# 2009 Urdu

# Standard Grade – Credit – Reading

# Finalised Marking Instructions

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**Credit Reading**

**Marking Scheme**

| Q | Marks | Acceptable answers | Insufficient/Irrelevant | Unacceptable answers |
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| **1. (a)** | **1** | • He is studying a foreign language/new language/another country's language | | |
| **(b)** | **1** | • To find a job/work | | |
| **(c)** | **1** | • (There are) no job opportunities/Not many jobs are available/limited jobs/ (It's) hard to find a job | | |
| **(d)** | **1** | • He can get any other job/he is prepared to get any other job | | |

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| **(e)** | **2** | • Getting married/marriage/marrying<br><br>• Buying a house | | |
| **(f) (i)** | **1** | • Wants to stay with his parents/ doesn't want to leave his parents | | |
| **(ii)** | **1** | • They are old/to look after them/to take care of his parents<br><br>**(Any one)** | | |

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| **2. (a)** | **1** | • Say something positive/good/Say "what a beautiful/nice/pleasant day" | | |
| **(b)** | **2** | • Do not worry about (the) rain/bad weather<br><br>• (Offer to) share your umbrella/save someone (else) from getting wet | | |

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| **(c)** | **1** | • You will feel (pleasant/nice) change(s) in your personality/good feelings/ changes in/to your mood | | |
| **(d)** | **2** | • (Smiling/it) will make all hardship/ hurdles easy/difficult things easy (in (your) life)<br><br>• People will think that you are cheerful/humorous/pleasant<br><br>• You will be able to make friends easily<br><br>**(Any two)** | | |

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| **(e)** | **4** | • Buy your favourite magazine<br><br>• Buy yourself a (small/cheap/ inexpensive) gift<br><br>• Drink tea in a café/restaurant<br><br>• Phone a/your friend<br><br>• Visit/meet a/your friend<br><br>**(Any four)** | | |

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| **3. (a)** | **2** | • Young people have too much freedom<br><br>• They argue with their parents<br><br>• They try to prove themselves right even when they are wrong<br><br>**(Any two)** | | |
| **(b)** | **3** | • (He is) unable to afford high rent/ renting is (very) expensive<br><br>• (He has) no close friends to live/share with<br><br>• (He) doesn't know how to cook | | |

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| (c) | 1 | • Parents should be able to understand their children<br><br>• Take care of their needs | | |
| (d) | 2 | • Parents have forgotten how they were when they were young<br><br>• What feelings they had/what they were like/what their feelings/thoughts were when they were young | | |

**Total = 26 Marks**

[END OF MARKING INSTRUCTIONS]