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ENGLISH LANGUAGE EXAMINATIONS



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INSTRUCTIONS

- Do not open this booklet until the exam starts.
- The order of the exam papers is:

PART **A**



LISTENING

PART **B**



READING & USAGE

PART C



WRITING

• Time allowed for all three parts: 90 minutes



PART A



POINTS: 25 TIME: APPROXIMATELY 20 MINUTES

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS:

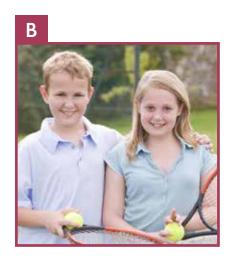
- As you listen to the recording, mark your answers in this booklet.
- Answer all the questions. Give only one answer for each question.
- After the end of the recording, you will have 3 minutes to transfer your answers onto your Answer Sheet. Mark them in 2H or HB pencil.

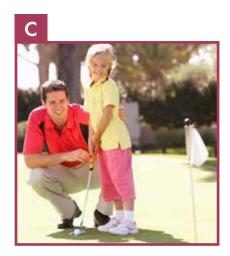
EXERCISE 1 Numbers: 1 - 8

Having Fun!

EXERCISE INSTRUCTIONS: Write the letter of a picture, A to F, in each of the spaces, 1 to 8. You will use some letters more than once.

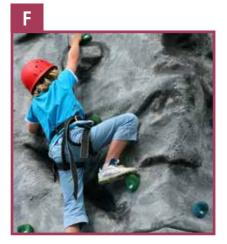












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EXERCISE 2 Numbers: 9 - 15

The Birthday Party

EXERCISE INSTRUCTIONS: Choose the correct word, phrase or photo to complete each statement, 9 to 15. Circle its letter, A, B or C.

- 9. The party is on ____.
 - A. Saturday
 - **B.** Sunday
 - C. Saturday and Sunday
- 10. They will arrive at Melissa's house at about ____.
 - A. five o'clock
 - **B.** half past five
 - C. six o'clock
- 11. When Lizzie calls, Dad will be at ____.
 - A. home
 - B. Melissa's house
 - C. Grandma's house
- 12. Dad wants to be at home before ____.







13. Melissa has a lot of .







14. Tomorrow, Lizzie will buy a _____







- 15. Dad gives Lizzie ____ euros.
 - A. five
 - B. ten
 - C. twenty

PART **B**



POINTS: 50 TIME: 40 MINUTES ARE ADVISED

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS:

- You are advised to spend about 40 minutes on this part of the test.
- You may mark your answers on this booklet while you are working on them.
- Answer all the questions. Give only one answer for each question.

EXERCISE 1
Numbers: 16 - 25

Volunteering to Clean the Road

EXERCISE INSTRUCTIONS: Read the text. Then do the exercises on page 5.

Will was fourteen, and lived in a big town with his parents. In Will's area, lots of people threw paper and other things in the streets and they didn't care. Will and his friend from school, Alice, were unhappy about this. They decided to volunteer to pick everything up.



Will spoke to his mum and dad to ask them for help. They told Will he needed a few things, like gloves to keep their hands clean and plastic bags to put things in. Will went to the supermarket and got everything he needed. Alice tried to find people to help. She spoke to two other friends at school, Simon and Eva. They agreed to help.

The next day, the four schoolfriends met. Will and Eva lived near each other, and they all met near Eva's house. They walked to a road. Three of them put gloves on and took a plastic bag. Simon decided to watch for cars. When cars came, Simon told the others to be careful.

Soon, their bags were full. Eva carried the full bags to her house around the corner. Will and Alice took new bags and continued. While they were doing this, two other children walked past. They wanted to help, and Will gave them gloves and plastic bags. Soon, the road was clean. They all agreed to meet the next weekend to clean another area.

EXERCISE INSTRUCTIONS: Choose a word or phrase, A, B or C, to complete each statement, 16 to 20.

16. Will wanted to do something about a problem ___.

A. where he lived

- **B.** at his school
- C. with his parents

17. Will asked his mum and dad to ____.

A. clean the streets

- B. buy him some things C. help him

Alice asked her friends to ___ 18.

A. find other people

- **B.** help her and Will
- **C.** go to the supermarket

The friends met each other near ____. 19.

A. Simon's house

B. school

C. Eva's house

20. After they cleaned the road, they decided to ____.

A. meet another day

- **B.** wash their gloves
- C. buy more plastic bags

EXERCISE INSTRUCTIONS: Match an action from the box, A to F, with each person, 21 to 25. You will use only five of the letters.



