

## AN ROINN OIDEACHAIS AGUS EOLAÍOCHTA

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**IODÁILIS — ARDLEIBHÉAL**  
**ITALIAN — HIGHER LEVEL**

TRIAL CHLUASTUISCEANNA (80 marc)  
LISTENING COMPREHENSION TEST (80 marks)

DÉ CÉADAOIN, 23 MEITHEAMH, 12.10 go dtí 12.50  
WEDNESDAY, 23 JUNE, 12.10 to 12.50

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Mura bhféadann tú a bhfuil ar an gcuid seo den téip a chloisteáil gan dua ardaigh do lámh ANOIS chun a chur in iúl don bhFeitheoir nach mór an fhuaim a shocrú i gceart.  
Ná cuir isteach ar imeachtaí na trialach féin uaidh seo amach.

If you have difficulty hearing the tape please raise your hand NOW to indicate to the Supervisor that the volume should be adjusted.

Once the test has started you must not interrupt.

**ROINN A SECTION A**

Sa roinn seo cloisfidh tú ocht gcinn de ráitis nó de chomhráití gearra san Iodáilis. Cloisfidh tú gach ceann acu faoi dhó.

Tar éis gach ráiteas nó comhrá a chloisteáil an dara huair beidh sos gairid ann; le linn an tsosa sin roghnaigh an freagra is dóigh leat is ceart ar an gceist ar an scrúd-pháipéar agus léirigh do rogha trí chiorcal a chur timpeall na litreach cuí.

In this section you will hear eight statements or short dialogues in Italian. Each of these will be heard twice.

After each statement or dialogue is heard the second time there will be a short pause. During this pause choose what you consider the most appropriate answer to the question asked on the question paper and indicate your choice by circling the appropriate letter.

1. Cad atá á fhógairt anseo?

  - (a) seirbhís teachtaireachta taifeadta 24 uaire an chloig
  - (b) fóin phóca
  - (c) cabhairlíne do pháistí
  - (d) seirbhís feighlithe páistí.
2. Cé na cúinsí ina bhfuil an lascaine ar fáil?

  - (a) má dhéantar an glaoch i rith an lae
  - (b) mura bhfuil cabhair ar fáil
  - (c) má íoctar in airgead tirim
  - (d) mura bhfuil an scairteoir rófhada ó bhaile.
3. Cén fhadhb a bheidh ag taistealaithe?

  - (a) beidh na láimhseálaithe bagáiste ar stailc
  - (b) beidh na rialaitheoirí aerthráchta ar stailc
  - (c) beidh na píolótaí ar stailc
  - (d) beidh stailc 3 lá ag an aerfort.
4. Cén chaoi ar féidir leat an tairiscint seo a fháil?

  - (a) bailíonn tú na stampaí
  - (b) déanann tú do chuid siopadóireachta in A&O ón 24 Eanáir
  - (c) cuireann tú isteach ar chárta dílseachta
  - (d) ceannaíonn tú málaí taistil.
5. Cá fhad a mhair na fadhbanna in aerfort Linate?

  - (a) timpeall 20 uair an chloig
  - (b) 4-5 uaire an chloig
  - (c) iarnóin amháin
  - (d) oíche amháin.
6. Cén fáth a gcáineann an tAire Oideachais an rud a rinne na mic léinn?

  - (a) toisc gur chuir siad beatha daoine i mbaol
  - (b) toisc go bhfuil a gcuid iarratas míreasúnta
  - (c) toisc gur loit siad an scoil
  - (d) toisc gur chuir siad an múinteoir faoi ghlas.
7. Ní féidir leis an turasóir dul ag sciáil

  - (a) toisc gur chas sé/sí a rúitín
  - (b) toisc go bhfuil an t-ardaitheoir sciála briste
  - (c) toisc go bhfuil a c(h)os briste
  - (d) toisc go bhfuil a lámh briste.
8. Cén eachtra atá á tuairisc anseo?

  - (a) dúnmharú
  - (b) mugáil
  - (c) fuadach, síltear
  - (d) timpiste bhóthair.
1. This is an advertisement for:

  - (a) a 24-hour recorded message service
  - (b) mobile phones
  - (c) childline service
  - (d) babysitting service.
2. In what circumstances does the discount apply?

  - (a) if the call is during the day
  - (b) if help is not available
  - (c) on cash payments
  - (d) if the caller is not too far away.
3. What problem will air travellers have?

