

## Marking Schemes

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### Paper 1 (Reading)

#### Part A (compulsory section)

1.
  - i) B [84]
  - ii) B [82]
  - iii) C [86]
2. (to) step inside [65]
3. A [64]
4. (stood) aloof // inaccessible [70]
5. B [94]
6.
  - i) True [62]
  - ii) False [65]
  - iii) Not Given [74]
7. large number / lots of building(s) (involved) // 18 different building(s) (involved) // legal restrictions on how buildings can be modified // (3 / some / a few / the) building(s) declared / are monument(s) // first permanent structure built by the British // the building(s) have / has long history / were built in 1841 / long time ago // there is a designation that imposes legal restrictions on how it can be modified [46]
8. C [75]
9. eventually [43]
10. (a) horizontal oasis [55]
11.
  - i) bamboo scaffolding [69]
  - ii) (leather) jewellery / jewelry boxes [48]
  - iii) (an) art gallery [59]
  - iv) views [51]
  - v) Switzerland [68]
  - vi) goal [32]
12.
  - i) missteps [55]
  - ii) collapsed [56]
  - iii) cells [46]
  - iv) criticized // criticised [34]
13.
 

Cause	Result	
(many) <u>open</u> spaces +	friend(s) / people / local(s) / neighbour(s) will (just) drop by to meet up (with friend(s) / people / local(s) / neighbour(s))	[44]
14.
  - i) final first // initial // inaugural [37]
  - ii) private public [54]
  - iii) ✓ [30]
  - iv) disturbed affected // impacted // changed // altered // influenced [6]

- | Cause   | Result   |      |
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| it / the prison / Chancery Lane was the quietest place (in Central) + | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• his father had to get up very early in the morning / the next morning /</li> <li>• he often cried at night /</li> <li>• avoid disturbing his father's sleep / rest /</li> <li>• so he / the family could sleep well /</li> <li>• so he would stop crying</li> </ul> | [62] |
16. i) (Ms / Miss) Winnie // Yeung // Winnie Yeung [52]  
 ii) the prison (in Central) // Tai Kwun (in Central) // (the) Victoria Prison (in Central) [67]
17. (a) new chapter (of history has begun) [64]
18. i) 4 [47]  
 ii) 2 [57]  
 iii) 5 [49]  
 iv) 3 [59]
19. i) B [35]  
 ii) E [11]  
 iii) D [33]  
 iv) G [36]  
 v) A [28]

**Part B1 (easier section)**

20. 1(st) - / to 30(th) April // April // Apr [92]
21. i) Contact us [59]  
 ii) Events [80]  
 iii) Find a store [84]
22. secrets [61]
23. (the) wind [39]
24. i) flag [71]  
 ii) leaves [35]
25. i) Not Given [51]  
 ii) False [62]  
 iii) True [55]
26. D [78]
27. i) trees // buildings [36]  
 ii) strong [41]  
 iii) wind(s) // conditions [59]  
 iv) correctly [22]  
 v) guide [19]
28. i) foolish [44]  
 ii) lightning // electricity [44]
29. B [88]
30. (to) slow down // (to) take it easy (and enjoy) // (try to) share your kite flying / experience (with others) // (to) do it with others [41]
31. A [48]

32. B [90]
33. i) Not Given [51]  
 ii) False [47]  
 iii) True [73]  
 iv) Not Given [61]
34. he wants his daughter to know more about (the fading culture of) kite flying (in Hong Kong) // he hopes to share kite flying with his daughter [8]
35. i) assemble // make [44]  
 ii) estates // neighbourhood // neighborhood [46]
36. i) Not Stated [58]  
 ii) 1970s [49]  
 iii) 1950s / 1960s [60]  
 iv) 1950s / 1960s [33]
37. restriction(s) on where to fly a kite // restriction(s) imposed by the Civil Aviation Authority (Hong Kong in 1970) // limited / not enough / only three / few / only a few place(s) / spot(s) for flying a kite [13]
38. gloomy [48]
39. (kite enthusiast) / Haiven / Ka Hei / Woo and / with his brother // (the) owners of HK Kite / online kite shop // the Woos [43]
40. C [30]
41. i) C [49]  
 ii) B [41]  
 iii) D [58]  
 iv) A [55]

