

Test 1

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- a) Where you said, right?
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- c) No, I'm quite sure it isn't mine.

1. a) I can't today.
b) In fifteen minutes.
c) I didn't think so.
2. a) Oh no! I really want you to be there.
b) There won't be that many people there.
c) I'm sure I will.
3. a) I've met some people.
b) I'd love to meet him.
c) I will!
4. a) It is a bit funny, actually.
b) I'm not sure, but I think she might be.
c) I agree; it would be the best thing by far.
5. a) Well, maybe next year.
b) Neither have I.
c) I'm not sure.
6. a) We haven't made any plans to.
b) There are lots of concerts this summer.
c) I might take singing lessons.
7. a) I wouldn't expect it.
b) I always thought so.
c) That's because it's Sunday.

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Part 2

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Conversation 1

1. Where do the two speakers know each other from?
a) they travelled together
b) Law school
c) university
2. The man and the woman
a) have always been in touch.
b) are going to get married.
c) haven't seen each other for a long time.

Conversation 2

3. The man is
a) a designer.
b) the woman's friend.
c) a furniture salesman.
4. The woman
a) wants a specific colour for her bathroom.
b) is reluctant to buy any new furniture.
c) isn't sure yet about the colour in her bedroom.

Conversation 3

5. The two speakers are
a) good friends.
b) salesperson and customer.
c) interviewer and interviewee.
6. What kind of work does the woman want to do?
a) interacting with customers
b) being behind the scenes
c) seeing that things run smoothly

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Summer Camp

July 1st to 7th

Example: Dates for the camp:

1. Monday's main activity:

2. Tuesday through Thursday's activities include:

3. When children are at the lake there must be:

4. Where to have a barbecue on Thursday evening:

5. Report if any children have special:

6. What to do on Friday:

7. Friday's special surprise:

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Example: What do the man and woman NOT have to do for their trip?

a) book hotels **b) buy plane tickets** c) plan details

1. What categories would the woman's interests fall under?
 - a) culture and fashion
 - b) sightseeing and history
 - c) adventure and exercise

2. The man and woman are going to stay in NYC
 - a) for three weeks.
 - b) for one week.
 - c) for two weeks.

3. How do the man and woman seem to be feeling about the trip?
 - a) nervous
 - b) depressed
 - c) excited

4. How much will the man and woman spend on their hotel for the week?
 - a) \$1,500
 - b) \$200
 - c) \$1,300

5. The man and woman want to visit Long Island in order
 - a) to be near the water.
 - b) to visit a relative.
 - c) to get out of the city.

6. What sight does the man **not** want to visit?
 - a) the Ground Zero Museum
 - b) the Metropolitan Museum of Art
 - c) the New York Fashion Museum

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1.
 - a) In ten minutes.
 - b) I'm going to the gym.
 - c) I'm positive of it.
2.
 - a) I wouldn't count on it.
 - b) There aren't any paintings.
 - c) Do you think so?
3.
 - a) Oh! Not at all! Good idea!
 - b) Of course I would!
 - c) I'll repeat it then.
4.
 - a) I'm cold now.
 - b) Here I am.
 - c) I agree.
5.
 - a) There was sun, too.
 - b) But that's when we're going camping!
 - c) But don't you want to get out of the house?
6.
 - a) I was thinking about it.
 - b) We shouldn't.
 - c) How come?
7.
 - a) As long as she does, you can.
 - b) I don't think so.
 - c) There isn't room in the car.

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Conversation 1

1. Where is the conversation taking place?
 - a) someone's home
 - b) a boutique
 - c) a big store
2. The present that the man will buy
 - a) is too cheap for the occasion.
 - b) costs no more than 20 pounds.
 - c) is more expensive than he had expected.

Conversation 2

3. The man is
 - a) a ski trainer.
 - b) a friend of the woman.
 - c) the woman's husband.
4. How does the woman feel?
 - a) nervous
 - b) enthusiastic
 - c) disappointed

Conversation 3

5. What is the relationship between the two speakers?
 - a) two friends
 - b) husband and wife
 - c) psychologist and patient
6. The woman is annoyed with the man because
 - a) she thinks he doesn't help his wife around the house enough.
 - b) she's worried that his kids aren't getting proper care.
 - c) she thinks he doesn't make enough money.

