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Unit 1 Listening

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Monday 16 May 2011 1.30 pm to 2.15 pm
approximately (including reading time)

You will need no other materials.

Time allowed

- 40 minutes + 5 minutes reading time before the test
- **The pauses are pre-recorded for this test.**

Instructions

- Use black ink or black ball-point pen.
- Fill in the boxes at the top of this page.
- **Do not open this book until you are told to do so.**

This is what you should do for each item.

- After the question number is announced, there will be a pause to allow you to read the instructions and questions.
- Listen carefully to the recording and read the questions again.
- Listen to the recording again, and then answer the questions.
- When the next question is about to start you will hear a bleep like this (*).
- You may write at any time during the test.
- Answer **all** questions in **English**.
- You must answer the questions in the spaces provided. Do not write outside the box around each page or on blank pages.
- Write neatly and put down **all** the information you are asked to give.
- Ask any questions now. **You must not ask questions or interrupt during the test.**
- You now have five minutes to read through the question paper. You may make notes during this time. You may open your answer book now.
- **The test starts now.**

Information

- The marks for questions are shown in brackets.
- The maximum mark for this paper is 40.
- You must **not** use a dictionary.



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Answer **all** questions in **English** in the spaces provided.

School



A	the teachers
B	the canteen
C	the rules
D	the buildings

E	the sports facilities
F	the school day
G	the subjects
H	the library

What aspect of school are these pupils talking about?
Write the correct letter in each box.

Example:

H

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(1 mark)

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(1 mark)

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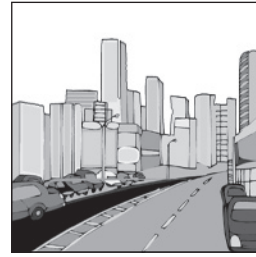
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Local environment



Listen to these people talking about where they live. Write down an advantage and a disadvantage of each place.

Example:

Advantage	Disadvantage
Lots to do	Too many tourists

5

Advantage	Disadvantage

(2 marks)

6

Advantage	Disadvantage

(2 marks)

7

Advantage	Disadvantage

(2 marks)

10

Turn over ►



Stress

Listen to these young people talking about stress.

A	read
B	sport
C	eat healthily
D	run
E	take things slowly
F	eat chocolate
G	voluntary work
H	try not to do too much
I	be with friends and family
J	take medication



What **two** things does each speaker do to deal with stress? Write the correct letters in the boxes.

Example:



What **two** things does Laurent do?

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What **two** things does Coralie do?

(2 marks)

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What **two** things does Guillaume suggest?

(2 marks)

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What **two** things does Agathe recommend?

(2 marks)

6

Turn over ►



Jobs

Listen to Alain Picard, a chef at the Eiffel Tower, talking about his job.

Choose a word or phrase to complete each sentence. Write the correct letter in each box.

11 Answer **both** parts of the question.

11 (i) The number of tourists eating at the Eiffel Tower has ...

A	gone down.
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B	gone up.
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C	stayed the same.
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(1 mark)

11 (ii) Alain wants to serve ...

A	fast-food.
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B	foreign food.
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C	French food.
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(1 mark)



12 Answer **both** parts of the question.

12 (i) A meal in the evening is ...

A 10 euros.

B cheaper.

C dearer.

(1 mark)

12 (ii) Alain has to take care because of ...

A gas leaks.

B fire risks.

C high winds.

(1 mark)

13 Answer **both** parts of the question.

13 (i) Alain appreciates ...

A team work.

B the food.

C the service.

(1 mark)

13 (ii) Another advantage of the job is ...

A the tourists.

B the customers.

C the location.

(1 mark)

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Turn over ►



Computer games

These young people are talking about computer games.

What is their attitude towards each game?

Write **P** for a positive attitude.

Write **N** for a negative attitude.

Write **P/N** for a positive and a negative attitude.

Write the correct letter in each box.

Example:

P/N

14

(1 mark)

15

(1 mark)

16

(1 mark)

17

(1 mark)



Social issues

A	AIDS
B	drugs
C	racism
D	equal pay
E	alcoholism
F	homelessness

Which social issue is mentioned?

Write the correct letter in each box.

18

(1 mark)

19

(1 mark)

Turn over for the next question

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Shopping and fashion



Listen to this radio advertisement.

Choose a word or phrase to complete the sentences. Write the correct letter in each box.

20 Answer **both** parts of the question.

20 (i) You can't find anything ...

A	to eat.
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B	to buy.
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C	to wear.
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(1 mark)

20 (ii) A new look ...

A	will not be noticed.
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B	need not cost you a lot.
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C	will be expensive.
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(1 mark)



21 Answer **both** parts of the question.

21 (i) « Teenmix » is a ...

A magazine.

B TV programme.

C website.

(1 mark)

21 (ii) « Teenmix » also gives you information about ...

A diet.

B celebrities.

C sport.

(1 mark)

Turn over for the next question

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Turn over ►



Relationships

Listen to this interview with Vanessa, a contestant on a reality TV programme, talking about her fellow housemates, Cindy, Romain and Martin. Answer the following questions in **English**.

22 (i) How would you describe her **current** relationship with Cindy?
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.....
(1 mark)

22 (ii) Give **two** reasons.
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2
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(2 marks)

23 What does Vanessa say about Romain? Give **three** details.
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(3 marks)

24 (i) Why does she say she finds Martin annoying?
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(1 mark)

24 (ii) Give a reason for your answer.
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(1 mark)

END OF QUESTIONS

