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External Assessment 2021

# CHINESE

CHN315114

## Part **1** Listening and Responding

Pages 8

Questions 4

**Suggested working time:** 60 minutes

### Instructions

- Attempt **all** questions.
- You will hear **four (4)** spoken texts will each be played **three (3)** times. There will be a short break between the first and second playing, with a longer break after the third and final playing.
- Write your answers in the spaces provided in this exam paper.
  - All written answers must be in **English**.
  - You may start writing your answers when the reading time begins.
  - You are not required to answer in full sentences.
- You **must** make sure your answers address:
  - Criterion 1 listen and respond to spoken Chinese.

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# Guide to Exam Structure

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		Questions available	How many questions to answer	Suggested working time	Marks available
Part	<b>1</b>	4	4	60 minutes	60
Part	2	Section A 2	3	60 minutes	60
		Section B 1			
Part	3	5	1	60 minutes	All criteria are assessed using extended ratings of A+ to z
<b>Total</b>		<b>12</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>180 minutes (3 hours)</b>	<b>120 + Alpha</b>

## Spoken Text – Question 1

Xiao Lan is talking to Mrs Li over the phone for a job as a part-time tutor.

Word list      家教      jiā jiào      private tutor  
                    兼职      jiān zhí      part-time job

a) What was the conversation about?

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b) How old is Xiao Lan?

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c) What experiences has Xiao Lan had in terms of part-time jobs?

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d) What else does Xiao Lan do at the moment besides his part-time jobs?

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e) According to the conversation, which of the following statements are correct?

[Tick the correct answers ✓]

- Mrs. Li has got a son.
- Mrs. Li has got a daughter.
- Mrs. Li's son is seven years old.
- Mrs. Li's daughter is seven years old.

f) According to the conversation, which of the following statements are correct?

[Tick the correct answers ✓]

- Xiao Lan is free on Saturday.
- Xiao Lan is free on Sunday.
- Mrs. Li is going to call Xiao Lan on Saturday.
- Mrs. Li is going to call Xiao Lan on Sunday.

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**Total Q1**

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## Spoken Text – Question 2

Jack sent a response email to his Chinese friend Xiao Yun (male voice).

Word list	颜色	yánsè	colour
	吵	chǎo	noisy
	好像	hǎoxiàng	as if
	游戏	yóuxì	game

a) When did Jack write this email? [Tick **one (1)** answer below ✓]

- During the school holiday
- During the school terms

b) What did Xiao Yun send to Jack in her email?

c) Describe the pet which Jack's father has in his email.

d) Write down the Pinyin of the **two (2)** measure words that are mentioned in Jack's email and explain what animals they are used for?

e) When will Jack go back to school?

f) According to Jack's email, which of the following pets in his family were mentioned?

[Tick the correct answers ✓]

- Rabbit
- Fish
- Horse
- Bird

g) According to Jack's email, which of the following statements are correct?

[Tick the correct answers ✓]

- Jack's grandmother gave him a kitten as his birthday present last year.
- Jack's older brother has bought **two (2)** goldfish last month.
- Jack prefers cats to dogs.
- Jack's older sister has got **two (2)** birds.

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Total Q2

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### Spoken Text – Question 3

Martin is in Beijing and he is meeting up with his language partner Wang Ying for the first time.

Word list	专业	zhuānyè	major
	标准	biāozhǔn	standard
	听力	tīnglì	listening ability
	口语	kǒuyǔ	spoken language
	母语	mǔyǔ	mother tongue
	练习	liànxí	to practice/exercise

a) What was the conversation about?

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b) How long has Martin been in China?

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c) What is Wang Ying's major?

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d) What did Martin's friend say about Wang Ying?

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e) How often do they plan to meet and how long for each time?

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f) According to the conversation, which of the following statements are correct?

[Tick the correct answers ✓]

- Wang Ying has been studying English for **three (3)** years.
- Wang Ying would like to practice her English, particularly speaking and listening.
- Wang Ying suggested that they meet at the university canteen.
- Martin and Wang Ying agreed to meet at noon next Tuesday.

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Total Q3

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## Spoken Text – Question 4

Kate is talking to her friend Paul about her new apartment.

Word list	搬家 bānjiā	to move to a new house	微波炉 wēibōlú	microwave
	家具 jiājù	furniture	宿舍 sùshè	dormitory
	衣柜 yīguì	wardrobe	食堂 shítáng	dining hall

a) What did Kate do recently?