21. Will



22. Alice



23. Will's parents



24. Simon



25. Eva

- Α. said what things they needed
- В. told people to stop dropping paper
- C. took full bags home
- bought things they needed D.
- helped everyone stay safe E.
- F. found people to help

EXERCISE 2 Numbers: 26 - 30

The Dance Stars!

EXERCISE INSTRUCTIONS: Choose the correct word to fill each gap. Mark its letter, A to F, on your Answer Sheet. You will use <u>only five</u> of the letters.

Enter the Dance Stars Competition!

Do you want to be in our dance [26] ____, the Dance Stars? We're having a competition to find great [27] ____. Make a short video



on your mobile [28] ___ of your dancing and send it to us. If we like it, we'll ask you to come and dance in [29] ___ of us! After that, we'll [30] ___ two people to dance with the Dance Stars!

- A. phone
- B. choose
- C. win
- D. group
- E. front
- F. dancers

EXERCISE **3**Numbers: **31** - **35**

Selling lemonade to help

EXERCISE INSTRUCTIONS: Choose the correct word or phrase to fill each gap. Mark its letter, A, B or C, on your Answer Sheet.

Our school needed money to build a new playground. My friend Alex and I wanted [31] ___ get some of the money. It was summer and we had [32] ___ lemons. So we decided to make and sell lemonade! First, we cut the lemons, and then got the juice [33] ___ of them. Then we put [34] ___ water and sugar in the juice. It was sweet! After that, we put a table with glasses and the lemonade on it outside my house. It was a hot day and people [35] ___ thirsty! We sold all of our lemonade and made a lot of money. Our teachers at school were very happy!





- 31. A. helping
- 32. A. lots
- 33. **A.** down
- 34. **A.** some
- 35. **A.** was

- B. help
- **B.** lot of
- B. out
- B. any
- B. were

- C. to help
- C. lots of
- C. from
- C. all
- C. being

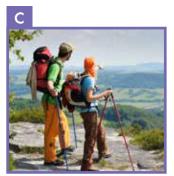
EXERCISE 4 Numbers: 36 - 40

On holiday

EXERCISE INSTRUCTIONS: Here are some pictures of people on holiday. Choose a picture to match each statement. Mark its letters, A to D, on your Answer Sheet. You will use one letter more than once.









- 36. ___ Last year, we went skiing in the mountains and it was very cold.
- 37. ___ I love holidays on the beach because you can swim in the sea.
- 38. ___ When you go on holiday to a city, there's lots to see and do.
- 39. ___ A walking holiday in nature is a great way to see flowers and animals.
- 40. ___ Let's catch a bus to the museum and see what they have there.

EXERCISE **5**Numbers: 41 - 45

Animals in the garden

EXERCISE INSTRUCTIONS: Read the text. Then say if each statement is true or not. Mark A for True and B for False on your Answer Sheet.

When you think of a garden, you might think of flowers and trees. But lots of insects and animals live in gardens, and many of them are very interesting. Some insects help people, like bees. They make honey for us to eat. And other animals like spiders and frogs catch flies, which makes having a picnic in the garden nicer! How can you help these animals? One way is to stop cutting the grass! Let it grow longer so insects can hide there. You can also put sticks together in a corner of the garden. Spiders love dark places where they feel safe. Finally, choose your flowers carefully. Butterflies, for example, like some flowers more than others.

- 41. ___ Bees are insects that help us.
- 42. ___ It's bad when frogs eat flies in your garden.
- 43. __ Insects like to hide in short grass.
- 44. ___ Spiders feel safe where it's dark.
- 45. ___ Butterflies love all flowers the same.



PART C



POINTS: 25 TIME: 30 MINUTES ARE ADVISED

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS:

- You are advised to spend about 30 minutes on this part of the test.
- You may use a blank sheet of paper as a draft.
- Write your task in the space provided on the back of your Answer Sheet in pencil or pen.

You have ONE writing task to do.

Choice of Topic A OR Topic B.

Write your task in about 60-80 words on your Answer Sheet.



You are on holiday with your family

INSTRUCTIONS:

You are on holiday with your family. Write an **email** to a friend and tell him/her about it. In about 60-80 words, answer the following:

- Where are you staying?
- What is the place like?
- Are you having a good time? Why / why not?
- What are you going to do later today?

Begin like this: Dear...

Look at the pictures to get some ideas or use any ideas of your own.



stay hotel / go swimming / pool / have fun



go shopping / buy present / have lunch



You cleaned a beach

INSTRUCTIONS:

You helped to clean a beach. Write an **email** to a friend and tell him/her about it.

In about 60-80 words, answer the following:

- When and where did you do this?
- Who did you go with?
- What different things did you do there?
- How did you feel about it?



Look at the pictures to get some ideas or use any ideas of your own.



put on gloves / pick up bottle / put in bag



be hard work / have fun / happy / do a good job

