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**Mandarin (Simplified)
Listening Transcript**

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Instructions to reader(s):

For each item, read the English **once**, then read the Mandarin **three times**, with an interval of 1 minute between the three readings. On completion of the third reading of each item, pause for the length of time indicated in brackets after the item, to allow the candidates to write their answers.

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(t) Item number one.

Ma Ming talks about life at home.

You now have one minute to study the questions for item number one.

- (f)** 我叫马明，今年十五岁。我的生日是四月一日。我家在中国北部的一个农村。妈妈是家庭主妇，在家照顾生病的爷爷。因为爷爷的身体不好，经常头疼，所以我从小就帮妈妈做家务，比如做饭，扫地，洗衣服等等。家里还有一个弟弟。他喜欢学习，成绩好，明年就上中学了。虽然我和妈妈的关系好，但是我常常想爸爸，因为爸爸在城市里的工厂打工，他一个人住在城市里，每年春节的时候才回家一次。

(2 minutes)

(t) Item number two.

Binbin talks to Ma Ming about his leisure activities.

You now have one minute to study the questions for item number two.

(f) 彬彬，你爱做运动吗？

(m) 当然！我超级爱运动。我每天花三，四个小时做运动，比如跑步，打网球，打高尔夫球。

(f) 三，四个小时！你是不是花太多时间做运动呢？

(m) 不，我觉得我做运动的时间不多也不少，很正常。

(f) 那，你什么时候做运动呢？

(m) 我一般先做作业，然后去公园跑步。我是一个用心学习的好学生！

(f) 除了运动，你看电视节目吗？

(m) 看，我对音乐，卡通片和纪录片有兴趣。

(f) 你看不看电视上的新闻节目？

(m) 不看，我不看电视上的新闻，因为太慢了！很多新闻节目都已经是旧新闻了。我认为用手机看新闻更方便。

(f) 你和家人一起看电视吗？

(m) 不可能，我们一家人都有不一样的爱好。我妈妈喜欢看书，爸爸爱去电影院看电影。我弟弟喜欢和朋友一起出去玩。

(f) 那，你和家人在一起做什么呢？

(m) 我们一家人每天一起吃早饭。星期六，我们一起去市场买东西。星期天，我们先去教堂，然后去住在海边的阿姨家。

(2 minutes)

(t) You now have five minutes to look over your answers.

(5 minutes)

(t) End of test.

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