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b) What public facilities are there close to Kate's apartment?

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c) Which of the following items are there in Kate's apartment?

[Tick the correct answers ✓]

Bed

TV

Fridge

Sofa

d) How much is the rent per month?

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e) How long will Kate plan to rent the place?

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f) What does Kate think of her new apartment?

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g) According to the conversation, select which one of the following is incorrect.

[Tick the **incorrect** answer ✓]

Kate cannot cook in her new apartment.

There is a table in the living room.

Paul plans to visit Kate next month.

There is a microwave in the kitchen.

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Part **1** Listening and Responding

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TRANSCRIPT  
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## Spoken text – Question 1

Xiao Lan is talking to Mrs. Li over the phone for a job as a part-time tutor.

李太太：喂，哪位？

小兰：您好！我叫张小兰，您是不是想找家教？

李太太：是啊，你今年多大？

小兰：我今年十八岁了。

李太太：你以前做过哪些兼职工作？

小兰：我教过小学生数学和英语，现在还在一家披萨店打工。

李太太：你在上学吗？

小兰：是的，我今年刚上大学。请问，您的孩子几岁了？

李太太：我女儿今年七岁了。你哪天有时间？

小兰：我这个星期日就有时间。

李太太：太好了！我想一想，星期六再打电话给你。

小兰：好的，谢谢您！再见！

## Spoken text – Question 2

Jack sent a response email to his Chinese friend Xiao Yun (male voice).

你好，小云

收到你发的照片了，你的小狗真可爱！

你知道吗？我家有很多宠物。爸爸养了一只德国的狗，它很大，也很凶，今年四岁了。我不太喜欢狗，可是我非常喜欢猫。去年我过生日的时候，妈妈送给我的生日礼物就是一只黑色的小猫。我姐姐有两只鸟，它们的颜色很漂亮，但是有的时候很吵，有的时候又好像在唱歌。对了，我弟弟上个月还买了几条金鱼。所以，现在我们家有一只大狗，一只小猫，两只鸟和几条金鱼。

复活节刚刚过去，我这个星期还在放假。不过，下个星期二就要开学了。你周末过得怎么样？

好吧，我现在要出去了。别忘了我们周末一起打游戏啊！

杰克

### Spoken text – Question 3

Martin is in Beijing and he is meeting up with his language partner Wang Ying for the first time.

马丁：你好，我叫马丁，是澳大利亚人，很高兴认识你。我来中国一年半了，中文说得不好。

王英：你说得不错啊！我叫王英，现在是大学一年级的学生，学习英语专业。认识你，我也很高兴。

马丁：我朋友说，你的英语非常好，普通话说得也特别标准。

王英：哪里哪里。我学了好几年英语了，可是听力和口语还是不太好。所以，我想找一个母语是英语的外国人，练习一下。

马丁：好极了！我也想多练习练习我的汉语。

王英：好啊！我们一起学习。

马丁：你看，我们多长时间可以见一次？

王英：一个星期一次吧。

马丁：行。每次一个小时，你觉得怎么样？

王英：可以，每次我们可以先练习半个小时的汉语，然后再练习半个小时的英语。

马丁：那好极了！下星期二中午我们在大学的餐厅见面，好吗？

王英：好，到时候见！

### Spoken text – Question 4

Kate is talking to her friend Paul about her new apartment.

凯特：保罗，我搬家了。

保罗：真的吗？你搬到哪儿了？那里怎么样？

凯特：我和一个同学一起租了一套房子，离大学很近。楼下有超市和银行，我觉得很方便。

保罗：有没有家具？

凯特：卧室里有床和衣柜，客厅里有沙发和桌子，厨房里还有微波炉。

保罗：那不错呀。洗衣机呢，电视什么的也有吗？

凯特：有洗衣机，可是没有电视。

保罗：你觉得住在宿舍好还是租房子好？

凯特：我觉得还是租房子好。

保罗：为什么呢？

凯特：宿舍里不能做饭，现在可以自己做饭了，不用每天吃食堂或者点外卖。

保罗：房租贵吗？

凯特：一个月 2800 块，我们一人一半。我想最少先住半年，如果不喜欢的话，再找新的房子。

保罗：那我下个月就过来找你吧。

凯特：好啊，欢迎你来！



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## Part **2** Reading and Responding

Pages 12

Questions 3

**Suggested working time:** 60 minutes

### Instructions

- Attempt **all** questions.
- Write your answers in this exam paper.
- This part has **two (2)** sections:
  - **Section A** must be answered in **English**.
  - **Section B** must be answered in **Chinese**.
  - You are not required to answer in full sentences.
- You **must** make sure your answers address:
  - Criterion 3 read and respond to written Chinese texts.