**Part B2 (more difficult section)**

42. B [59]
43. B [65]
44. (because) their problems are silly / unimportant / not real // (because) they do not have a serious / real problem // (because) their concerns are usually self-obsessed whingeing, not genuine concerns [5]
45. i) False [38]  
 ii) False [66]  
 iii) True [79]  
 iv) Not Given [57]  
 v) True [73]
46. difference // contrast // comparison // distinction [4]
47. her friends // (a / the) librarian's friends // friends of (a / the) librarian (from Manchester) [67]
48. (large) age difference / gap // different cultures / jobs / (cultural) backgrounds / nationalities / languages // difference in culture / job / (cultural) background / nationality / language // marrying a (young Italian) farmer / person half her age // the farmer is half the age of the librarian [17]
49. 

<i>On one hand...</i> Norton thinks (her friends are correct and) the relationship / marriage is not going to work // Norton thinks it is crazy to marry a young Italian farmer	+ but	<i>...on the other hand</i> it / the relationship <u>might</u> / <u>may</u> work well // there is <u>just a possibility</u> / <u>chance</u> it / the relationship might work well // they may / might live happily after	[6]
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50. (because) it is harsh to tell someone / suggest / point out that +  
 ...they / he / she may always be on their own /  
 ...they / he / she may never find a partner /  
 ...they / he / she will be lonely / alone /  
 ...they / he / she may never get what they want /  
 ...there is no solution to their / his / her problem [3]
51. i) B [60]  
 ii) D [84]  
 iii) E [77]  
 iv) A [86]
52. A [75]
53. C [91]
54. i) (all) plain sailing [65]  
 ii) (embarking on the first manned) mission to Mars [69]
55. fun // (the) fun + (time(s) / moment(s) / experience(s) / life / thing(s)) + (he / David) + (may / might / will / would) + (have / experience / see) + (in Sweden / Europe) [41]
56. (the fear that) David will feel like a failure // David still has an idea in his head that / (the fear that if something doesn't work out with the move) he will / would fail / have failed in some way [23]
57. i) relax // calm down // keep calm // take (a / some) deep breath(s) // breathe deeply // breathe and calm down [59]  
 ii) call / Skype home / family / friends / people back home / people you miss // make calls to home / family / friends / parents [40]  
 iii) persevere // don't give up (immediately / yet) // do not give up [67]  
 iv) go home // return / go back home / to America / to the US / to (the) USA / to the States / (the) United States // (leave and) go (back) home [19]
58. 

you should not / don't have a haircut too often / visit the barber less often //		
it / having a long fringe / will cover your eyes and you can't see... / you can ignore	+ the barber / nose picking / the problem / something you don't like / you don't want to see	[4]
it / having a long fringe will block your sight / view / vision of / prevent you from seeing...		
59. B [40]
60. i) C [63]  
 ii) E [68]  
 iii) D [54]  
 iv) F [61]  
 v) B [52]
61. i) D [58]  
 ii) C [57]  
 iii) F [52]  
 iv) H [67]  
 v) A [48]  
 vi) E [52]  
 vii) B [61]

62. Norton's / his advice / he is helping people / others (to get better / solve their (mental) problems / find solutions) // is helpful // Norton's / his advice / he is helping to heal / cure people // Norton / he (sometimes) give(s) / offer(s) advice / suggestions / solutions [41]

*Note: Figures in square brackets represent the percentage of candidates awarded a point for the item. Points within this } bracket can be in any order.*

/ = alternative acceptable word(s) / phrase(s) within an answer

// = alternative answer(s)

( ) = word(s) or phrase(s) which are **NOT** essential to the answer

\_\_\_ = underlined word(s) must be present in the answer