



2011 Mandarin (Simplified)

Intermediate 1 Listening

Finalised Marking Instructions

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Questions/Acceptable answers

You visit a summer camp website and you have the opportunity to listen to some podcasts about the camp.

1. Xiao Kang tells you about himself.

(a) What age is he? Complete the sentence.

1 mark

- 15

(b) He talks about school. What does he say about Maths?

1 mark

- He likes Maths

Unacceptable answers

Irrelevant/Insufficient

Questions/Acceptable answers

Unacceptable answers

Irrelevant/Insufficient

2. Lili now talks about summer camp.

(a) What does she say? Complete the sentence. **1 mark**

- (lots of)/(many) (new) friend(s).

Best friend(s)
A best friend

(b) What is her best friend's nationality? Tick (✓) the correct box. **1 mark**

French

Canadian

Australian

Questions/Acceptable answers

Unacceptable answers

Irrelevant/Insufficient

3. Xiao Kang's father gives his views about the summer holidays. What does he say?

(a) Tick (✓) the correct box.

1 mark

Xiao Kang's father thinks that the summer holidays are:

enjoyable.	
too long.	✓
too hot.	

(b) Why does he send Xiao Kang to the summer camp?
Tick (✓) the correct box.

1 mark

Xiao Kang's father sends him to the summer camp:

to meet people.	
to get more exercise.	✓
to learn about computers.	

Questions/Acceptable answers

Unacceptable answers

Irrelevant/Insufficient

4. Next you listen to Lili's mother.

(a) What is her job? Tick (✓) the correct box.

1 mark

Doctor

Nurse

Teacher

(b) Why is sending Lili to summer camp a good idea?
Tick (✓) the correct statement.

1 mark

She is busy at work and has no time to play with Lili.	✓
She is busy at work and can afford to send Lili to the camp.	
She is busy at work and is too tired to play with Lili.	

Questions/Acceptable answers

Unacceptable answers

Irrelevant/Insufficient

5. Jie Lun, a volunteer at the camp, talks about his work.
What does he teach?

(a) Complete the sentence.

1 mark

- badminton

(b) What makes him happy at work? Tick (✓) the correct box.

1 mark

Jie Lun is happy working at the camp because:

he gets on well with his colleagues.	<input type="checkbox"/>
he likes working with children.	<input type="checkbox"/>
the children learn fast and well.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Questions/Acceptable answers

6. The chef at the camp tells you what food he is preparing. **3 marks**

Tick (✓) the **three** dishes which he mentions.

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Beef noodles | <input type="checkbox"/> Roast duck |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Chicken noodles | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Egg fried rice |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Fried noodles | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fruit salad |

Unacceptable answers

Irrelevant/Insufficient

Questions/Acceptable answers

Unacceptable answers

Irrelevant/Insufficient

7. The organiser describes the facilities available.

(a) What does she tell you? Tick (✓) the correct statement.

1 mark

The camp is the most popular in the country.	
The camp is the biggest in the country.	✓

(b) What sporting facilities are there? Tick (✓) the **three** correct boxes.

3 marks

- | | |
|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Running track | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Table tennis tables |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Tennis courts | <input type="checkbox"/> Netball courts |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Swimming pools | <input type="checkbox"/> Playing field |

Questions/Acceptable answers

Unacceptable answers

Irrelevant/Insufficient

8. What are the advantages of attending the camp? Tick (✓) the **three** correct statements.

3 marks

Children enjoy being away from home.	
Children will be healthy.	✓
Children will have an interesting summer holiday.	✓
Children enjoy the adventure.	
Children can learn a lot.	✓
Children can appreciate different cultures.	

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