# MARK SCHEME for the May/June 2010 question paper for the guidance of teachers 

## 8686 URDU LANGUAGE

8686/02 Paper 2 (Reading and Writing), maximum raw mark 70

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15 Sentences clearly showing meaning of given words ( $5 \times 1$ mark)
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2 Equivalents of 5 given phrases (5 $\times 1$ mark)



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[Total: $15+5$ for accuracy $=20$ marks]

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## Quality of Language: Accuracy (for question 3)

| $\mathbf{5}$ | Very good | Consistently accurate. Only very few errors of minor significance. Accurate <br> use of more complex structures (verb forms, tenses, prepositions, word order). |
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| $\mathbf{4}$ | Good | Higher incidence of error than above, but clearly has a sound grasp of the <br> grammatical elements in spite of lapses. Some capacity to use accurately <br> more complex structures. |
| $\mathbf{3}$ | Sound | Fair level of accuracy. Common tenses and regular verbs mostly correctly <br> formed. Some problems forming correct agreement of adjectives. Difficulty <br> with irregular verbs, use of prepositions. |
| $\mathbf{2}$ | Below average | Persistent errors in tense and verb forms. Prepositions frequently incorrect. <br> Recurrent errors in agreement of adjectives. |
| $\mathbf{0 - 1}$ Poor | Little or no evidence of grammatical awareness. Most constructions <br> incomplete or incorrect. Consistent and repeated error. |  |

The 5 marks for the quality of language will be awarded globally for the whole performance on each set of answers. With regard to length, a concise answer containing all mark-bearing components for content is scored on the full range of marks for language, i.e. length does not determine the quality of language mark. An answer scoring 0 for content cannot score any language marks, and the total available on the whole set of answers will therefore be affected. The final total for language will be reduced on the following scale:

Answer(s) worth 2 or 3 scoring 0 : reduce final assessment by -1
Answer(s) worth 4 or 5 scoring 0 : reduce final assessment by -2
Answer(s) worth 6 or 7 scoring 0 : reduce final assessment by -3
Answer(s) worth 8 or 9 scoring 0: reduce final assessment by -4
Note: A minimum of 1 mark for quality of language should be awarded if there are any content marks at all (i.e. 0 language marks only if 0 content marks).

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## Quality of Language: Accuracy (for question 4)

| $\mathbf{5}$ | Very good | Consistently accurate. Only very few errors of minor significance. Accurate <br> use of more complex structures (verb forms, tenses, prepositions, word order). |
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| $\mathbf{4}$ | Good | Higher incidence of error than above, but clearly has a sound grasp of the <br> grammatical elements in spite of lapses. Some capacity to use accurately <br> more complex structures. |
| $\mathbf{3}$ | Sound | Fair level of accuracy. Common tenses and regular verbs mostly correctly <br> formed. Some problems forming correct agreement of adjectives. Difficulty <br> with irregular verbs, use of prepositions. |
| $\mathbf{2}$ | Below average | Persistent errors in tense and verb forms. Prepositions frequently incorrect. <br> Recurrent errors in agreement of adjectives. |
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5 Comprehension Essays
These are marked according to published mark grid


Candidates must write at least 10 different points drawing the information from both passages.


Response should be only 40 words long so not much detail can be given
Candidates' own appropriate opinion is important here
[Total: $15+5$ for accuracy $=20$ marks]

## Quality of Language: Accuracy (for question 5a)

| $\mathbf{5}$ | Very good | Consistently accurate. Only very few errors of minor significance. Accurate <br> use of more complex structures (verb forms, tenses, prepositions, word order). |
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| $\mathbf{4}$ | Good | Higher incidence of error than above, but clearly has a sound grasp of the <br> grammatical elements in spite of lapses. Some capacity to use accurately <br> more complex structures. |
| $\mathbf{3}$ | Sound | Fair level of accuracy. Common tenses and regular verbs mostly correctly <br> formed. Some problems forming correct agreement of adjectives. Difficulty <br> with irregular verbs, use of prepositions. |
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