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Sample assessment material for first teaching September 2024

Time 60 minutes, which includes 5 minutes' reading time

Paper reference **1FR1/2H**

French

PAPER 2: Listening and understanding in French

Higher Tier

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.
- Answer **all** questions in Sections A and B.
- Answer questions in Section A (Listening comprehension) are set in English and must be answered in English.
- The task in Section B (Dictation) is set in French.
- Answer the questions in the spaces provided – *there may be more space than you need.*
- You must **not** use a dictionary.

Information

- The total mark for this paper is 50.
- You have 5 minutes to read through the paper before the first extract starts.
- You may make notes during these 5 minutes.
- 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.
- Try to answer every question.
- Use the third play of the recording and/or the additional time given at the end of each extract to check your answer.

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Instructions

Section A: Listening comprehension

- You will hear each extract three times. Each extract will end with one, two or three beeps. There will be a pause between each question.
- You may write at any time during the test.

Section B: Dictation

- You will write in French what you hear in the spaces provided.
- The number of each sentence will be announced.
- You will hear each sentence three times. You may write at any time during the test. There will be a pause between each question.
- You will have 2 minutes to check your answers at the end of this section.

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Answer ALL questions. Write your answers in the spaces provided.

Some questions must be answered with a cross in a box ☒. If you change your mind about an answer, put a line through the box ☒ and then mark your new answer with a cross ☒.

SECTION A

Listening comprehension

Healthy living

1 Clara is talking about her and her sister's lifestyles.

What does she say?

Listen to the recording and complete the sentences by putting a cross ☒ in the correct box for each question.

(a) Every morning, to stay in shape, Clara …

(1)

☒	**A** goes swimming.
☒	**B** goes to a dance class.
☒	**C** walks in the park.

(b) Clara thinks it is important to …

(1)

☒	**A** drink lots of water.
☒	**B** sleep enough.
☒	**C** run every week.

(c) Eva's diet mainly includes …

(1)

☒	**A** meat.
☒	**B** eggs.
☒	**C** vegetables.

(Total for Question 1 = 3 marks)

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Protecting the environment

2 Hugo is talking about helping the environment in a podcast.

What does he say?

Complete the gap in each sentence using a word or phrase from the box below. There are more words/phrases than gaps.

train	bike	car	plane
vegetables	eggs	fruit	meat
using paper bags	recycling	working in the garden	

(a) When Hugo goes on holiday, he goes by ..... .

(1)

(b) When going to town, he goes by ..... .

(1)

(c) When he shops at the market, he buys ..... .

(1)

(d) He gets his ..... at the farm.

(1)

(e) He protects the environment by ..... .

(1)

(Total for Question 2 = 5 marks)

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A holiday destination

3 Listen to this advert promoting a town.

What is mentioned?

Listen to the recording and put a cross ☒ in each one of the **three** correct boxes.

☒	**A** public transport
☒	**B** airport
☒	**C** places to eat
☒	**D** accommodation
☒	**E** shopping
☒	**F** the weather

(Total for Question 3 = 3 marks)

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My friend

4 Clément, Yasmina and Mohamed are talking about their friends.

What do they say?

Listen to the recording and complete the sentences by putting a cross ☒ in the correct box for each question.

(a) Clément and his friend love …

(1)

☒	**A** music.
☒	**B** sport.
☒	**C** video games.

(b) Clément and his friend also like …

(1)

☒	**A** films.
☒	**B** science.
☒	**C** concerts.

(c) Yasmina's friend is …

(1)

☒	**A** nice.
☒	**B** independent.
☒	**C** ordinary.

(d) On Wednesday, Mohamed is going to …

(1)

☒	**A** go to a friend's party.
☒	**B** celebrate his birthday.
☒	**C** play football.

(Total for Question 4 = 4 marks)

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Using technology

5 Lucas, Manon and Rachid are talking about technology.

What do they say?

