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**2024** PUBLIC EXAMINATION

# Bosnian

## Continuers Level

**Tuesday 15 October: 2 pm Australian Eastern Daylight Time**

Reading Time: 10 minutes

Working Time: 2 hours and 30 minutes

- *You have 10 minutes to read all the papers and to familiarise yourself with the requirements of the questions. You must not write during this time.*
- *Monolingual and/or bilingual printed dictionaries may be consulted during the reading time and also during the examination.*

### Section 1: Listening and Responding (30 marks)

#### Instructions to Students

1. Allow approximately 40 minutes for Section 1.
2. Write all your answers to the questions in Section 1 in this booklet in black or blue pen. Space is provided for you to make notes.
3. You must answer ALL questions in Part A and Part B.
4. Answer Part A in ENGLISH and Part B in BOSNIAN.
5. Write your student/registration number and the centre number (if required) on the front cover of this booklet.
6. All question booklets will be collected at the end of the examination.

**Part A (Questions 1–3)**  
(15 marks)

*Your response will be assessed on how well you:*

- *understand general and specific aspects of texts by identifying and analysing information and convey the information accurately and appropriately.*

You will hear THREE texts. Each text will be played twice. There will be a short break between the first and second playings of each text. You may make notes at any time.

Listen carefully to each text and then answer the questions in ENGLISH.

<b>Text 1</b>	<b>Marks</b>	You may make notes in this space. These notes will NOT be assessed.
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**Text 2**

2. What evidence in the text indicates that 'Audicija' is popular in Bosnia and Herzegovina and in Australia?

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**Text 3**

3. (a) How does the Community House support new immigrants?

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(b) What is the positive impact of the Community House?

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**Part B (Questions 4–6)**  
(15 marks)

*Your response will be assessed on how well you:*

- understand general and specific aspects of texts by identifying and analysing information and convey the information accurately and appropriately.*

You will hear THREE texts. Each text will be played twice. There will be a short break between the first and second playings of each text. You may make notes at any time.

Listen carefully to each text and then answer the questions in BOSNIAN.

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<b>Text 4</b>		
4. How does the radio host intend to involve the listeners in today’s show?	<b>5</b>	You may make notes in this space. These notes will NOT be assessed.
Kako voditelj namjerava da uključi slušaoce u današnju emisiju?		
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**Text 5**

5. What problems about buying a drone did Hasna's friend highlight?  
Koji su problemi kod kupovine drona koje je Hasnin prijatelj istakao?

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**Text 6**

6. Using the evidence in the text, provide three environmental and three technological challenges related to e-waste.

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Koristeći dokaze u tekstu, navedite tri ekološka i tri tehnološka izazova u vezi sa e-otpadom.

Environmental challenges

Ekološki izazovi

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Technological challenges

Tehnološki izazovi

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## Section 2: Reading and Responding (25 marks)

### Instructions to Students

1. Allow approximately 1 hour and 10 minutes for Section 2.
2. Write all your answers to the questions in Section 2 in this booklet in black or blue pen.
3. You must answer ALL questions in Part A and Part B.
4. Answer Part A in ENGLISH and Part B in BOSNIAN.
5. Write your student/registration number and the centre number (if required) on the front cover of this booklet.
6. All question booklets will be collected at the end of the examination.

**Part A (Questions 7–8)**  
(10 marks)

*Your response will be assessed on how well you:*

- *understand general and specific aspects of texts (for example, by comparing, contrasting, summarising and/or evaluating) and convey the information appropriately.*

7. Read the text and then answer in ENGLISH the questions that follow.

### **Tajne kugle Zavidovića**

Obično kada vas neko pita koje je to značajno turističko mjesto koje svako treba da posjeti kada putuje za Bosnu i Hercegovinu svi će se brzo složiti da je svakako potrebno posjetiti glavni grad Sarajevo, čuveni Mostarski most, Plivine vodopade u Jajcu ili možda Blagaj.

Međutim vrlo je malo onih koji će vam predložiti da ako ste u prilici svakako posjetite centralnu Bosnu i odete do gradića na rijeci Krivaji zvanog Zavidovići.

Poneko će vam objasniti da se upravo ovdje krije jedan prirodni fenomen za kojeg mnogi stanovnici vjeruju da može doprinijeti ekonomskom prosperitetu cijelog regiona. Naime, ovdje su u okolnim šumama pronađene masivne kamene kugle, iznenađujuće pravilnog oblika, njih više od pedesetak.

Slične kugle nisu pronađene nigdje u BiH, jedino se zna da ovakve kamene kugle postoje još samo u Sjevernoj i Južnoj Americi.

Neki stručnjaci smatraju da su ove kugle možda ostaci nekih drevnih civilizacija, ali u suštini nema nekog jasnog objašnjenja.

Među stanovnicima okolnih mjesta također vlada vjerovanje da ove kugle imaju ljekovitu moć i da oni koji žive bliže ovim kuglama su zdraviji i žive duže nego njihove komšije.

Ovo mistično mjesto je svakako vrijedno posjete iako ćete na kraju vjerovatno otići sa više pitanja nego odgovora.



QUESTIONS

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(a) What makes Zavidovici in Central Bosnia a unique tourist destination?

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(b) How do the local residents in Zavidovici perceive the rock spheres?

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8. Read the text and then answer in ENGLISH the question that follows.