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Football Clinic

Example: Why to run: to warm up

1. Next we will split:

2. Group A will work on:

3. Passing reduces the risk of:

4. Ball control will improve:

5. Location of restaurants:

6. Time to be back from lunch break:

7. What to do after lunch:

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Example: What are the man and woman doing today?

a) helping someone move **(b) moving** c) deciding whether or not to move

1. Who picked up the keys?
a) no-one
b) the man
c) the woman
2. The woman wants to keep the white couch because
a) she doesn't want to carry it.
b) it is comfortable.
c) she can't afford a new one.
3. How much is rent at the man and woman's new place per month?
a) 400 pounds
b) 50 pounds
c) 650 pounds
4. Why does the woman say the new place is more expensive?
a) It is for two people, not one.
b) Tim and Brad will be living there.
c) Rent is split between three people.
5. The man thinks they must buy new furniture because
a) he wants to get rid of his stuff.
b) he wants to get rid of the woman's stuff.
c) he wants them both to get rid of some of their stuff.
6. What time does the man think they must be at the estate agent's by?
a) 9:15
b) 1:00
c) 12:00

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1. a) I'll try my best.
b) Soon, I promise.
c) No, I don't think so.
2. a) Oh, I thought it was the 17th!
b) No, no! You were right the first time.
c) I don't think you understood.
3. a) It doesn't surprise me.
b) I'm positive; relax!
c) You need to worry a bit.
4. a) I'm sure he'll be right back.
b) I think his name was Tom.
c) You're right; he's at the meeting.
5. a) Did it really?
b) I bet you will.
c) I don't know.
6. a) If they are, I'm not going.
b) I haven't bought any tickets.
c) Only if you're really sure.
7. a) It should be on the top left of the screen.
b) Don't worry, it's easy.
c) Double click on it.

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Conversation 1

1. The conversation is taking place at
a) a small boutique.
b) a department store.
c) the woman's home.
2. In the end the woman
a) goes to a department store.
b) decides to shop online.
c) gets a dress from a boutique.

Conversation 2

3. What is the relationship between the man and the woman?
a) husband and wife
b) friends
c) siblings
4. The man and woman decide
a) to go to the man's mother's house for their holiday.
b) to stay at an amusement park for a week.
c) to spend their holiday camping.

Conversation 3

5. What is the relationship between the two speakers?
a) neighbours
b) husband and wife
c) mayor and citizen
6. Tom is
a) the male speaker.
b) the woman's son.
c) the woman's husband.

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Example: What are the man and woman discussing?

- ☒ a) getting a pet b) childhood memories c) dog breeds

1. What size dog does the man want at first?
a) big
b) small
c) medium
2. The man's argument against small dogs is that
a) they aren't cuddly.
b) they can't protect the house.
c) there isn't enough room in the house.
3. The woman tells the story about the dog biting her nose in order
a) to show why she's afraid of big dogs.
b) to entertain the man.
c) to explain why she likes dogs.
4. What was the woman doing when she was bitten by the dog?
a) buying things
b) eating a cookie
c) teasing the dog
5. The man thinks it is strange that the woman loves dogs because
a) she is usually scared of things.
b) he thinks she should like cows.
c) she once had a bad experience with a dog.
6. What did the man hear about male dogs?
a) They behave better than female dogs.
b) They're cheaper.
c) They're cute.

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- c) No, I'm quite sure it isn't mine.

1.
 - a) Where are we going shopping?
 - b) But I've got no money.
 - c) Oh, all right then.
2.
 - a) Oh, I don't think so!
 - b) That's not quite what I meant!
 - c) Not exactly! See?
3.
 - a) You've got a 20-minute wait.
 - b) I'm afraid I don't have time now.
 - c) That would be from platform 5.
4.
 - a) Take your pullover off.
 - b) Have you had it long?
 - c) I'll close the window.
5.
 - a) No, she didn't buy anything.
 - b) Yes, as far as I could tell.
 - c) She must have; she had no money.
6.
 - a) I don't regret it in the least.
 - b) Patience! I learned a great deal about patience!
 - c) My annual salary was 20,000 pounds.
7.
 - a) I haven't the slightest idea.
 - b) I need to get my eyes tested.
 - c) Have you checked on the table?

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Conversation 1

1. Why was the woman late?
 - a) The flight was delayed.
 - b) Her luggage didn't arrive.
 - c) She lost her passport.
2. The woman now feels
 - a) excited.
 - b) relieved.
 - c) tired.

Conversation 2


3. The two speakers are
 - a) brother and sister.
 - b) neighbours.
 - c) colleagues.
4. What are they doing?
 - a) complaining about a relative
 - b) planning a night out
 - c) planning a holiday

Conversation 3

5. What is the man's problem?
 - a) He has lost his job.
 - b) He doesn't like his boss.
 - c) He is unsure how to do his job.
6. The woman thinks
 - a) the man has made a mistake.
 - b) the man should get a new job.
 - c) the man is worrying unnecessarily.

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Customer Announcement

Example: Hours of business: *9am to 6pm*

1. Day for late night shopping:

2. Some Children's shoes available at:

3. Duration of offer for CDs:

4. What's after the face painting, at 5pm:

5. Many options for people who are:

6. Place to eat pizza and pasta:

7. Smoking is:

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Part 4

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Example: How does Emma feel about running her own business?

a) nervous **(b) excited** c) frustrated

1. What was Emma like when she was a student?
 - a) She already had an idea of what she wanted to do.
 - b) Everyone thought she'd become a successful businesswoman.
 - c) She always felt tired.

