

Cambridge Pre-U

| RUSSIAN Paper 2 Reading and MARK SCHEME Maximum Mark: 60 | Listening | | For exa | 9782/02 mination from 2020 |
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| | | Specimen | | |

This specimen paper has been updated for assessments from 2020. The specimen questions and mark schemes remain the same. The layout and wording of the front covers have been updated to reflect the new Cambridge International branding and to make instructions clearer for candidates.

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Generic Marking Principles

These general marking principles must be applied by all examiners when marking candidate answers. They should be applied alongside the specific content of the mark scheme or generic level descriptors for a question. Each question paper and mark scheme will also comply with these marking principles.

GENERIC MARKING PRINCIPLE 1:

Marks must be awarded in line with:

- the specific content of the mark scheme or the generic level descriptors for the question
- the specific skills defined in the mark scheme or in the generic level descriptors for the question
- the standard of response required by a candidate as exemplified by the standardisation scripts.

GENERIC MARKING PRINCIPLE 2:

Marks awarded are always **whole marks** (not half marks, or other fractions).

GENERIC MARKING PRINCIPLE 3:

Marks must be awarded positively:

- marks are awarded for correct/valid answers, as defined in the mark scheme. However, credit
 is given for valid answers which go beyond the scope of the syllabus and mark scheme,
 referring to your Team Leader as appropriate
- marks are awarded when candidates clearly demonstrate what they know and can do
- marks are not deducted for errors
- marks are not deducted for omissions
- answers should only be judged on the quality of spelling, punctuation and grammar when these features are specifically assessed by the question as indicated by the mark scheme. The meaning, however, should be unambiguous.

GENERIC MARKING PRINCIPLE 4:

Rules must be applied consistently e.g. in situations where candidates have not followed instructions or in the application of generic level descriptors.

GENERIC MARKING PRINCIPLE 5:

Marks should be awarded using the full range of marks defined in the mark scheme for the question (however; the use of the full mark range may be limited according to the quality of the candidate responses seen).

GENERIC MARKING PRINCIPLE 6:

Marks awarded are based solely on the requirements as defined in the mark scheme. Marks should not be awarded with grade thresholds or grade descriptors in mind.

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Part I: Reading (30 marks)

| Question | Answer | Marks | Guidance |
|-----------|--|-------|----------------------------|
| Reading E | xercise 1 | | |
| 1 | Any one from: она смотрит за внуком или внучкой/ внуками (1) она заботится о внуке или внучке/внуках (1) она воспитывает внука или внучку/внуков роль бабушки (1) | 1 | |
| 2 | она говорит (им): «можно/да» (1) родители говорят: «нельзя/нет» (1) must refer to grandmother and parents | 2 | |
| 3 | они отправляют отца или мать в дом престарелых (reference to lack of respect or poor attitude) | 1 | |
| 4 | они уступают им место (в автобусе) | 1 | |
| 5 | Any two from: | 2 | Reject: inappropriate case |
| 6 | они/внуки рассказывают политические анекдоты (1) они рассказывают о (своём) отдыхе в экзотических странах/за границей (1) они заключают брак с иностранцами (1) | 3 | |

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| Question | Answer | Marks | Guidance |
|-----------|---|-------|------------------------------------|
| Reading E | xercise 2 | | |
| 7 | everything is new for children (1) (whereas) adults may have experienced/ may have had everything (they want in life) (1) | 2 | |
| 8 | listen to what they say (1) observe what they do (1) | 2 | |
| 9 | a gift token/voucher (for a shop) | 1 | |
| 10 | day/stay in a (romantic) hotel | 1 | |
| 11 | they don't think (deeply) enough | 1 | |
| 12 | ones which joke about age | 1 | Reject: (presents) about their age |
| 13 | comments/commentaries/remarks/notes/captions/quotes | 1 | |
| 14 | Any one from: recipients will be able to look at it for the rest of their lives (1) it's a(n unusual) way of showing your love for them (1) a good idea if you don't have much money (1) | 1 | |

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| Question | Answer | Marks | Guidance |
|-----------|--|-------|----------|
| Reading E | xercise 3 | | |
| 15 | Re-translation Any suitable alternative rendering can be accepted. Minor spelling errors are accepted, but not if the meaning of the word is altered. One tick for each box, then see conversion table. | 10 | |

