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Russian

Unit 4 – Writing in Russian

Tuesday 21 June 2011 – Afternoon
Time: 1 hour

Paper Reference

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You do not need any other materials.

Total Marks

Instructions

- Use **black** ink or ball-point pen.
- **Fill in the boxes** at the top of this page with your name, centre number and candidate number.
- This paper is in two sections. Attempt **one** task from Section A and **one** task from Section B.
- Answer the tasks in the spaces provided
– *there may be more space than you need.*
- The use of an appropriate bilingual dictionary is permitted in both Tasks 1 and 2.

Information

- The total mark for this paper is 50.
- The marks for **each** question are shown in brackets
– *use this as a guide as to how much time to spend on each question.*

Advice

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

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Section A (Short writing task)

1 Choose **either** a, b, c or d from the tasks below.

Media, travel and culture:

(a) You respond to a Russian-language survey about music.

In your writing, you should describe:

- your favourite musician or group
- when you saw them playing and what you thought about it.

(b) A Russian friend has asked you to talk about what you like to eat and drink when you go on holiday.

Write an answer. You should:

- say what you usually eat
- mention something new to eat that you will try on holiday and why.

Sport, leisure and work:

(c) Your Russian link school is conducting a survey about British students' plans for future careers.

In your written response, you should mention:

- which subjects you are studying in school at the moment
- what work you will do in the future and why.

(d) You have read a Russian magazine that has asked for information about free time activities in the UK.

Write an answer. You should mention:

- what activities and hobbies are popular
- a hobby you used to have and why you no longer do it.

Write 25–50 words
(Total for Question 1 = 20 marks)



Section B (Longer writing task)

2 Choose **either** a, b, c or d from the tasks below.

Media, travel and culture:

(a) Write an article for a Russian language magazine about an event that took place in your town.

Describe what the event involved, your overall impressions and whether you will attend a similar event in the future.

(b) Write a Russian blog about your ideal holiday. Give details and reasons for your choice and mention whether you have already been on such a holiday or when you intend to go in the future.

Sport, leisure and work:

(c) Write a Russian blog about what you do and intend to do to keep fit and have a healthy lifestyle.

(d) Write a Russian language article about your school sports day. Describe what you and your friends did and what you thought of the day.

**Write a minimum of 90 words
(Total for Question 2 = 30 marks)**



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TOTAL FOR SECTION B = 30 MARKS
TOTAL FOR PAPER = 50 MARKS



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