2. What stopped Emma from starting her own business as soon as she graduated?
 - a) She needed a business partner.
 - b) She had no idea what she wanted to do with her life.
 - c) She didn't know how to go about starting her own business.

3. When Emma was 25
 - a) she decided that she had to follow her dream.
 - b) she started to make cakes for her friends.
 - c) she found a nice house that she wanted to buy.

4. How did Emma feel about sharing a house?
 - a) She was reluctant to live on her own.
 - b) It made her feel as though she were underperforming in life.
 - c) She got bored with doing all the cooking for everyone.

5. When Emma was a child
 - a) she'd often accidentally break eggs.
 - b) she lived with her grandmother.
 - c) she got satisfaction out of helping in the kitchen.

6. What advice does Emma give about starting your own business?
 - a) You must be realistic.
 - b) You must have a lot of money.
 - c) You need to have a business partner.

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- c) No, I'm quite sure it isn't mine.

1. a) I'm sorry, I must have missed it.
b) Why, thank you; I'm glad to hear it.
c) What did you want to know?
2. a) Turn left at the second intersection.
b) No, I think you'd better hurry.
c) It is a bit of a walk.
3. a) Eat it yourself, then.
b) Well, who do you think it was?
c) Well, I'm afraid you're mistaken.
4. a) You look great in both.
b) You don't give me any choice then.
c) Yes, it's much nicer.
5. a) I don't know, actually.
b) Yes, I agree.
c) I had no idea.
6. a) Well, I can't see a sign anywhere.
b) You don't say!
c) I haven't got a cigarette.
7. a) Don't tempt me!
b) How can you say that!
c) It's complicated; I'm not sure.

Part 2

Total: 6 marks

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Conversation 1

1. The woman wants a computer because
 - a) she needs it for her job.
 - b) she wants to be able to email people.
 - c) she needs it to get a better job.
2. Why does the woman decide to choose the laptop?
 - a) It looks attractive.
 - b) It comes with a nice table.
 - c) It is cheap and easy to store.

Conversation 2

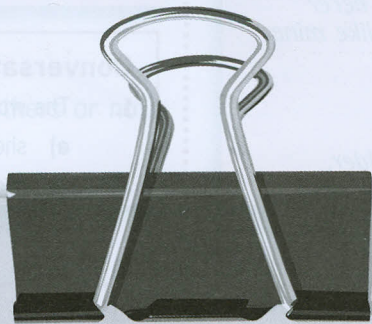
3. The two speakers are
 - a) aunt and nephew.
 - b) neighbours.
 - c) husband and wife.
4. Why are they unhappy about the situation?
 - a) They won't be able to have a holiday.
 - b) The woman doesn't enjoy the job she is doing.
 - c) They wanted more money to pay for something they were planning.

Conversation 3

5. What is the man's problem?
 - a) He is going to be late for an appointment.
 - b) He missed his important business meeting.
 - c) He is nervous about a meeting.
6. The woman will
 - a) cancel her business meeting.
 - b) call a taxi.
 - c) phone the dentist.

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Recorded Message from Cinema World

Example: Drinks and inexpensive food: (in/at) cafe/bar

- 1. Many benefits for:
- 2. E-newsletter sent straight to your:
- 3. Deadline for making a reservation:
- 4. 'Death in the Woods' not suitable for:
- 5. End of the 'New Wave' Festival on:
- 6. For a discount, buy Festival tickets at:
- 7. Advertised programmes, online at:

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Example: What did Margaret achieve?

- a) She was the head teacher of a school.
- ☒ b) She won an award.
- c) She taught all her children.

1. What is surprising about Margaret?
 - a) She got married in her early thirties.
 - b) She always wanted to be a teacher.
 - c) She wasn't a good student at school.
2. Margaret decided to change her life because
 - a) she didn't enjoy being a mother.
 - b) she became a single mother.
 - c) she wanted to leave her husband.
3. How did Margaret get involved with teaching children with special needs?
 - a) Someone suggested she should try it.
 - b) One of her own children went to a special needs school.
 - c) She had always planned to be a special needs teacher.
4. When Margaret arrived at her first school
 - a) she was shocked that the children weren't being cared for properly.
 - b) she found it quite difficult to teach the children with special needs.
 - c) she believed the children could achieve more than they were at the time.
5. The school motto could be described as
 - a) pessimistic.
 - b) depressing.
 - c) positive.
6. What did the school do that was different from other special schools?
 - a) They gave the children the chance to concentrate on academic subjects.
 - b) They concentrated on design and technology.
 - c) They only taught academic subjects.