  - (a) baggage handlers will be on strike
  - (b) air traffic controllers will be on strike
  - (c) pilots will be on strike
  - (d) there will be a 3-day airport strike.
4. How can you avail of this offer?

  - (a) you collect the stamps
  - (b) you shop in A&O from the 24th of January.
  - (c) you apply for a loyalty card
  - (d) you buy a set of travelling bags.
5. How long did the problems last at Linate airport?

  - (a) approximately 20 hours
  - (b) 4-5 hours
  - (c) one afternoon
  - (d) one night.
6. Why does the Minister for Education condemn the students' act?

  - (a) because they endangered life
  - (b) because their requests were unreasonable
  - (c) because they vandalised the school
  - (d) because they locked in the teacher.
7. What is preventing the tourist from skiing?

  - (a) a twisted ankle
  - (b) a broken ski lift
  - (c) a broken leg
  - (d) an injured arm.
8. The incident here reported is:

  - (a) a murder
  - (b) a mugging
  - (c) a suspected kidnapping
  - (d) a road accident.

**ROINN B SECTION B**

Sa roinn seo cloisfidh tú trí chomhrá trí huair; an chéad uair gan sosanna, an dara huair le sosanna gearra inmheánacha agus le sos nóiméid ag a dheireadh.

Ba cheart na freagraí a scríobh i nGaeilge, sna spásanna cuí.

Féadfaidh tú do fhreagraí a sheiceáil agus tú ag éisteacht don tríú huair.

**Comhrá 1. Tá custaiméir ag caint leis an bhfreastalaí i siopa na dtirimghlantóirí.**

1. Cathain a d'fhág an custaiméir an seaicéad i siopa na dtirimghlantóirí?

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2. Déan cur síos ar an seaicéad agus luaigh trí cinn dá ghnéithe suntasacha.

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3. Cén fáth nach bhfuil an freastalaí in ann cabhrú léi?

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4. Cad a gheallann an freastalaí a dhéanamh?

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**Comhrá 2. Tá Mrs Maggi ag déanamh fiosruithe san oifig turasóireachta.**

1. Cén fáth a dtéann Mrs Maggi go dtí an oifig turasóireachta?

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2. Cá fhad a mhaireann an turas?

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3. Cén chaoi a dtéann na turasóirí go Murano?

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4. D'fhéidir nach mbeidh na turasóirí in ann dul go dtí an Lido. Cén fáth?

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In this section you will hear three conversations three times. Each will be heard first without pauses, then with short internal pauses, followed at the end, by a one-minute pause.

The answers should be written in English in the spaces provided.

During the third reading you can check your answers.

**Dialogue 1. A customer is talking to the shop assistant at the dry cleaners.**

1. When did the customer leave the jacket at the dry cleaners?

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2. Describe the jacket giving three characteristic features.

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3. Why is the shop assistant unable to help?

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4. What does the shop assistant promise to do?

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**Dialogue 2. Mrs Maggi is making enquiries at the tourist office.**

1. Why does Mrs Maggi go to the tourist office?

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2. How long does the tour last?

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3. How do the tourists get to Murano?

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4. What could prevent the tourists from going to the Lido?

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**Comhra 3.**  
**Agallamh le Deborah Compagnoni.**

1. Cad as a bhfuil cáil ar Deborah?

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2. Luaigh dhá aidiacht a dhéanann cur síos ar phearsantacht Deborah.

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3. Cad a scríobhadh i dtaobh Deborah i nuachtáin áirithe?

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4. Cad chuige a bhfuil Deborah ag traenáil?

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5. Mínígh cén fáth ar maith le Deborah a bheith cois farraige.

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6. Cad atá déanta ag Deborah go dtí seo leis an airgead a thuill sí?

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7. Cá háit ar mhaith le Deborah dul ar turas?

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8. Cad is maith le Deborah a dhéanamh nuair a bhíonn am saor aici?

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**Dialogue 3. Interview with Deborah Compagnoni.**

1. What is Deborah famous for?

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2. Give two adjectives to describe Deborah's character?

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3. What have some newspapers written about Deborah?

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4. What is Deborah training for?

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5. Explain why Deborah likes the seaside.

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6. So far, what has Deborah done with the money she has earned?

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7. Where would Deborah like to travel to?

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8. What does Deborah enjoy doing in her spare time?

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