

# GB ASSESSMENT TEST

## VIRTUAL MOCK EXAMINATION (5)

FRENCH- MAY, 2020

### MARKING SCHEME - OBJECTIVE TEST

Each question carries 1.5 marks

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|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| 1. D  | 2. A  | 3. C  | 4. A  | 5. B  |
| 6. D  | 7. B  | 8. A  | 9. D  | 10. B |
| 11. B | 12. D | 13. A | 14. A | 15. C |
| 16. A | 17. D | 18. B | 19. D | 20. B |
| 21. B | 22. A | 23. D | 24. C | 25. C |
| 26. A | 27. B | 28. D | 29. A | 30. C |
| 31. B | 32. D | 33. B | 34. C | 35. C |
| 36. B | 37. D | 38. A | 39. A | 40. A |

#### SECTION II

#### PREAMBLE

There is only one section in this part. Two questions are set and candidates are to answer only one. However, if a candidate answers the two questions please mark both and choose the better of the two.

This section (composition) carries a total mark of 40 i.e.

- A. CONTENT.....20 MARKS
- B. GRAMMAR.....10 MARKS
- C. CLARITY.....05 MARKS
- D. OVERALL EXPERSIVENESS....05 MARKS
- TOTAL.....40 MARKS**

#### INDICATION OF MARKS

Each grammar mistake is underlined and a stroke put in the left hand margin. Each stroke represents ½ marks: therefore a candidate who makes 20 mistakes will lose all the 20 marks allocated to grammar.

A consequential repeated error is ringed. Positive markings for content are shown in the right hand margin while negative markings (grammar mistakes) are shown in the left hand margin.

All fractions are retained until the grand total mark, when the ½ is approximately to one full mark.

The total is written in the bottom right hand corner of the paper and ringed after all the fractions; deductions have been taken care of. This is then transferred to the front page of the answer sheet.

#### DEVIATION

A candidate who deviates completely from the subject matter should be awarded a maximum mark of 2. Where there is a partial deviation in the essay, please circle the deviated portion. This should not be counted as part of the essay.

**MEANINGLESS ESSAY:** is an essay that does not make sense. Eg. Compilation of words either French or English words or both. Such an essay attracts zero.

#### DETAILS

##### 1. CONTENT

This refers to a correct or appropriate response to an item or question. The candidate scores the full mark, if he or she responds correctly in a full or complete sentence. However, a correct answer in an incomplete sentence attracts ½ of the full mark for the item.

##### 2. GRAMMAR

Grammar mistakes include: wrong tense, omitted words, wrong article, preposition, gender, number, person, adverb, pronoun, expression and any other wrong form of grammar. Omission of accents should not be penalized except in the past participle form.

Misapplication of capital letters is not penalized. Deduct 1 mark for consistent use of wrong tense (if this occurs 7 or more times.)

**NOTE:** Consequential errors are not penalized e.g. c'est un montre blanc. Blanc is a consequential error because the candidate used blanc to agree with 'un'. that's why , we should not penalized him/her for the use of blanc, instead of blanche. We should penalized him for the use of 'un' before 'montre'.

Any answer written in English does not attract a mark for content. It must be circled and not counted among written words of the essay. Eg . Esther boit water, un goat est près de Esther.

**SUPERFLUITY:** A superfluous word is a grammatical mistake where it touches on a point of grammar and it is penalized. E.g. Sami se lève très tôt en le matin. The 'en' is a superfluous word and it is penalized.

**N.B.** A candidate loses ½ mark for every grammatical mistake made.

### 3. OVERALL EXPRESSIVENESS (OE)

This is the examiner's assessment of the whole composition taking into account presentation, range of vocabulary choice of words, grammatical / idiomatic expressions etc.

### 4. CLARITY

Has the examiner clearly understood what the candidate has written? If yes then it is clear. Candidate who writes in English scores zero.

## QUESTION I

- a- je m'appelle ...../ mon nom est ..... 2 marks
- b- on fête Noël le 25 Décembre de chaque année/ Noël est fêté le 25 Décembre  
le 25 Décembre est la date à laquelle on fête Noël 2 marks
- c- A la veille de Noel j'ai ..... 2 marks  
à la veille, je suis .....
- d- le jour de Noël, j'ai mangé ..... 2 marks  
j'ai mangé .....le jour de Noël.
- e- j'étais sorti avec mes parents. Nous sommes allés ..... 2 marks.  
j'étais sorti avec mes parents pour .....
- f- On fête le Nouvel an le 1er Janvier de chaque année. 2 marks  
le 1er Janvier est la fête de Nouvel an.
- g- la veille de Nouvel An, je ..... 2 marks  
Nous avons/ sommes ..... la veille de Nouvel An.
- h- cette nouvelle année, j'ai pris la résolution de ..... 2 marks  
j'ai décidé de ..... cette Nouvelle année.
- i- le 1er jour de l'année, j'ai ..... 2 marks
- j- j'aime Noël parce que ..... 2 marks  
j'aime le Nouvel an parce que .....  
j'aime les deux car .....

## II- LE WEEKEND DE LA FAMILLE ZEE

1. Madame Zee est dans la cour. Elle est en train de balayer. 4 marks  
Elle fait les travaux domestiques.
2. Monsieur Zee est dans le salon/ il est sur la veranda. 2 marks  
Il s'amuse avec les enfants/ il joue avec les enfants. 2 marks
3. Monsieur Zee ramasse les habits et les jouets des enfants par terre. 3 marks
4. Madame Zee est au supermarché en ce moment en train de faire des achats. 3 marks  
Madame Zee est au centre commercial en train de faire des achats.
5. Monsieur et Madame sont dans la cuisine en train de préparer. 2 marks
6. il est 11h18 de la nuit. Madame est dans sa chambre en train de dormir 4 marks

**NOTE:** please any other correct answer, statement, sentence or information about the topic which is provided by the candidate should be marked.