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1. a) Why? We have time.
b) You see? That's why I'm running!
c) Can't you see I'm running as fast as I can?
2. a) I was happy to be away from my desk, though.
b) That's the whole point.
c) It takes time to understand these things.
3. a) Certainly. Sign here please.
b) You must show him some proof.
c) Are you sure?
4. a) I think you've made a good choice.
b) No, Ma'am, turn LEFT.
c) That's right Ma'am.
5. a) We've seen enough.
b) I doubt it.
c) Neither can I.
6. a) In that case, I'm having the cola.
b) But why not? Aren't you thirsty?
c) Whichever you want.
7. a) I had a pleasant day.
b) I just don't agree.
c) That's a possibility.

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Conversation 1

1. The man and woman haven't
a) spoken to each other.
b) heard from Joanna.
c) seen their friends.
2. The man and the woman decide to have a barbecue
a) today.
b) on Sunday morning.
c) on Saturday.

Conversation 2

3. What is the man trying to make time to do?
a) visit the woman
b) visit his parents
c) hang out with friends
4. How does the man feel about his job?
a) He likes it but feels he is too busy.
b) He doesn't like it because he works too much.
c) He likes it but doesn't think he works enough.

Conversation 3

5. What is the relationship between the two speakers?
a) two friends
b) salesperson and customer
c) husband and wife
6. The woman and man disagree about
a) whether or not the woman should choose her own ring.
b) what ring looks best.
c) whether or not the woman should get married.

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O'Neil's Five-Day Art Course For Beginners

- Example: Today's focus: *life drawing*
- 1. First technique is crayon on:
 - 2. Allowed time to make a drawing:
 - 3. What to do after lunch:
 - 4. What to make during a longer pose:
 - 5. Where to work on Wednesday:
 - 6. What to do on Thursday:
 - 7. Time for exhibition opening party:

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Part 4

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Example: The man and woman are worried about

a) their son's performance in school. b) their poor grades. c) their son's teacher's performance.

1. The two speakers are
 - a) Danny's parents.
 - b) Danny's brother and sister.
 - c) Danny's teachers.

2. Who always did very well in school?
 - a) Marie
 - b) John
 - c) Danny

3. Danny's grades started to change
 - a) this year.
 - b) last year.
 - c) two years ago.

4. John and Marie decide to "punish" Danny by taking away
 - a) things until his grades get better.
 - b) things indefinitely.
 - c) things until he finishes his homework.

5. What advantage does the woman see of getting a tutor for Danny?
 - a) It may motivate him.
 - b) It may help him learn.
 - c) It may stop him from being lazy.

6. What class is Danny NOT doing poorly in?
 - a) maths
 - b) history
 - c) English

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1. a) Yes, just around the corner.
b) Yes, my office is quite close.
c) Where are you going?
2. a) No, you go first.
b) Of course, help yourself.
c) I'm afraid it'll be a few minutes.
3. a) That won't do any good.
b) Yes, that would be a disaster!
c) Do you think so?
4. a) The new product is very nice.
b) And make sure the prices are visible too.
c) I feel that that's the fairest way.
5. a) Either one I suppose.
b) I hear you loud and clear.
c) No, I hadn't heard - thanks!
6. a) How did you know?
b) Yes, it was ridiculous, wasn't it?
c) Yes, I couldn't stop laughing!
7. a) We're out of coffee.
b) Yes, please.
c) Whatever you think.

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Conversation 1

1. The speakers are
a) husband and wife.
b) friends.
c) brother and sister.
2. Who received an espresso machine as a gift?
a) the man's in-laws
b) the man's parents
c) the man

Conversation 2

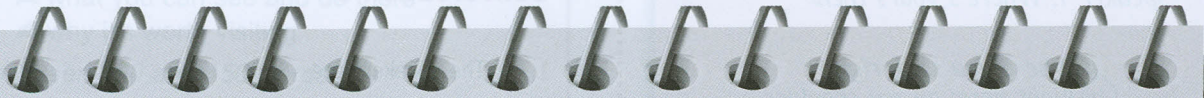
3. What did the woman do all day?
a) She planned a meeting.
b) She worked at a workshop.
c) She listened to people talk.
4. How does the woman feel about the man's job?
a) She thinks he is selfish.
b) She envies him.
c) She thinks he has lots of difficulties.

Conversation 3

5. The woman was surprised because
a) the grey coats sold out quickly.
b) the man was unhelpful.
c) they had brown but not grey.
6. How might she still find the coat she wants?
a) She cannot find it now.
b) There might be one downstairs.
c) There might be one at another branch.

Part 3

Listen to the person talking and complete the information on the notepad. Write short answers of one to five words. You will hear the person twice. At the end you will have two minutes to read through and check your answers. You have one minute to look at the notepad. The first one is an example. DO NOT USE MORE THAN 5 WORDS.



