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Section A

Question Number	Answer	Mark
1	C - inform the reader about stress in everyday life	(1)

Question Number	Answer	Mark
2	B - a way of reacting to a stressful situation	(1)

Question Number	Answer	Mark
3	B - Stress can help you deal with an emergency.	(1)

Question Number	Answer	Mark
4	(Visit the) website/ www.health.estrack.net One mark for the correct answer.	(1)

Question Number	Answer	Mark
5	Accept any reasonable answer about the features based on the text up to a maximum of two marks. Answers may include: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• large heading/bold heading• subheadings• use of bold on key words• (appropriate) images• captions• important information in a box• rhetorical question• question and answer	(2)

Question Number	Answer	Mark
6	<p>Accept any reasonable answer about how stress can be a good thing based on the text up to a maximum of two marks.</p> <p>Answers may include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • slam on brakes/help avoid an accident/help in emergency • help when pressure is on/take a penalty/take an exam • make the muscles ready to cope (with either fighting or running)/heart beats faster/body releases (extra) fats and sugars 	(2)

Question Number	Answer	Mark
7	<p>Accept any reasonable answer about everyday things that can cause stress based on the text up to a maximum of two marks.</p> <p>Answers may include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • difficult journey to work/school • computer crashing • stuck in traffic • being shouted at down the phone 	(2)

Section B

Question Number	Answer	Mark
8	A - to persuade the reader to stay at the hotel	(1)

Question Number	Answer	Mark
9	A – has 25 en suite rooms D – is a family-run business One mark for each correct answer.	(2)

Question Number	Answer	Mark
10	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Golf (course) (1) • Castle (1) • Boat trip (1) <p>One mark for each correct answer, up to a maximum of two marks.</p>	(2)

Question Number	Answer	Mark
11	<p>Accept any reasonable answer about the things the hotel provides based on the text up to a maximum of two marks.</p> <p>Answers include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • luxury rooms/en-suite rooms • DVD player • food/breakfast/lunch/dinner • (organised) activities/yoga/painting classes/(gentle) aerobics • swimming pool • library • well-landscaped gardens 	(2)

Question Number	Answer	Mark
12	All year round One mark for a correct answer.	(1)

Question Number	Answer	Mark
13	<p>Accept any reasonable answer about the local area based on the text up to a maximum of two marks.</p> <p>Answers may include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• beautiful countryside• castle• coast/near the sea• golf course	(2)

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