有几口人? Allow the candidate to say how many people there are in their family.
5	? 你有问题要问我吗? Allow the candidate to ask where you live. Give an appropriate brief response.



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Topic: Work

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Begin the role play with the following introduction.

You are looking for a job in a local Chinese restaurant and are speaking with the manager.

1	您好，我可以帮您什么忙？ Allow the candidate to say they are looking for a job.
2	您会做什么？ Allow the candidate to say what they can do.
3	！ 您多大了？ Allow the candidate to say how old they are. 好的。
4	您为什么想在这个饭馆工作？ Allow the candidate to say why they want to work in this restaurant.
5	？ 您有问题要问我吗？ Allow the candidate to ask what clothes they should wear. Give an appropriate brief response.

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Topic: Daily life

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Begin the role play with the following introduction.

Your computer has broken while you are in China. You take it to a shop to be repaired.

1	您好，我可以帮您什么忙？ Allow the candidate to say their computer is broken. 好的，让我看看。
2	您喜欢用电脑做什么？ Allow the candidate to say what they like doing on their computer.
3	！ 您在中国做什么？ Allow the candidate to say what they are doing in China.
4	您几月几号回国？ Allow the candidate to say the date they are returning home.
5	？ 您有问题要问我吗？ Allow the candidate to ask you the cost. Give an appropriate brief response.

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Topic: Town, region and country

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Begin the role play with the following introduction.

You are talking to a tourist information officer in Xi'an.

1	您好，我可以帮您什么忙？ Allow the candidate to say where they want to go.
2	您想怎么去？ Allow the candidate to say how they want to get there.
3	！ 您想在那里做什么？ Allow the candidate to say what they want to do there.
4	您想在西安玩儿几天？ Allow the candidate to say how many days they are staying in Xi'an.
5	？ 您有问题要问我吗？ Allow the candidate to ask about tomorrow's weather. <i>Give an appropriate brief response.</i>



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Topic: What school is like

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Begin the role play with the following introduction.

You are speaking to your new Chinese e-pal about your school.

1	你每天几点上学? Allow the candidate to say what time they go to school every day.
2	你喜欢哪些科目? Allow the candidate to say two subjects they like.
3	! 你为什么喜欢XX? Allow the candidate to say why they like the first subject mentioned.
4	放学以后, 你做什么? Allow the candidate to say what they do after school.
5	? 你有问题要问我吗? Allow the candidate to ask if you have lots of homework. Give an appropriate brief response.

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Topic: Holidays

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Begin the role play with the following introduction.

You live in China and want to go on holiday. You are talking to a travel agent about places to go.

1	您好，我可以帮您什么忙？ Allow the candidate to say they want to go travelling.
2	您想几月几号去？ Allow the candidate to say the date they want to go.
3	！ 假期的时候，您喜欢做什么？ Allow the candidate to say what they like to do on holiday.
4	您想怎么去？ Allow the candidate to say how they want to get there. 我觉得新加坡不错。
5	？ 您有问题要问我吗？ Allow the candidate to ask what the weather is like there. Give an appropriate brief response.

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Topic: School activities

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Begin the role play with the following introduction.

You are talking to one of your Chinese friends about school trips.

1	你为什么喜欢学校旅行? Allow the candidate to say why they like school trips.
2	学校旅行的时候, 你们都去哪些地方? Allow the candidate to say which places they go to on school trips.
3	! 你在XX做什么? Allow the candidate to say what they do at the first place mentioned.
4	参加学校旅行的时候, 你在包里放哪些东西? Allow the candidate to say two things they pack in their bags for school trips.
5	? 你有问题要问我吗? Allow the candidate to ask which school trip is the best. Give an appropriate brief response.

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Topic: Cultural life

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Begin the role play with the following introduction.

You are talking about celebrations with a Chinese exchange student.

1	你的生日是几月几号? Allow the candidate to say the date of their birthday.
2	你喜欢在哪儿庆祝你的生日? Allow the candidate to say where they like to celebrate their birthday.
3	! 生日的时候, 你爱吃什么, 喝什么? Allow the candidate to say what they love to eat and drink on their birthday.
4	你喜欢哪些生日礼物? Allow the candidate to say what birthday presents they like.
5	? 你有问题要问我吗? Allow the candidate to ask which festival you like. Give an appropriate brief response.

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Begin the role play with the following introduction.

You are meeting the manager of '88', a soup kitchen organised by the local Chinese community.

1	您好，我可以帮您什么忙？ Allow the candidate to say they want to volunteer.
2	您能怎么帮助来这里吃饭的人？ Allow the candidate to say how they can help the people who eat here.
3	！ 您多大了？ Allow the candidate to say how old they are.
4	您怎么知道我们的餐厅？ Allow the candidate to say how they know about '88'. 好，欢迎您来帮助我们。
5	？ 您有问题要问我吗？ Allow the candidate to ask what clothes they should wear. Give an appropriate brief response.

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Topic: Travel and tourist transactions

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Begin the role play with the following introduction.

You are asking about your lost luggage at Hong Kong airport. An officer is helping you.

1	您好，我可以帮您什么忙？ Allow the candidate to say their luggage is missing.
2	您的行李里有些什么东西？ Allow the candidate to say two things in their luggage.
3	！ 您是哪国人？ Allow the candidate to say their nationality.
4	您住在哪里？ Allow the candidate to say where they are staying.
5	？ 您有问题要问我吗？ Allow the candidate to ask what they should do. Give an appropriate brief response.