Safety Announcement

Example: Fasten your seatbelt for: *take-off*

- 1. Location of oxygen mask:
- 2. What to put on before helping others:
- 3. Where to find your life jacket:
- 4. What the toilets are fitted with:
- 5. What to look forward to:
- 6. When a light breakfast is served:
- 7. What to fill out when making a purchase:

Total: 7 marks

Part 4

Listen to the conversation and answer the questions. Put a circle round the letter of the correct answer. Look at the questions. An example is done for you. You will hear the conversation twice.

Example: Who is being interviewed?

- ☒ a) an ordinary citizen b) a scientist c) a golf course manager

1. What does the man say is unique about Beth Tyler?
 - a) She grumbled.
 - b) She took action.
 - c) She liked Skipper's Strand.

2. Skipper's Strand is named after
 - a) a place.
 - b) a kind of movement.
 - c) a butterfly species.

3. As a child Beth tried to
 - a) run from the butterflies.
 - b) study butterflies.
 - c) catch butterflies.

4. What happened to the town in the sixties and seventies?
 - a) It remained relatively unchanged.
 - b) It started to develop.
 - c) It lost areas of natural coastline.

5. When Beth found out about the development
 - a) she felt unsure.
 - b) she felt sad.
 - c) she felt excited.

6. How did Beth feel while reading up on the law?
 - a) discouraged
 - b) excited
 - c) like she was making a breakthrough

Total: 6 marks
Total marks for Listening: 26

Test 8

LISTENING

Part 1

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Example: Speaker 1: Is this your red bag here?
Speaker 2: No, but it does look like mine.
Speaker 1: Where's yours then?

- a) Where you said, right?
- ☒ b) Right here; on my shoulder.
- c) No, I'm quite sure it isn't mine.

1. a) I'll be okay once it's all over.
b) I'm worried that I might have stage fright.
c) At the moment, just glad I didn't forget the words!
2. a) Jenny, I believe.
b) You call her. My throat hurts.
c) Yes, we were introduced.
3. a) A sunny one and everything!
b) Actually, I doubt it.
c) It is, isn't it?
4. a) No, I left.
b) Yes, you can if you want.
c) I am, actually.
5. a) There's a chair.
b) Is it yours?
c) Go ahead.
6. a) I certainly don't!
b) Me neither.
c) Yes, don't you?
7. a) I returned it yesterday.
b) Thanks!
c) I don't see why not.

Total: 7 marks

Part 2

You will hear three conversations. Listen to the conversations and answer the questions below. Put a circle round the letter of the correct answer. You will hear each conversation twice. Look at the questions for Conversation 1.

Conversation 1

1. How would you describe the salesman?
a) effective
b) careless
c) shy
2. How are the black shoes better than the red?
a) They are more comfortable.
b) They are more affordable.
c) They are more trendy.

Conversation 2

3. The speakers are
a) friends.
b) teacher and student.
c) husband and wife.
4. Overall, how does the man feel about dancing?
a) It's effortless.
b) It's unpleasant.
c) It's not easy.

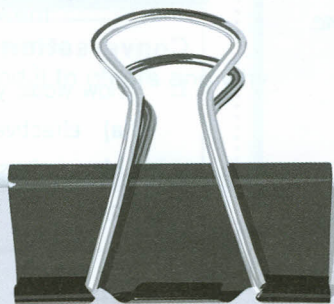
Conversation 3

5. The speakers are
a) husband and wife.
b) parent and child.
c) teammates.
6. The woman wants
a) to work less.
b) to be more supportive.
c) to have children.

Total: 6 marks

Part 3

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Museum Trip

Example: Time to spend at the museum: *four hours*

1. What to participate in, at the beginning:
2. Duration of the tour:
3. Location of the canteen:
4. What to visit after lunch:
5. What to write about one of the exhibits:
6. Use your common sense and:
7. Where you mustn't leave your possessions:

Total: 7 marks

Part 4

Listen to the conversation and answer the questions. Put a circle round the letter of the correct answer. Look at the questions. An example is done for you. You will hear the conversation twice.

Example: What is different about Louise?

- ☒ a) She lost weight. b) She got ill. c) She became a model.

1. The male speaker thinks Louise looks
 - a) very good.
 - b) okay.
 - c) unhealthy.

2. How does the female speaker think Louise looks?
 - a) she didn't notice
 - b) okay
 - c) like a model

3. Who thinks Louise should maybe go to the gym?
 - a) Louise
 - b) the male speaker
 - c) the female speaker

4. What really surprised the male speaker?
 - a) how Louise looked
 - b) what Louise said
 - c) what the female speaker said

5. The male speaker thinks the female speaker has been
 - a) dieting.
 - b) brainwashed.
 - c) dishonest.

6. Would the female speaker ever wear skinny jeans?
 - a) She does wear them.
 - b) She would never wear them.
 - c) If she lost weight she would.

