

## A-level FRENCH

Paper 3 Speaking

June 2023

### Candidate's Material

To be conducted by the teacher-examiner or by the visiting examiner between 11 April and 26 May 2023.

**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.

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CARTE I	
Theme	Aspects of French-speaking society: current issues
Sub-theme	Comment on traite les criminels

### Profil des prisonniers en France



Sur les 80 000 détenus en France, 11 000 purgent leur peine hors de prison. Dans la grande majorité des cas, ils portent un bracelet électronique. Les 69 000 autres sont répartis dans les 188 établissements pénitentiaires. Parmi eux, on compte 20 000 prévenus, c'est-à-dire des personnes incarcérées en attente de leur procès. A noter que la majorité des détenus (97%) sont des hommes.

#### Questions

- Que dit-on ici sur les prisonniers en France ?
- Quelle est votre réaction aux informations données ?
- Selon ce que vous en savez, quelle importance est-ce qu'on attache aux sanctions autres que la prison, en France, ou ailleurs dans le monde francophone ?