| | Text | Accept | Reject |
|----|-----------------------------|--|---|
| 1 | Last week, | На прошлой неделе | |
| 2 | my brother Boris | мой брат Борис | |
| 3 | went by bus | поехал (ездил) на автобусе | |
| 4 | to buy | (чтобы) купить / покупать | |
| 5 | a Christmas present | рождественский подарок | |
| 6 | for his girlfriend. | для своей девушки / подруги. | "девушки" on its own (without a possessive pronoun) |
| 7 | Because | Так как / потому что / из-за того, что | |
| 8 | he's still studying | он ещё изучает | |
| 9 | French literature, | французскую литературу, | |
| 10 | he doesn't have much money. | у него маленькое / небольшое количество денег | |
| 11 | However, | Однако, | |
| 12 | He can usually find | он обычно может находить / находит | |
| 13 | something inspiring | что-нибудь вдохновляющее | |
| 14 | or, at least, | или, по крайней мере, | |
| 15 | unique. | уникальное. | |
| 16 | He is a really | Он действительно | |
| 17 | remarkable young man! | замечательный молодой человек! | |
| 18 | Having made a list | Сделав список | |
| 19 | of everything | всего, что | |
| 20 | she wanted, | она хотела, | |
| 21 | Boris started | Борис начал | |
| 22 | to go | заходить / ходить по | |
| 23 | to those shops | в те магазины, / тем магазинам, | |
| 24 | which sell | в которых / где продают | |

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| | Text | Accept | Reject |
|----|----------------------------|----------------------------|--------|
| 25 | cheap | недорогие / дешёвые, | |
| 26 | but interesting things. | но интересные вещи. | |
| 27 | Very soon, | Очень скоро | |
| 28 | in a book shop, | в книжном магазине | |
| 29 | he saw | он увидел | |
| 30 | the ideal present for her. | идеальный подарок для неё. | |

Conversion table

| Number of ticks | Mark |
|-----------------|------|
| 28–30 | 10 |
| 25–27 | 9 |
| 22–24 | 8 |
| 19–21 | 7 |
| 16–18 | 6 |
| 13–15 | 5 |
| 10–12 | 4 |
| 7–9 | 3 |
| 4–6 | 2 |
| 1–3 | 1 |
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Part II: Listening (30 marks)

| Question | Answer | Marks | Guidance |
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| Listening | Exercise 1 | | |
| 16 | это только эксперимент | 1 | |
| 17 | в спецшколах (для иностранных языков, математики и т.д.) | 1 | |
| 18 | Апу two from: детям с проблемами со здоровьем (1)/ с учёбой (1) (или) с поведением (1) | 2 | |
| 19 | Any one from: мальчики и девочки развиваются по-разному (1) у них разные интересы/игры/пристрастия (1) | 1 | |
| 20 | подробно объяснить тему (1) привести примеры (1) | 2 | |
| 21 | дать/позволить им сделать задание (самостоятельно/самим) | 1 | |
| 22 | Апу two from: легче поддерживать порядок на уроках (1) ученики не боятся неправильно ответить (1) или задавать вопросы (1) (если они чтото не поняли) | 2 | Reject: повысилась работоспособность девочек/ можно пройти больше материала |

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| Question | Answer | Marks | Guidance |
|-----------|---|-------|---------------------|
| Listening | Exercise 2 | | |
| 23 | he likes fulfilling his duty | 1 | |
| 24 | pride (1) envy (towards those playing heroic roles) (1) | 2 | |
| 25 | family OR 'beloved' woman/the woman he loves/favourite woman | 1 | |
| 26 | finest (or synonym implying 'positive') emotions OR warm feelings | 1 | |
| 27 | Any two from: everything is much simpler (1) there is dirt/blood (1) there is no time for lofty feelings (1) there is no time to think (1) there is only time to act to save oneself or others (1) | 2 | |
| 28 | people were kinder | 1 | Reject: kind/better |
| 29 | the bravery of Russian soldiers | 1 | Reject: manliness |
| 30 | (inner) patriotism | 1 | |

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| Question | Answer | Marks | Guidance | | |
|----------------------|---|-----------|-------------------------------|--|--|
| Listening Exercise 3 | | | | | |
| 31 | Summary | 10 | | | |
| | Give one mark for each of the following content points addressed, up to a maximum of 10 marks | | | | |
| | How unemployment has affected grad | uates in | Nizhegorodskaya | | |
| | Content points: - (About) 2000 graduates are jobless (1) - particularly those specialising in metallurgy/car manufacturing (1) - there are fewer young jobless graduates than the Russian average (two thirds to half as many) (1) | | | | |
| | The role of employment agencies | | | | |
| | Content points: - they are offering re-qualification/conversion courses and training courses/work experience/work placements/apprenticeships (1) - they have given 870 students this opportunity already (1) - they hope to arrange the same for the rest by the end of the year (1) | | | | |
| | What is said about students' expectations | | | | |
| | Content points: - they have too high/unrealistic expectations of their employment (1) - they expect to gain a senior post immediately after graduation/upon graduation (1) - they are not satisfied with the (starting) salary which employers are prepared to offer (1) | | | | |
| | Popular and less-favoured areas of study | | | | |
| | Content points: - (most) popular are economics/business r - less favoured are (natural) sciences/agrid building (1) - few want to be teachers, as teachers are | culture/m | echanical engineering/machine | | |

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