Total: 6 marks
Total marks for Listening: 26

Test 9

LISTENING

Part 1

Total: 7 marks

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Example: Speaker 1: Is this your red bag here?
Speaker 2: No, but it does look like mine.
Speaker 1: Where's yours then?

- a) Where you said, right?
- ☒ b) Right here; on my shoulder.
- c) No, I'm quite sure it isn't mine.

1.
 - a) It's really cute!
 - b) I don't think so.
 - c) Oh! Not short, I hope!
2.
 - a) Just a moment.
 - b) I know, but I don't like them.
 - c) Do it then! It's easy!
3.
 - a) Yes I do. It's the same every time I go running.
 - b) How could I possibly know for sure?
 - c) Of course I do! I can see it!
4.
 - a) No-one!
 - b) It was my pleasure.
 - c) Sorry, I didn't mean to.
5.
 - a) Next Friday, I think.
 - b) Any time between seven and midnight.
 - c) Around seven, we were told.
6.
 - a) You can say that again!
 - b) That scares you?
 - c) Hmmm. It's an improvement I suppose.
7.
 - a) Fairly easily.
 - b) Oh, I know!
 - c) Go left at the light.

Part 2

Total: 6 marks

You will hear three conversations. Listen to the conversations and answer the questions below. Put a circle round the letter of the correct answer. You will hear each conversation twice. Look at the questions for Conversation 1.

Conversation 1

1. The speakers are
 - a) in a bar.
 - b) at the man's house.
 - c) in a restaurant.
2. How does the woman feel about the level of service?
 - a) She is content with it.
 - b) She is very surprised by it.
 - c) She is disappointed with it.

Conversation 2


3. The man thinks the woman
 - a) works too much.
 - b) needs to save money.
 - c) lacks goals.
4. The woman thinks
 - a) she should do something adventurous.
 - b) she's already too old.
 - c) it's vital to keep saving money.

Conversation 3

5. The speakers are
 - a) boyfriend and girlfriend.
 - b) friends.
 - c) brother and sister.
6. What do both speakers want to use today?
 - a) the laptop computer
 - b) a computer bag
 - c) a backpack

Part 3

Listen to the person talking and complete the information on the notepad. Write short answers of one to five words. You will hear the person twice. At the end you will have two minutes to read through and check your answers. You have one minute to look at the notepad. The first one is an example. DO NOT USE MORE THAN 5 WORDS.



TELE-BANKING

Example: Who is being offered fixed-rate loans: *first-time buyers*

1. A very popular loan:
2. No charge for most:
3. For large transactions speak to:
4. What to press after your PIN number:
5. To find out the balance in your account:
6. To speak to a customer service operator:
7. When to call the emergency line:

Part 4

Listen to the conversation and answer the questions. Put a circle round the letter of the correct answer. Look at the questions. An example is done for you. You will hear the conversation twice.

Example: Why was Justin absent?

- a) He quit. b) He was in hospital. **c) He had the flu.**

1. How did the woman feel when Justin said he may quit?

- a) surprised
b) sad
c) angry

2. The woman thinks Justin is

- a) a very good student.
b) a reasonable student.
c) a rather poor student.

3. What part of the course is Justin best at?

- a) exams
b) note-taking
c) practical sessions

4. Justin might quit the course because

- a) he finds it hard to combine work and study.
b) he has lost interest.
c) he thinks he won't find work.

5. How does Justin feel about his current job?

- a) He is enthusiastic about it.
b) He has no strong feelings about it either way.
c) He hates it.

6. Beth is good at

- a) talking to patients.
b) taking exams.
c) being a nurse.

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Total marks for Listening: 26

Test 10

Part 1

Total: 7 marks

LISTENING

Part 2

Total: 6 marks

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Example: Speaker 1: Is this your red bag here?
Speaker 2: No, but it does look like mine.
Speaker 1: Where's yours then?

- a) Where you said, right?
- ☒ b) Right here; on my shoulder.
- c) No, I'm quite sure it isn't mine.

- a) On the second floor.
- b) You've just missed him.
- c) Take the lift.

- a) It smells lovely, thanks.
- b) You go; I'm busy
- c) I'm afraid I'm dieting.

- a) No, it was a bit dull.
- b) If you must?
- c) Yes, it was too long.

- a) I can't decide.
- b) No, I don't think so.
- c) Yes; do you like it?

- a) Then I guess you can.
- b) Well, I suppose he has every right.
- c) Well, I hope you're right!

- a) Tiring.
- b) Later today.
- c) Thanks!

- a) Taking it day by day, really.
- b) Fine thanks!
- c) I'm a bit under the weather, actually.

You will hear three conversations. Listen to the conversations and answer the questions below. Put a circle round the letter of the correct answer. You will hear each conversation twice. Look at the questions for Conversation 1.

