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

Sample assessment material for first teaching September 2024

Time 1 hour 20 minutes

Paper reference **1FR1/4H**

French

PAPER 4: Writing 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 Questions 1, 2 and 3.
- In Questions 1 and 2, answer **either** option (a) **or** option (b).
- Answer the questions in the spaces provided
  – *there may be more space than you need.*
- Write your answers in full sentences.
- You must **not** use a dictionary.

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.*
  – *you should spend approximately 10 minutes on the translation question.*

Advice

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

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Choose either Question 1(a) or Question 1(b)

If you answer Question 1(a), put a cross in the box ☒ .

1 (a) Write to your friend about shopping.

You **must** include the following points:

- types of shops in your area
- your opinion of one shop with reasons
- what you have bought recently
- where you will go for your next shopping trip.

Write your answer **in French**. You should aim to write between 80 and 90 words.

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If you answer Question 1(b), put a cross in the box ☒ .

(b) Write to your friend about transport.

You **must** include the following points:

- public transport where you live
- your opinion of public transport with reasons
- how you went to school last week
- where you will go this summer.

Write your answer **in French**. You should aim to write between 80 and 90 words.

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Choose either Question 2(a) or 2(b).

If you answer Question 2(a), put a cross in the box ☒ .

2 (a) Write about healthy living for an online magazine.

You **must** include the following points:

- what makes a healthy diet
- the pros and cons of eating out
- what healthy activities you did last week
- how you will stay healthy this weekend.

Write your answer **in French**. You should aim to write between 130 and 150 words.

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If you answer Question 2(b), put a cross in the box ☒ .

(b) Write about schools for an online magazine.

You **must** include the following points:

- what makes a good school
- the pros and cons of single-sex schools
- what happened at your school recently
- your education plans for next year.

Write your answer **in French**. You should aim to write between 130 and 150 words.

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(Total for Question 2 = 22 marks)

3 Translate the paragraph **into French**.

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I like singing French songs at home. My favourite artist comes from Paris. I always listen to her in the evening. Last month my friends and I went to a concert in town. I want to continue to play an instrument in future because music is very important to me.

(Total for Question 3 = 10 marks)

TOTAL FOR PAPER = 50 MARKS

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