



STUDENT NUMBER

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HIGHER SCHOOL CERTIFICATE EXAMINATION

1999

FRENCH

2 UNIT Z

LISTENING SKILLS

(35 Marks)

DIRECTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- Write your Student Number and Centre Number at the top right-hand corner of this page.
- Open your Examination Paper **ONLY** when instructed to do so on the examination cassette.
- Attempt **ALL** items.
- Write your answers in the spaces provided in this paper.
- All answers **MUST** be written in **ENGLISH**.

MARKER'S USE ONLY

Marks Awarded	Marks Checked

CANDIDATE'S COPY

INSTRUCTIONS

Attempt ALL items.

Each item will be read out twice. You are to choose (in the multiple-choice items) or write your answers. Candidates are advised to use the first reading to make notes. You should make these notes in the column marked 'Candidate's Notes' on the left-hand side of the page. Complete answers should then be written after the second reading.

Do NOT use the column marked 'Marker's Use Only'.

Do NOT use pencil.

Answers MUST be written in ENGLISH.

TWO sample items will now be read out.

Candidates should attempt the sample questions to become accustomed to the speakers' voices.

This is NOT part of the examination.

SAMPLE ITEM 1

Tick the correct answer.

The man wishes to

- (A) send a Christmas present.
- (B) send some cards to Australia.
- (C) buy some Christmas cards.
- (D) buy a ticket to Australia.

Answer: B

- H Excusez-moi madame, c'est combien pour envoyer ces cartes de Noël à l'étranger par avion?
- F C'est pour quel pays monsieur?
- H C'est pour l'Australie.
- F C'est 5 F 20 chacune.
- H Bon, j'ai dix cartes à envoyer.
- F Alors, ça fait 52 F monsieur.

SAMPLE ITEM 2

- (a) What did the woman buy? Give quantities.
- (b) What was the total price?

Answers:

- (a) 6 bananas, 250 grammes of cherries
- (b) 21 francs

- F Bonjour, monsieur. Combien coûtent les bananes?
- H 12 francs le kilo.
- F Et les cerises?
- H Ah, elles sont chères en ce moment. 36 francs le kilo.
- F Alors, je prends 6 bananes et 250 grammes de cerises, s'il vous plaît.
- H Bien, madame. Ça fait 21 F.

THE TEST WILL NOW BEGIN

CANDIDATE'S
NOTES

ITEM 1

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Fill in the gaps.

The man wants a room with beds for nights.

He is given room number on the floor.

ITEM 2

(a) What event will take place on Saturday night?

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(b) Where will it take place?

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ITEM 3

Fill in the form.

<p style="text-align: center;">Lost and Found Office</p> <p>Item Lost:</p> <p>Description:</p> <p>.....</p> <p>Contents:</p> <p>.....</p> <p>.....</p>

CANDIDATE'S
NOTES**ITEM 4**MARKER'S
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(a) What does Laurent do on Wednesdays?

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(b) Why?

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ITEM 5

(a) When is Jean-Michel's party?

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(b) What is Annette asked to bring?

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ITEM 6

(a) Why is the woman unable to describe the men?

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(b) What was the car's registration number?

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(c) How was she able to remember it?

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ITEM 7

Tick the correct statement.

(A) Céline Dion has written a new album.

(B) Jean-Jacques Goldman admires Céline Dion's talent.

(C) Céline Dion is Paul's favourite singer.

(D) Paul has written to Jean-Jacques Goldman.

CANDIDATE'S
NOTES

ITEM 8

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(a) What does the man have to do to visit the church?

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(b) Why?

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ITEM 9

(a) What does the woman need?

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(b) Why?

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(c) What does the man say about the product he recommends?

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ITEM 10

(a) What is Nicolas complaining about?

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(b) How is Agnès affected?

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CANDIDATE'S
NOTES

ITEM 11

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(a) Where is Paula from?

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(b) When did she arrive in Paris?

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(c) What does her father do?

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ITEM 12

(a) What does the mother object to?

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(b) Why does she object? Give TWO reasons.

(i)

(ii)

ITEM 13

(a) What does the man wish to do?

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(b) Where and when can he do this?

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ITEM 14

(a) What does the man want to buy?

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(b) What does the woman ask him?

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(c) Why does the man try the green ones?

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CANDIDATE'S
NOTES

ITEM 15

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Tick the correct response.

La femme

- (A) veut changer des francs français.
- (B) doit changer 350 francs.
- (C) veut changer des francs suisses.
- (D) doit payer une commission de
100 francs.

ITEM 16

What does Annick have to do tonight? Give details.

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ITEM 17

(a) What is the cheapest way to get to Montpellier?

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(b) What are its disadvantages?

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ITEM 18

What items are purchased? Give quantities.

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CANDIDATE'S
NOTES

ITEM 19

MARKER'S
USE ONLY

(a) What subjects does Elise like at school?

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(b) What jobs are suggested?

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(c) What is said about these jobs?

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ITEM 20

(a) What item does the girl declare?

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(b) Why has she bought it?

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You now have TWO minutes to look over your paper. Please put your pen down when instructed on the cassette.

End of test. Please put your pen down.