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# Guide to Exam Structure

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		Questions available	How many questions to answer	Suggested working time	Marks available
Part	<b>1</b>	4	4	60 minutes	60
Part	<b>2</b>	Section A 2	3	Section A 40 minutes	60
		Section B 1		Section B 20 minutes	
		Part total 3		Part total 60 minutes	
Part	<b>3</b>	5	1	60 minutes	All criteria are assessed using extended ratings of  A+ to z
<b>Total</b>		<b>12</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>180 minutes (3 hours)</b>	<b>120 + Alpha</b>

# Section A

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- Answer **all** questions in this section.
  - All answers in this section must be written in **English**.
  - It is suggested that you spend approximately **40 minutes** on this section.
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## Question 5

Hans 汉斯 and his new friend Tom 汤姆 are chatting via a social media platform.

Word List	旱鸭子	hànyāzi	non-swimmer
	打鼓	dǎgǔ	to play a drum
	乐器	yuèqì	musical instrument
	古典	gǔdiǎn	classic
	音乐会	yīnyuèhuì	concert

汉斯：你喜欢什么运动？

汤姆：我喜欢打球，网球和乒乓球，我都会打。我最喜欢打乒乓球，还常常和我哥哥比赛。你呢？

汉斯：我喜欢打篮球，有时候也打板球。可是打得不太好。

汤姆：你会游泳吗？

汉斯：我是个旱鸭子，不过我很想学游泳。最近我的一个朋友开始教我学游泳。现在我会一点儿了。我觉得游泳有意思是有意思，可是有点儿难。

汤姆：我每个星期都去游泳。

汉斯：你对乐器有兴趣吗？

汤姆：我是个乐器迷。我会弹钢琴，也会弹吉他。我周末在教小孩儿打鼓。

汉斯：我对乐器没兴趣，但是我喜欢听音乐，特别是古典音乐。我们学校下个月就有一个音乐会。

汤姆：我们周末找个时间一起打游戏吧！

汉斯：好啊！

**Question 5 continues**

**Question 5 continued**

a) What did Hans and his new friend Tom talk about?

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b) Which of the following sports were mentioned in the chat?

[Tick the correct answer ✓]

- Running
- Riding a bike
- Playing tennis
- Playing netball

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c) What is Tom's favourite sport mentioned in the chat?

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d) In the chat, what sports did Hans mention he played?

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e) List the **three (3)** musical instruments that Tom can play?

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f) According to the chat, select which one of the following statements is correct.

[Tick the correct answer ✓]

- Hans has recently started to learn how to swim.
- Tom thinks that swimming is interesting but difficult.
- Tom teaches kids how to play the piano during weekends.
- There will be a concert at Tom's school next month.

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**Total Q5**

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Question 6

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小雨工作半个多月了。他在一家大公司工作。他每天工作八个小时，每个星期工作五天，忙的时候还要加班。小雨每天骑车去公司，因为他家离公司不太远，骑车十分钟就到了。路上车多的时候，他骑得慢一点，要十五分钟才能到。

小雨非常喜欢他的工作，虽然工作的时候很累，但是他觉得很开心。上班以后，小雨周末不能睡懒觉了。在大学的时候，他常常八点多才起床，现在六点多就得起来了。今天小雨开了一天的会，下班回家以后，他叫了外卖，在手机上看了看新闻，然后很早就睡觉了。

Word List	公司	gōngsī	company
	加班	jiābān	to work overtime
	虽然	suīrán	although
	累	lèi	tired
	睡懒觉	shuìlǎnjiào	to sleep in
	外卖	wàimài	take out (relates to food bought at a restaurant)

a) How long has 小雨 started working at the company?

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b) How many days does 小雨 work per week? How many hours does 小雨 work per day?

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c) Which of the following times/durations were **not** mentioned in the passage?

[Tick the correct answers ✓]

- Ten minutes
- Fifteen minutes
- Around six o'clock
- Around seven o'clock

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d) List the **two (2)** measure words mentioned in the passage (in Pinyin or Chinese characters).

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Question 6 continues

**Question 6 continued**

e) What did 小雨 do at the end of today after he got home?

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f) According to the passage, select which **one (1)** of the following statements is correct.