Conversation 1

- 1. What is the man's attitude like?
 - a) helpful
 - b) discouraging
 - c) hostile
- 2. The woman is feeling
 - a) sensitive.
 - b) angry.
 - c) panicky.

Conversation 2

- 3. What is the relationship between the speakers?
 - a) strangers
 - b) friends
 - c) work colleagues
- 4. The woman might leave because
 - a) she is very bored.
 - b) she has to return to work.
 - c) she has decided to go for a coffee.

Conversation 3

- 5. The speakers are
 - a) strangers.
 - b) acquaintances.
 - c) sister and brother.
- 6. The woman is sad about her friends because
 - a) they are upset with her for leaving.
 - b) they no longer share her interests.
 - c) they never meet up.

Part 3

Listen to the person talking and complete the information on the notepad. Write short answers of one to five words. You will hear the person twice. At the end you will have two minutes to read through and check your answers. You have one minute to look at the notepad. The first one is an example. DO NOT USE MORE THAN 5 WORDS.

Student Orientation

Example: The organisers are all wearing: *red T-shirts*

1. First, you will go on:

2. Where the tour begins:

3. Where Mrs. Jackson works:

4. What students receiving financial aid must do:

5. Allowed time for lunch break:

6. Place to eat:

7. Finishing time for orientation:

Total: 7 marks

Part 4

Listen to the conversation and answer the questions. Put a circle round the letter of the correct answer. Look at the questions. An example is done for you. You will hear the conversation twice.

Example: Why is Matthew being interviewed?

- a) He is famous. b) He has a very important job. **c) He has an unusual job.**

1. Matthew is nervous because
a) he might not be able to answer the questions.
b) he has stage fright.
c) Many people are listening.

2. About how many people are listening?
a) a hundred million
b) a million
c) a few hundred thousand

3. What does Matthew need to do his job?
a) a driver's licence
b) a clipboard
c) a lot of practice

4. What is the result of his work?
a) boredom
b) a product
c) data

5. Does his job pay well?
a) Yes, very well.
b) Yes, for a temporary job.
c) Not well, but not bad either.

6. Matthew has had this job
a) for 6 months.
b) for 1 year.
c) for 3 years.

Total: 6 marks
Total marks for Listening: 26

Test 11

LISTENING

Part 1

Total: 7 marks

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Speaker 2: No, but it does look like mine.
Speaker 1: Where's yours then?

- a) Where you said, right?
- ☒ b) Right here; on my shoulder.
- c) No, I'm quite sure it isn't mine.

1. a) Yes, I'm afraid so!
b) Oh, but you must've!
c) So, you're not angry then?
2. a) Why I think it's quite original, actually.
b) Of course; it's obvious it's orange.
c) Yes; here it is.
3. a) I'm so relieved about that.
b) But you don't understand how serious it is!
c) I really do appreciate it!
4. a) You know Janet, surely?
b) I'm not so sure that she did.
c) Oh, yes, of course; that Janet!
5. a) Why don't you try it on?
b) We could always ask.
c) Yes, a medium; thanks.
6. a) Sorry; it was an emergency.
b) What mobile phone?
c) Oh, thank you very much, sir.
7. a) No thanks. I'm fine for the moment.
b) What did you have in mind?
c) I will; thank you.

Part 2

Total: 6 marks

You will hear three conversations. Listen to the conversations and answer the questions below. Put a circle round the letter of the correct answer. You will hear each conversation twice. Look at the questions for Conversation 1.

Conversation 1

1. The man and the woman are
 - a) in the kitchen.
 - b) at a restaurant.
 - c) at work.
2. How could you best describe the woman's attitude?
 - a) She is quite passive.
 - b) She is easy-going.
 - c) She stands up for herself.

Conversation 2

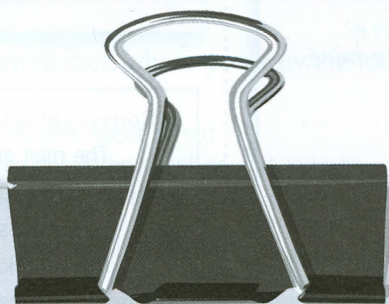
3. How is the woman feeling?
 - a) very frightened
 - b) not at all surprised
 - c) disappointed
4. The man believes the woman's injury
 - a) is not too serious.
 - b) is a torn ligament.
 - c) may be an emergency.

Conversation 3

5. The speakers are
 - a) friends.
 - b) teacher and student.
 - c) father and daughter.
6. The male speaker is trying to
 - a) discourage the female speaker.
 - b) convince the female speaker to study.
 - c) find a solution to the problem.