### **Male firme iz BiH**

Nedavno je u sali centra "Zetra" održan međunarodni sajam namještaja i drvne industrije. Na sajmu su se okupile brojne renomirane kompanije, ne samo iz Bosne i Hercegovine nego i iz cijele Evrope.

Posljednjeg dana sajma je biran najbolje uređen i prezentiran izložbeni prostor. Ove godine nagradu je osvojila jedna renomirana tvornica namještaja iz malog srednjobosanskog gradića.

Iako su osnovani prije nekih desetak godina već su uspjeli da izgrade jedan prepoznatljiv i impresivan stil na svjetskom tržištu. U kooperaciji sa domaćim dizajnerima napravili su svoju prvu izložbenu kolekciju i započeli da izlažu na prestižnim međunarodnim sajmovima.

Vlasnici kažu da je u početku bilo teško da ubijede kupce da jedna mala BiH firma može da uspije i zadovolji kriterije nekih od svjetskih najzahtjevnijih klijenata, ali danas, oni su u kooperaciji sa preko 20 internacionalnih dizajnera i imaju svoje prodajne salone u preko 100 zemalja po cijelom svijetu.

Sve njihove kolekcije su proizvodi napravljeni od punog drveta i obojeni prirodnim uljima, tako da kupci dobijaju jedan istinski prirodni unikat u svojim domovima.

Za proizvodnju se koriste najsavremenije mašine za obradu drveta i visoko obrazovana radna snaga ali ipak sva završna obrada je ručna.



QUESTION

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According to the article, what contributes to the company's impressive and notable reputation in the furniture industry?

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## Part B (Question 9)

(15 marks)

*Your response will be assessed on how well you:*

- *demonstrate an understanding of the stimulus text*
- *write text appropriate and relevant to context, purpose and audience*
- *structure and sequence information and ideas*
- *manipulate language structures and vocabulary in Bosnian.*

9. Read the text and then answer the question in approximately 150 words in BOSNIAN on page 8.

### U suprotnom smjeru

U zadnje tri decenije veliki broj državljana napustio je Bosnu i Hercegovinu, ali ima i onih koji napuštaju svoje zemlje porijekla i sele se u Bosnu i Hercegovinu.

Franc je trideset-petogodišnji Nijemac koji već četiri godine boravi u BiH, radeći kao sportski dopisnik sedmičnog magazina, istovremeno istražujući oblast koja je vezana za njegov post-diplomski studij. Želja za upoznavanjem BiH javila se u srednjoj školi, a prijateljstvo sa djecom iz Sarajeva sa kojima je dugo godina igrao fudbal bilo je ključno da se Franc odluči i preseli u BiH.

Franc živi u Sarajevu i s posebnim oduševljenjem govori o načinu života, te neodoljivom mirisu čevapa. Impresioniran je prirodnim ljepotama BiH i često ide na višednevna planinarenja.

Dolazak u novu zemlju nije spriječio Franca da nastavi sa fudbalom. I dalje sa društvom igra svake sedmice i obavezno pogleda gradski derbi između Želje i Sarajeva. Uprkos nagovaranju njegovih prijatelja, još se nije odlučio za koga da navija.

### QUESTION

Based on Franc's experience, write a persuasive article for the school magazine about the importance of sport.

Koristeći priču o Francu napišite članak za školski časopis u kome afirmišete važnost sporta.

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### Section 3: Writing in Bosnian (20 marks)

#### Instructions to Students

1. Allow approximately 40 minutes for Section 3.
2. Write your answer to a question from Section 3 in this booklet in black or blue pen. Space is provided for you to make notes.
3. You must answer ONE question in BOSNIAN.
4. Write your student/registration number and the centre number (if required) on the front cover of this booklet.
5. All question booklets will be collected at the end of the examination.

**Section 3 (Questions 10–12)**  
(20 marks)

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*Your response will be assessed on how well you:*

- *demonstrate depth of treatment of information, ideas and/or opinions*
  - *write text appropriate and relevant to context, purpose and audience*
  - *structure and sequence information and ideas*
  - *manipulate language structures and vocabulary in Bosnian.*
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Answer ONE question from this section in approximately 250 words in BOSNIAN.

10. As I was browsing in the antique shop, I looked into an old mirror and was surprised at what I saw.  
Write an imaginative story, describing what happened next. Your story will be published in a collection of short stories for children.
- Kako sam razgledala/razgledao po antikvarnici, pogledala/pogledao sam u staro ogledalo i iznenadila/iznenadio se šta sam ugledala/ugledao.  
Napiši izmišljenu priču, opisujući šta se dalje dogodilo. Tvoja priča će biti objavljena u zbirci kratkih priča za djecu.
11. Some people prefer electric cars while others prefer petrol cars.  
Write an article for your local newspaper evaluating advantages and disadvantages of both models.
- Jedni daju prednost električnim kolima dok drugi daju prednost kolima na benzin.  
Napiši članak za lokalne novine gdje ćeš procijeniti dobre i loše strane oba modela.
12. Recently, the 40th anniversary celebration of the XIV Olympic Winter Games was held in Sarajevo.  
In your diary, write about your reactions to this event.
- Nedavno je u Sarajevu svečano obilježena 40. godišnjica održavanja XIV zimskih olimpijskih igara.  
Opiši u svom dnevniku tvoja osjećanja koja izaziva ovaj događaj.

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