

# Friday 5 June 2015 – Morning

### GCSE PORTUGUESE

**A834/01** Writing

Candidates answer on the Question Paper.

OCR supplied materials:

None

Other materials required:

None

**Duration:** 1 hour



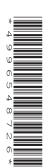
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### **INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

- Write your name, centre number and candidate number in the boxes above. Please write clearly and in capital letters.
- Use black ink.
- Read each question carefully. Make sure you know what you have to do before starting your answer.
- Answer any two questions.
- Write your answer to each question in the space provided. Additional paper may be used if necessary but you must clearly show your candidate number, centre number and question number(s).
- Write up to a maximum of 150 words for each question in Portuguese.
- Each question must be for a <u>different</u> purpose: eg blog/e-mail/letter/article/script of a conversation.
- Do not write in the bar codes.

### **INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES**

- The number of marks is given in brackets [ ] at the end of each question or part question.
- The total number of marks for this paper is **50**.
- Dictionaries are allowed.
- This document consists of 16 pages. Any blank pages are indicated.



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# Answer TWO questions only

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You must answer **TWO** questions **only** from the list of 5 printed below.

Each response must be written for a different purpose (ie in a different style, for example: blog/email/letter/article/script of a conversation).

Each question is printed in the booklet with space for you to write your answer.

### Question 1 Home and local area

Write about things for young people to do in your local area.

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### Question 2 Health and sport

Write about having a healthy lifestyle.

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### Question 3 Leisure and entertainment

Write about festivals.

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### Question 4 Travel and the wider world

Write about environmental problems in towns and cities.

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### Question 5 Education and work

Write about learning something new.

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You must answer TWO questions only.

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### Question 1 Home and local area

### Write about things for young people to do in your local area.

### Remember:

- to give factual information **and** explain ideas and points of view (your own or those of others)
- to use a variety of vocabulary, different types of sentences and different verb tenses.

You can use your own ideas or you could include these ideas:

- 1 say where you live and what you like about the local area
- 2 say what facilities there are in the area for young people (e.g. cinema/park/library/skateboard park)
- **3** give details of a day you have had, or plan to have, at your local shopping centre and say how you feel about it
- 4 say whether or not you think that it is important for young people to have things to do in the area and why
- 5 say what new facilities you would like to have near your home, what they would be like and why.


### Question 2 Health and sport

### Write about having a healthy lifestyle.

### Remember:

- to give factual information **and** explain ideas and points of view (your own or those of others)
- to use a variety of vocabulary, different types of sentences and different verb tenses.

You can use your own ideas **or** you could include these ideas:

- 1 say what food you like and what you normally eat and drink for dinner
- 2 give details of what you do to keep healthy (e.g. drink lots of water/eat fresh fruit/exercise)
- 3 describe a healthy activity you have recently done, or plan to do, and say how you feel about it
- 4 say whether or not you think that it is difficult to maintain a healthy lifestyle and why
- 5 say what you would do to persuade someone you know to improve his/her lifestyle and why.


### Question 3 Leisure and entertainment

### Write about festivals.

### Remember:

- to give factual information **and** explain ideas and points of view (your own or those of others)
- to use a variety of vocabulary, different types of sentences and different verb tenses.

You can use your own ideas or you could include these ideas:

- 1 say what you normally do at weekends and who with
- 2 say what type of festivals you like (e.g. music/religious/dance/art)
- 3 give details of a festival you have been to, or plan to go to, and say how you feel about it
- 4 say whether or not you think that watching a festival on television is as good as being there and why
- say what your ideas would be for a festival that you would like to help organise, how you would make it special and why.


### Question 4 Travel and the wider world

### Write about environmental problems in towns and cities.

### Remember:

- to give factual information and explain ideas and points of view (your own or those of others)
- to use a variety of vocabulary, different types of sentences and different verb tenses.

You can use your own ideas or you could include these ideas:

- 1 say where you live and what you do to help the environment
- 2 say what is bad for the environment in towns and cities (e.g. too many cars/dirty streets/lots of noise)
- 3 describe a visit you have made, or plan to make, to a very good park and say how you feel about it
- 4 say whether or not you think that it is important to improve the environment in towns and cities and why
- 5 say in what ways your life would change if you lived in an environmentally friendly city and why.

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### Question 5 Education and work

### Write about learning something new.

### Remember:

- to give factual information **and** explain ideas and points of view (your own or those of others)
- to use a variety of vocabulary, different types of sentences and different verb tenses.

You can use your own ideas or you could include these ideas:

- 1 say which school you go to and what your favourite subject is
- 2 give details of something you or your friends learn outside school time (e.g. tennis/a musical instrument/first aid)
- 3 describe what you have recently done, or plan to do, to learn something new and say how you feel about it
- 4 say whether or not you think it is important for everyone to have an opportunity to learn something new and why
- 5 say what you would do if you could spend a year abroad learning something new and why.


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