

2011 HSC French Continuers Marking Guidelines — Written Examination

Section I — Listening and Responding

Question 1

Criteria	Marks
Explains why Paul leaves this message for Christina	2
Identifies some relevant information	1

Question 2

Criteria	Marks
Identifies the reasons why Annie is surprised	2
Identifies some relevant information	1

Criteria	Marks
Summarises the three main points of this news report	3
Identifies some relevant information	1–2



Question 4

Criteria	Marks
• Demonstrates a full understanding of Céline's concerns regarding the way Franck has filled out his form	3
Demonstrates a good understanding of Céline's concerns regarding the way Franck has filled out his form	2
Identifies some relevant information	1

Question 5

Criteria	Marks
• (A)	1

Question 6

Criteria	Marks
• Demonstrates a full understanding of why M. Lambert reacts to his neighbour's phone call the way he does	4
• Demonstrates a good understanding of why M. Lambert reacts to his neighbour's phone call the way he does	2–3
Identifies some relevant information	1

Criteria	Marks
• Demonstrates a full understanding of why Nadine finds it difficult to make a decision about the trip to Tunisia	5
Demonstrates a good understanding of why Nadine finds it difficult to make a decision about the trip to Tunisia	3–4
• Demonstrates some understanding of why Nadine finds it difficult to make a decision about the trip to Tunisia	2
Identifies some relevant information	1



Question 8

Criteria	Marks
• Demonstrates a perceptive understanding of why Sébastien has been invited to give his speech	5
• Demonstrates a good understanding of why Sébastien has been invited to give this speech	3–4
• Demonstrates some understanding of why Sébastien has been invited to give this speech	2
Identifies some relevant information	1

Section II — Reading and Responding Part A

Question 9 (a)

Criteria	Marks
Identifies the reasons why this magazine sought an interview with Cy Adjah	2
Identifies some relevant information	1

Question 9 (b)

Criteria	Marks
• Demonstrates a full understanding of the concerns held by the singer about the current situation in Africa	3
• Demonstrates a good understanding of the concerns held by the singer about the current situation in Africa	2
Identifies some relevant information	1

Question 9 (c)

Criteria	Marks
• Demonstrates a full understanding of how the singer hopes to address these concerns	4
Demonstrates a good understanding of how the singer hopes to address these concerns	3
Demonstrates some understanding of how the singer hopes to address these concerns	2
Identifies some relevant information	1



Question 10 (a)

Criteria	Marks
• Demonstrates a full understanding of what <i>A table!</i> is	2
Identifies some relevant information	1

Question 10 (b)

Criteria	Marks
Demonstrates a perceptive understanding of Gérard's reaction	4
Demonstrates a good understanding of Gérard's reaction	3
Demonstrates some understanding of Gérard's reaction	2
Identifies some relevant information	1

Question 10 (c)

Criteria	Marks
Demonstrates a perceptive understanding of what Mathieu's comments reveal about his personality	4
Demonstrates a good understanding of what Mathieu's comments reveal about his personality	3
Demonstrates some understanding of what Mathieu's comments reveal about his personality	2
Identifies some relevant information	1

Question 10 (d)

Criteria	Marks
Demonstrates a perceptive understanding of how David responds to Caroline's comments in both content and tone	6
Demonstrates a good understanding of how David responds to Caroline's comments in both content and tone	4–5
Demonstrates some understanding of how David responds to Caroline's comments	2–3
Identifies some relevant information	1



Section II — Reading and Responding Part B

	Criteria	Marks
•	Demonstrates an excellent understanding of the whole text	
•	Manipulates language authentically and creatively to meet the requirements of the task	13–15
•	Organises information and ideas to meet the requirements of the task	
•	Demonstrates a good understanding of the text	
•	Manipulates language with some degree of authenticity and creativity to meet the requirements of the task	10–12
•	Organises information and ideas to meet the requirements of the task	
•	Responds to some of the questions, statements, comments and/or specific information in the text	
•	Demonstrates a satisfactory knowledge and understanding of vocabulary and sentence structures	7–9
•	Attempts to structure relevant information and ideas	
•	Responds to some of the questions, statements, comments and/or specific information in the text	
•	Demonstrates a basic knowledge and understanding of vocabulary and sentence structures	4–6
•	Demonstrates limited ability to link information and ideas or structure text	
•	Responds to isolated elements in the text	1 2
•	Uses single words or set formulae to express information	1–3



${\bf Section~III--Writing~in~French}$

Criteria	Marks
• Writes effectively and appropriately in relation to the audience, purpose and context of the task	5
• Authentically and creatively manipulates vocabulary, language structures and features relevant to the task	3
Writes with a good understanding of the audience, purpose and context of the task	4
• Demonstrates a good understanding of vocabulary, language structures and features relevant to the task	4
Writes with some awareness of the audience, purpose and context of the task	2–3
• Demonstrates some understanding of vocabulary, language structures and features relevant to the task	2–3
Produces some comprehensible language relevant to the task	1



Section III (continued)

	Criteria	Marks
•	Writes effectively and appropriately for the audience, purpose and context of the task	
•	Authentically and creatively manipulates language structures relevant to the task	10
•	Sequences and structures ideas and information coherently and effectively	
•	Writes with a good understanding of the audience, purpose and context of the task	
•	Demonstrates an excellent understanding of language structures relevant to the task	8–9
•	Sequences and structures ideas and information effectively	
•	Writes with an understanding of the audience, purpose and context of the task	
•	Demonstrates a good understanding of language structures relevant to the task	6–7
•	Organises some information and ideas	
•	Presents some information, opinions or ideas relevant to the task	
•	Demonstrates a rudimentary understanding of vocabulary and sentence structures	4–5
•	Attempts to organise information and ideas	
•	Attempts to address the requirements of the task	
•	Uses single words, set formulae and unrelated sentences to express information	2–3
•	Produces some comprehensible language relevant to the task	1

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2011 HSC Examination Mapping Grid

Oral Examination

Question	Marks	Content	Syllabus outcomes
	20	Conversation – covering student's personal world	H1.1, H1.2, H1.3, H1.4

Written Examination

Section I — Listening and Responding

Question	Marks	Content	Syllabus outcomes
1	2	Leisure and interests – phone message	H3.1
2	2	Relationships – conversation	H3.1
3	3	Current issues – news report	H3.2
4	3	The world of work – conversation	H3.1, H3.5
5	1	Current issues – radio announcement	H3.5
6	4	Daily life/lifestyles – conversation	H3.6
7	5	The young person's world – conversation	H3.3, H3.5
8	5	School life and aspirations – speech	H3.3, H3.6

Section II — Reading and Responding

Part A

Question	Marks	Content	Syllabus outcomes
9 (a)	2	Current issues – interview	H3.1
9 (b)	3	Current issues – interview	H3.1
9 (c)	4	Current issues – interview	H3.2
10 (a)	2	Arts and entertainment – web forum	H3.1
10 (b)	4	Arts and entertainment – web forum	H3.2, H3.4
10 (c)	4	Arts and entertainment – web forum	H3.4, H3.5
10 (d)	6	Arts and entertainment – web forum	H3.3, H3.4, H3.5

Section II — Reading and Responding Part B

Question	Marks	Content	Syllabus outcomes
11	15	Young person's world – chatroom entry	H1.2, H1.3, H3.1

Section III — Writing in French

Question	Marks	Content	Syllabus outcomes
12	5	Travel and tourism – postcard	H2.1, H2.2, H2.3
13 (a)	10	Leisure and interests – email	H2.1, H2.2, H2.3
13 (b)	10	Relationships – email	H2.1, H2.2, H2.3