

Question 2

You work for a website that encourages young people to try new things.

Your task: write a set of instructions for the website covering one of the following topics:

- how to cook your favourite dish
- how to carve a Halloween pumpkin
- how to maintain a bicycle/car/scooter
- how to perform a trick on a skateboard
- how to apply makeup
- how to create a hairstyle
- how to play a game.

Suggested word count 200 – 250 words.

(27 marks)

My favourite dish - Pireogis

My favourite dish is from my home country and it is simple meal that fills stomach so you do not need to eat more. It is called Pireogis and is similar to english dumplings. Is important that everyone try these dish atleast once in lifetime to experience real Polish food.

Ingredients

For dumplings is simply mix self-raising flour, salt, vegetables oil and warm water in bowl and then make in to flat pieces.

Then is up to you what you put in dumplings. Is common in Poland to have mushroom, potato and cream. Is important to cook first the mushrooms and potato. When they are cooked you can wrap them in dumplings and then make sure they are closed into little parcel and then you put into boiling water for only 3-4 minute.

Service

You can serve them with another dish like salad or use dip such as sour cream. Lovely.

Question 2	Band 4	Band 3	Band 2	Band 1	
	Consistently	Most of the time	Some of the time	Limited	
Communicates information, ideas and opinions clearly, coherently and accurately		✓			
Writes text of appropriate detail and length		✓			
Uses appropriate format, structure and paragraphing		✓			
Writes with accurate complex sentences and uses appropriate language			✓		
Overall band	Band 3				
Composition Marks	(12-15)	(8-11)	(4-7)	(0-3)	10

Question 2	Consistently accurate at appropriate level 4 marks	Accurate most of the time 3 marks	Accurate some of the time 2 marks	Limited accuracy 1 mark	Insufficient evidence 0 marks	
Spelling	4					
Punctuation		3				
Grammar			2			
SPaG Total						
SPaG mark + composition mark						19

Overall mark for question 2	14
Overall mark for question 1	19
FINAL MARK	
	33

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Commentary

Composition

Most of the detail is present, but it would be usual in a recipe to talk about the quantities of each item needed. Whilst it is relatively short, it is an appropriate length for the subject matter and the audience. There has been an attempt to lay out the instructions under appropriate subheadings, but the ease of reading would have been aided by further breaking down the writing into smaller steps. What is written is clear and coherent, and the inclusion of an introduction and a conclusion aid with the coherence. Some of the language is typical of a person for whom English is not the first language, containing some clumsy and/or incorrect expressions.

Spelling, punctuation and grammar

Spelling is strong. There are very few errors and evidence of more ambitious words, such as *stomach* and *self-raising*.

Punctuation is also relatively strong. There are some errors, for instance omitting a capital letter on *English*, but the candidate demonstrates sound control of sentence demarcation and there is good evidence of using commas to separate items in a list.

Grammar errors are frequent and include omitted articles and pronouns, some subject-verb disagreement and singular words that should be plural.