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MARK SCHEME		
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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 descriptions 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.

Annotations used in marking

Symbol	Meaning	
٨	omission	
BOD	benefit of doubt given	
NBOD	no benefit of doubt given	

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1	Unit	English	Target Language	40
	1	It is hard to believe	यावर विश्वास ठेवणे कठीण आहे	
	2	that there was a time	की (तिकडे / तेव्हा) क वेळ होती	
	3	when the internet did not exist.	जेव्हा इंटरनेट अस्तित्वात नव्हते.	
	4	It is now impossible	आता हे अशक्य आहे	
	5	to imagine life without it.	त्याशिवाय जीवनाची कल्पना करणे.	
	6	In fact, it only started	खरं तर, ते फक्त सुरू झाले	
	7	to be in general use	सामान्य वापरात यायला	
	8	about 30 years ago.	सुमारे 30 वर्षांपूर्वी.	
	9	Before that, computers were mainly used	त्यापूर्वी, संगणक / कॉम्पुटर / कम्प्युटर प्रामुख्याने वापरला जात असे	
	10	for writing documents	कागदपत्रे लिहिण्यासाठी	
	11	or performing calculations.	किंवा हिशोब / गणित करण्यासाठी	
	12	The internet is a source of knowledge,	इंटरनेट हे ज्ञानाचे साधन / स्रोत आहे,	
	13	making dictionaries, encyclopaedias and instruction booklets	शब्दकोष, विश्वकोश आणि सूचना पुस्तिका तयार करणे	
	14	instantly available to everyone.	प्रत्येकासाठी त्वरित उपलब्ध.	
	15	It stores our photographs,	ते आमची छायाचित्रे संग्रहित करते / साठवते	

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1	Unit	English	Target Language	
	16	documents and diaries,	कागदपत्रे आणि डायरी / दैनंदिनी,	
	17	and it reminds us of our appointments.	आणि ते आम्हाला आमच्या भेटींची / भेटीच्या वेळेची आठवण करून देते.	
	18	It is also a platform for communication,	हे संवादाचे व्यासपीठ देखील आहे,	
	19	and in recent years	आणि अलिकडच्या वर्षांत	
	20	we have increasingly relied on it	आम्ही त्यावर अधिकाधिक अवलंबून आहोत	
	21	to see and talk online	ऑनलाइन पाहण्यासाठी आणि बोलण्यासाठी	
	22	to friends, relatives, colleagues and clients.	मित्र, नातेवाईक, सहकारी आणि ग्राहकांशी	
	23	Employees have discovered	कर्मचाऱ्यांनी शोधून काढले आहे	
	24	that they can work remotely,	ते दुरून / घरुन काम करू शकतात,	
	25	changing the concept	संकल्पना बदलून	
	26	of the traditional workplace,	पारंपारिक कामाच्या ठिकाणाची / जागेची	
	27	and patients do not always need	आणि रुग्णांना नेहमीच गरज नसते	
	28	to go to a medical centre	वैद्यकीय केंद्रात जाण्याची	
	29	to consult a doctor.	डॉक्टरांचा सल्ला घेण्यासाठी.	
	30	However, greater reliance on the internet,	तथापि, इंटरनेटवर अधिक अवलंबून,	

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1	Unit	English	Target Language	
	31	particularly in the area of education,	विशेषतः शिक्षण क्षेत्रात,	
	32	has highlighted	दाखवले आहे / हायलाइट केले / सिद्ध केले आहे	
	33	social and economic inequalities.	सामाजिक आणि आर्थिक असमानता.	
	34	Parts of the world	जगातल्या (अनेक) भागांत / विभागांत	
	35	do not have easy access to it;	त्यात सहज प्रवेश / मिळत नाही / पोचत नाही;	
	36	some people cannot afford	काही लोकांना परवडत नाही	
	37	the necessary equipment;	आवश्यक उपकरणे;	
	38	and others, especially the elderly,	आणि इतर, विशेषतः वृद्ध / म्हाताऱ्यांना,	
	39	do not feel comfortable	आरामदायक / सोयीस्कर / सुखकर वाटत नाही	
	40	about using the technology.	तंत्रज्ञान वापरण्याबद्दल.	