[Tick the correct answer ✓]

- 小雨 takes the bus to work every day.
- 小雨 lives far from the company he works at.
- 小雨 has to work extra hours when he is busy.
- 小雨 is not happy with his work.

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Total Q6

17

# Section B

- Answer **the** question in this section.
- All answers in this section must be written in **Chinese**.
- It is suggested that you spend approximately **20 minutes** on this section.

## Question 7

北京一年有四个季节，春天、夏天、秋天和冬天。春天天气很暖和，树都绿了，花也开了，可是常常刮风。夏天很热，最高气温 40 度左右，有时候会下大雨。夏天人们最喜欢的运动是游泳。秋天是北京最好的季节，天气不冷也不热，很凉快，也很舒服。很多人喜欢去郊外旅游，特别是去爬山，山上的红叶漂亮极了。冬天很冷，常常下雪，最低气温零下 10 度左右，人们可以去滑雪和滑冰。冬天天气虽然很冷，但是下雪的时候很漂亮，我很喜欢雪，所以我最喜欢冬天。

我的家乡一年也有四个季节。因为我住在南半球，所以这里的季节和北京的季节时间不一样。我们的冬天是从六月到八月，可是这时候北京刚刚好是夏天。还有这儿白天和晚上的温差比较大，所以早上和晚上出去的时候，最好多穿点儿衣服。

Word List	暖和	nuǎnhuo	warm
	刮风	guāfēng	windy
	凉快	liángkuai	pleasantly cool
	舒服	shūfu	comfortable/feeling well
	郊外	jiāowài	outskirts
	旅游	lǚyóu	to travel
	红叶	hóngyè	red autumnal leaves
	家乡	jiāxiāng	hometown
	温差	wēnchā	difference in temperature

Question 7 continues

**Question 7 continued**

**Marker use**

a) 北京一年的四个季节是什么？

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b) 北京春天的天气怎么样？

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c) 在北京，夏天人们做什么运动？冬天呢？

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d) 在北京，秋天人们喜欢什么运动？

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e) 为什么秋天是北京最好的季节？

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f) 下面的说法跟短文里的内容一致吗？如果一致，请写“对”；如果不一致，请写“错”。

According to the passage, write True (in Chinese) if the statement is true or write False (in Chinese) if the statement is false.

i. 北京最好的季节是春天。

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ii. 北京的春天有时候会下小雨。

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iii. 北京夏天的时候，在南半球是冬天。

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iv. 北京夏天的天气很舒服。

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**Total Q7**

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Part **3** Writing

Pages 8

Questions 5

**Suggested working time:** 60 minutes

## Instructions

- Answer **one (1)** of five (5) available questions in approximately **170–200 Chinese characters** (not Pinyin).
- These questions are in both **English** and **Chinese**.
- Write your answer in the space provided in this exam paper. Include the question number you are answering in the box provided.
- Your answer must be written in **Chinese**.
- You **must** make sure your answers address:
  - Criterion 4 express idea and information in written Chinese.

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- You must answer **one (1)** question from this part.
- Write approximately **170–200 Chinese characters**.

### Question 8

Write a diary entry which describes a birthday party by using your own personal experience. You may include information such as date, age, gifts, food, zodiac animal, family, friends, and party location.

用你自己亲身的经历来描述一次生日会，比如说日期，年龄，礼物，食物，属相，家人，朋友和生日会的地点。

OR

### Question 9

Write a speech entitled “My Future Plan”. Talk about your plan after graduation from secondary school, including your plan for further study and/or work.

写一篇题目为“我未来的计划”的演讲稿，谈一下你中学毕业后的打算，未来的学习和工作计划。

OR

### Question 10

Write a narrative text about your school, supposing you are showing a new student around. Introduce your school, including where it is located, the buildings, their specific purposes (such as library and canteen), activities, classes, courses, teachers, and students.

你带一个新同学参观你的学校。介绍一下学校的地点，学校的楼房，楼房的用途（比如图书馆和餐厅），活动，班级，课程，老师和学生。

OR

### Question 11

Write an email to your Chinese e-pal describing one of your experiences of shopping in a supermarket or shopping mall. It may include information on inquiry of the price, the quantity bought, bargaining, paying, etc.

写邮件给你的中国网友，描述一下你在超市或者商场的一次购物经历，包括询问价钱，买的东西，讲价和付钱等等。

OR

### Question 12

Write a story about what happens according to the picture given.

根据所给的图片，写一篇意思连贯的短文。



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