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# French

Unit 4: Writing  
Foundation Tier



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**WEDNESDAY 16 MAY, MORNING**

## TIME

1 hour.

## INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Write your Centre Number and Candidate Number in the spaces provided at the top of this page.

**You must answer the questions in the spaces provided.**

**Do not write outside the boxed area on each page or on blank pages.**

Complete in black ink only. **Do not write with a gel pen.**

Answer **all four** questions.

## INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

The total mark for this paper is 60.

Figures in brackets printed down the right-hand side of pages indicate the marks awarded to each question or part question.

Use of a dictionary is **not** permitted.



Answer **all** questions.

## 1 My house



(a) You are writing a shopping list of items that will help you do your homework.

Write in **French**.

**Example:** règle

(i) \_\_\_\_\_ [1]

(ii) \_\_\_\_\_ [1]

(iii) \_\_\_\_\_ [1]

(iv) \_\_\_\_\_ [1]



(b) Complete the sentences below by writing 2–3 words.

Write in **French**.

A la maison, ma pièce préférée, c'est

(i) \_\_\_\_\_ . [2]

Derrière la maison, il y a

(ii) \_\_\_\_\_ . [2]

Pour aider mes parents à la maison, je

(iii) \_\_\_\_\_ . [2]

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## 2 Myself



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You are taking part in a school trip to France. Some French students ask you the following questions.

Answer the questions **in French**.

Write a full sentence for each answer.

(a) Quelle est la date de ton anniversaire?

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[2]

(b) As-tu des frères ou des sœurs?

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[2]



(c) As-tu un animal à la maison?

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[2]

(d) Comment es-tu physiquement?

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[2]

(e) Qu'est ce que tu aimes manger?

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[2]



### 3 Local area

A French friend would like to know something about the area you live in.

Translate the English sentences **into French** and write the answer in the spaces provided.



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(a) I live in a big town.

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(b) There are lots of shops and a swimming pool.

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(c) You can go to the cinema.

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[2]

(d) I don't like the countryside.

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[2]

(e) I would like to live at the seaside.

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- 4 Choose **one** question from the three options provided and write your answer **in French**.

You **must** write **five** paragraphs.

You **must** include **all** bullet points.

**(a) Context 1**

You are sending an email to a French friend about your free time. You must include details about:

- Sport
- Technology, e.g. computers, mobile phones
- Shopping
- Another hobby, e.g. music, cinema, reading
- Last weekend

**OR**

**(b) Context 2**

You are preparing a report to display in your French classroom about your experiences of going on holiday. You must include details about:

- Your favourite holiday destination
- Food on holiday
- Accommodation on holiday
- Holiday activities
- Plans for a future holiday

**OR**

**(c) Context 3**

You have been asked to write an article that will appear on your school's website and which will attract new pupils to your school. You must include details about:

- Your school day
- Subjects
- School uniform
- Lunchtime at school
- What you will do after school today

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