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**Urdu  
Directed Writing**

MONDAY, 28 APRIL

1:00 PM – 3:00 PM



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Fill in these boxes and read what is printed below.

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**Total marks — 20**

Choose ONE scenario on *page 02* and write your answer clearly, in **Urdu**, in the space provided in this booklet. You must clearly identify the scenario number you are attempting.

**You may use an Urdu dictionary.**

Additional space for answers is provided at the end of this booklet.

Use **blue** or **black** ink.

There is a separate answer booklet for Reading. You must complete your answers for Reading in the answer booklet for Reading.

Before leaving the examination room you must give this Directed Writing question and answer booklet and your Reading answer booklet to the Invigilator; if you do not, you may lose all the marks for this paper.



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Choose one of the following two scenarios.

### SCENARIO 1: Learning

You have recently returned from a school/college exchange visit to Pakistan. You have been asked to write a report, in **Urdu**, for the languages page of your school/college website.

**You must include** the following information and **you should try to add** other relevant details:

- where you went to in Pakistan **and** how you got there
- what your daily routine was in school/college day
- what you thought of the food choices in the school/college
- what other activities you took part in, in the evenings or weekends
- what you did to improve your language skills
- whether you would recommend this type of visit to other language students.

You should write approximately 150–180 words.

OR

### SCENARIO 2: Culture

Recently, you took part in a local festival while on holiday in Pakistan. You have been asked to write about your experience, in **Urdu**, for the language section of your school/college website.

**You must include** the following information and **you should try to add** other relevant details:

- where exactly the festival was **and** how you got there
- what activities you took part in during the festival
- what you enjoyed the most at the festival
- what you thought about the lifestyle in Pakistan
- in what way you practised Urdu during your trip
- whether you would recommend this kind of experience.

You should write approximately 150–180 words.







**ANSWER SPACE (continued)**

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