Part 3

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The Island of Samso

Example: Mr. Tranburg invited the speaker to climb his: *wind turbine*

1. Number of ladders inside the tower:
2. Feeling of the speaker inside the windmill:
3. Initially, people on Samso heated their houses with:
4. Originally used electricity was generated by:
5. Later, people on Samso organised seminars on:
6. By 2003 Samso was:
7. Despite their accomplishments people on Samso liked to remain:

Total: 7 marks

Part 4

Listen to the conversation and answer the questions. Put a circle round the letter of the correct answer. Look at the questions. An example is done for you. You will hear the conversation twice.

Example: The man and woman

a) see each other often. **(b)** haven't seen each other for a while. c) did not really want to meet up.

1. In general, the man's life has recently
 - a) got better.
 - b) got worse.
 - c) become more financially secure.
2. How does the man feel about Jenny not looking for work?
 - a) He thinks she is lazy.
 - b) He is disappointed.
 - c) He doesn't mind.
3. Where was the woman when she was burgled?
 - a) at work
 - b) visiting her parents
 - c) at home, sleeping
4. Why does the woman feel lucky?
 - a) She didn't lose much at all.
 - b) She didn't lose important files.
 - c) She was not hurt.
5. The woman's home
 - a) is no longer safe.
 - b) now feels unsafe to her.
 - c) has been destroyed.
6. The suggestion that she was burgled by someone she knows
 - a) frightens the woman.
 - b) causes the woman to wonder.
 - c) upsets the woman.

Total: 6 marks
Total marks for Listening: 26

Test 12

LISTENING

Part 1

Total: 7 marks

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Speaker 2: No, but it does look like mine.
Speaker 1: Where's yours then?

- a) Where you said, right?
- ☒ b) Right here; on my shoulder.
- c) No, I'm quite sure it isn't mine.

- a) But why not - why shouldn't I?
- b) Of course I know him.
- c) But why should I know that?

- a) Don't worry I'm sure you'll be on time.
- b) Oh! Where are you going?
- c) But the boat leaves at nine!

- a) I think you must be mistaken.
- b) At least we arrived eventually!
- c) That's okay, we all make mistakes.

- a) What?
- b) Don't worry, I'm fine.
- c) It's my pleasure.

- a) Your attitude is positive.
- b) I just feel so unprepared!
- c) Well, are you taking a risk, then?

- a) Yes, that's what I meant.
- b) Can you repeat that, please?
- c) I don't understand what you're asking.

- a) Are you sure about that?
- b) Ok, you're sorry; now let's forget it.
- c) Well, why don't you explain your opinion?

Total: 6 marks

Part 2

You will hear three conversations. Listen to the conversations and answer the questions below. Put a circle round the letter of the correct answer. You will hear each conversation twice. Look at the questions for Conversation 1.

Conversation 1

- 1. The woman is speaking to the man because
 - a) she wants to warn him.
 - b) she is asking for help.
 - c) she wants to complain.
- 2. Why does the man challenge the woman?
 - a) He wants to tease her.
 - b) She shocked him with what she said.
 - c) He wants to make her think.

Conversation 2

- 3. The man and woman are
 - a) friends.
 - b) neighbours.
 - c) husband and wife.
- 4. How does the man feel at first?
 - a) angry
 - b) frightened
 - c) confused

Conversation 3

- 5. The purpose of the conversation is
 - a) to make an introduction.
 - b) to correct an error.
 - c) to obtain information.
- 6. The man
 - a) would prefer to take a taxi.
 - b) is teasing the woman.
 - c) has trouble understanding.

Part 3

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Global Warming

Example: Purpose of burning fossil fuels: *to produce energy*

1. What the energy produced allows people to do:
2. Consumption of fossil fuels is expected:
3. One third of the carbon dioxide released ends up:
4. Proportion of carbon dioxide absorbed by ecosystems:
5. Effect on global temperature from high levels of CO₂:
6. If sea levels rise several feet many cities will:
7. Over a billion people will face severe:

Total: 7 marks

Part 4

READING

Listen to the conversation and answer the questions. Put a circle round the letter of the correct answer. Look at the questions. An example is done for you. You will hear the conversation twice.

Example: How does the man feel about his new computer?

- a) disappointed b) unsure **c) very happy**

The woman doesn't know

- a) what carbon neutral means.
- b) if the article is truthful.
- c) what Dell means by carbon neutral.

What can companies do to become carbon neutral?

- a) use renewable energy
- b) pay a fine
- c) sell carbon credits to other companies

The woman is knowledgeable about the subject because

- a) she works with Dell.
- b) she is a scientist.
- c) she has read up on the subject.

What did Dell leave out of when calculating their carbon dioxide emissions?

- a) air travel
- b) factory lighting
- c) distribution

When the woman criticizes Dell's calculation the man

- a) disagrees with her.
- b) agrees with her completely.
- c) can understand her point of view.

The man thinks that carbon credits

- a) are pointless.
- b) are beneficial.
- c) rarely achieve their claims.

Total: 6 marks
Total marks for Listening: 26