Listen to the recording and complete the following tables **in English**. You do not need to write in full sentences.

(a)

Lucas	
How to stay safe on social media	.....

(1)

(b)

Manon	
Her parents' rule	.....

(1)

(c)

Rachid	
When he turns off his phone	.....

(1)

(Total for Question 5 = 3 marks)

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School

6 Thomas is talking about school life.

What does he say?

Complete the gap in each sentence using a word or phrase from the box below. There are more words/phrases than gaps.

long school days	school uniform	homework	strict rules
teachers	team mates	friends	

(a) Thomas dislikes the ..... and the

..... .

(2)

(b) He is worried about meeting his ..... at his new school.

(1)

(Total for Question 6 = 3 marks)

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Living in the countryside

7 Myriam, Théo and Chloé are talking about the advantages and disadvantages of living in the countryside.

What do they say?

Listen to the podcast and complete the following tables **in English**. You do not need to write in full sentences.

(a) Myriam

Advantage	.....	**(1)**
Disadvantage	.....	**(1)**

(b) Théo

Advantage	.....	**(1)**
Disadvantage	.....	**(1)**

(c) Chloé

Advantage	.....	**(1)**
Disadvantage	.....	**(1)**

(Total for Question 7 = 6 marks)

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The world of work

8 Clara and Mehdi are talking about their views on work.

What do they say?

Listen to the recordings and complete the sentences by putting a cross ☒ in the correct box for each question.

(a) Clara

(i) In the future, Clara wants to work in …

(1)

☒	**A** technology.
☒	**B** sport.
☒	**C** education.

(ii) An important aspect of work for her is to …

(1)

☒	**A** get on with her clients.
☒	**B** have a nice boss.
☒	**C** have a good salary.

(iii) She wants a part-time job …

(1)

☒	**A** in the evenings.
☒	**B** at the weekends.
☒	**C** in the summer holidays.

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(b) Mehdi

(i) Mehdi has already worked in a …

(1)

☒	**A** tourist office.
☒	**B** hotel.
☒	**C** museum.

(ii) He plans to study …

(1)

☒	**A** English.
☒	**B** French.
☒	**C** tourism.

(iii) He wants a job …

(1)

☒	**A** in an office.
☒	**B** with responsibility.
☒	**C** he likes.

(Total for Question 8 = 6 marks)

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Treating people fairly

9 (a) Fatima is talking about an anti-discrimination group she has set up at school.

What does she say?

Listen to the podcast and put a cross ☒ in each one of the **three** correct boxes.

(3)

☒	**A** The group organised a competition.
☒	**B** Lots of people joined immediately.
☒	**C** The group is only for older students.
☒	**D** Speakers come and give talks.
☒	**E** Students have already set up a website.
☒	**F** Students do everything themselves.

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(b) You also hear this report on events to celebrate diversity in France.

Listen to the recording and answer the following questions **in English**. You do not need to write in full sentences.

(i) Name **one** international day that France participates in.

(1)

.....

(ii) Name **one** type of event that towns organise to celebrate diversity.

(1)

.....

(iii) What activity was part of the antiracism week in schools?

(1)

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(iv) What shows that the Gay Games were popular?

(1)

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(Total for Question 9 = 7 marks)

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SECTION B

Dictation

10 You are going to hear someone talking about food.

Sentences 1 and 2: Write down the missing words in the gaps provided. In each gap, you will write one word **in French**.

Example: J' aime les gâteaux et le chocolat .

1 Le ..... est la ..... .

2 J'aime ..... les ..... et les ..... .

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Sentences 3, 4, 5 and 6: Write down the full sentences that you hear in the spaces provided, **in French**.

Example: Il y a un grand choix de glaces .

3 .....

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4 .....

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5 .....

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6 .....

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(Total for Question 10 = 10 marks)

TOTAL FOR SECTION B = 10 MARKS
TOTAL FOR PAPER = 50 MARKS

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