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Section A

Reading comprehension

Notes

- .../. means that these are acceptable alternative answers in the mark scheme.
- (.....) means that this information is not needed for full marks to be awarded.
- Words which are underlined in the mark scheme mean that this element must be conveyed in an answer to score the mark.
- tc = tout court

Qu	Accept	Mark
01.1	B (A l'hôpital ; enfant qui est tombé de son vélo)	1

Qu	Accept	Mark
01.2	A (Les employés de la gare arrêtent de travailler)	1

Qu	Accept	Mark
01.3	D (Une star se marie avec son partenaire)	1

Qu	Accept	Mark
02.1	P+N, N+P (positive and negative)	1

Qu	Accept	Mark
02.2	P (positive)	1

Qu	Accept	Mark
02.3	N (negative)	1

Qu	Accept	Mark
02.4	P+N, N+P (positive and negative)	1

Qu	Accept	Mark
02.5	P (positive)	1

Qu	Key idea	Accept	Reject	Mark
03.1	Friendly/nice/happy neighbours/inhabitants/people = 1		It's a big city	2
	Nice buildings (in the centre) = 1	Good architecture/attractive buildings		

Qu	Key idea	Accept	Reject	Mark
03.2	It's (too) hot = 1	The heat		2
	Shops are too far = 1	Not near the shops		

Qu	Accept	Mark
03.3	B (Eat it)	1

Qu	Accept	Mark
04.1	F (in the future)	1

Qu	Accept	Mark
04.2	P (in the past)	1

Qu	Accept	Mark
04.3	N (now)	1

Qu	Accept	Mark
04.4	P (in the past)	1

Qu	Accept	Mark
04.5	F (in the future)	1

Qu	Accept	Mark
05	F C D A G (answers must be in this order)	5

Qu	Accept	Mark
06.1	A (everybody)	1

Qu	Accept	Mark
06.2	A (before lunch)	1

Qu	Accept	Mark
06.3	C (more popular)	1

Qu	Accept	Mark
06.4	B (carry on all night)	1

Qu	Key idea	Accept	Reject	Mark
07.1	She plays a (computer/video) game = 1 and gives her opinion on the game/product = 1	She samples a game. And gives a review.	Plays to She's on a train.	2

Qu	Key idea	Accept	Reject	Mark
07.2	She's taken money from firms.	She promotes products for money.	She gets money to	1

Qu	Key idea	Accept	Reject	Mark
07.3	Her videos get fewer hits.	Not as many people watch her videos/the number of viewers has gone down/she has fewer fans.	Her videos are important.	1

Qu	Accept	Mark
08.1	M+S, S+M (Mona and Sam)	1

Qu	Accept	Mark
08.2	M (Mona)	1

Qu	Accept	Mark
08.3	M (Mona)	1

Qu	Accept	Mark
08.4	S (Sam)	1

Qu	Accept	Mark
08.5	C (Willingly)	1

Qu	Key idea	Accept	Reject	Mark
09.1	It brings them luck	It is lucky (for them)	It gives them a chance	1

Qu	Key idea	Accept	Reject	Mark
09.2	(Going by) bus	Getting the bus/taking public transport	By car/on foot	1

Qu	Accept	Mark
09.3	A (fewer)	1

Qu	Accept	Mark
09.4	A (all year)	1

Section B

Translation into English

Qu10	French	Indicative content	Acceptable renderings	Reject	Mark
10.1	Malheureusement, il pleut	Unfortunately, it has been raining	It rains/it has rained	It's going to rain	1
	depuis trois jours.	for three days.	since three days.	Three days ago	1
10.2	Mes parents me disent souvent que	My parents often tell me (that)	My parents often/frequently/always/regularly say (to me)		1
	je mange trop de viande.	I eat too much meat.	I eat /lots/a lot of meat.	Wrong tense eg I ate too much meat.	1
10.3	Je vais acheter un cadeau	I'm going/I am going to buy a present/gift	I will buy/get a present	Wrong tense eg I bought	1
	pour mon meilleur ami.	for my best friend/my closest friend.	My closest friend. Any appropriate word for friend (eg mate)		1
10.4	Quand mon frère quittera l'école,	When my brother leaves school,	When my brother will leave school/finishes school,		1
	il cherchera un boulot à l'étranger.	he'll/he will look for a job abroad.	he's going to/he'll look for work in another country/overseas.	Wrong tense eg he looked for	1
10.5	Après avoir fini son travail,	After finishing her work,	After having finished working/her job,		1

Qu10	French	Indicative content	Acceptable renderings	Reject	Mark
	elle a décidé de se reposer un peu.	she decided to rest (for) a little.	she decided/she has decided to have a little rest/relax a little.	Wrong tense eg she will rest.	1