

A-level FRENCH

Paper 3 Speaking

Specimen 2018

Candidate's material

To be conducted by the teacher-examiner or by the visiting examiner.

Time allowed: 21-23 minutes (including 5 minutes' preparation time at the start of the test)

Instructions

- During the 5 minutes' preparation time, at the start of the test, you are required to prepare one of the two cards given to you.
- You may make notes during the preparation time only on the Additional Answer Sheet provided. **You must not write on the card.**
- You may refer to the card and any notes you have made at any time during this section of the test.
- You should hand the stimulus card and the Additional Answer Sheet to the teacher/examiner before the start of the independent research section.

Information

- The test will last approximately 16-18 minutes and will consist of a stimulus card (5-6 minutes), a presentation on your research project (2 minutes) and a discussion of your research project (9-10 minutes). The discussion should focus on the content of the research, not the process.
- The teacher/examiner will ask the questions exactly as they are printed on the card and may ask follow-up questions to develop the discussion of the sub-theme.
- You must ask the teacher/examiner two questions arising from the material on the card. You can ask these questions at any time during the discussion.
- To develop the discussion of the sub-theme, you will be expected to respond to questions and discuss in **French** broader issues within the sub-theme on the card.
- You must **not** use a dictionary.

CARTE K	
Theme	Aspects of political life in the French-speaking world
Sub-theme	Manifestations, grèves – à qui le pouvoir ?

Une semaine typique en France ?



Cette semaine est marquée par la multiplication des appels à la grève. La grève illimitée à la RATP doit débuter ce jeudi. Une grève à partir de mardi a été votée à la SNCF. Les syndicats de l'aviation civile appellent à une grève de trois jours à partir de vendredi, grèves aussi dans le secteur de l'énergie, les dépôts de carburants, les raffineries et les centrales nucléaires.

Questions

- Que dit-on ici sur les grèves en France ?
- Que pensez-vous des informations données ?
- Selon ce que vous en savez, en France ou ailleurs dans le monde francophone, est-ce que ce sont les gouvernements ou les syndicats qui tiennent le pouvoir ?