



# Coimisiún na Scrúduithe Stáit State Examinations Commission

SCRÚDÚ NA hARDTEISTIMÉIREACHTA, 2006  
LEAVING CERTIFICATE EXAMINATION

**IODÁILIS - ARDLEIBHÉAL**  
**ITALIAN – HIGHER LEVEL**

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

DÉ hAOINE, 23 MEITHEAMH, 12.10 go dtí 12.50  
FRIDAY, 23 JUNE, 12.10 to 12.50

UIMHIR IONAD  
CENTRE NUMBER

SCRÚDUIMHIR AN IARRTHÓRA  
CANDIDATE'S NUMBER

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Roinn Section	Marc/Mark
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Mura bhféadann tú an taifeadadh a chloisteáil gan dua ardaigh do lámh ANOIS chun a chur in iúl don Fheitheoir 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 recording 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.

Sa roinn seo cloisfidh tú ocht ráiteas nó mír nuachta san Iodáilis. Cloisfear gach ceann díobh faoi dhó. Tar éis an chéad éisteacht beidh sos gearrid ann. Roghnaigh an freagra is cuí, dar leat, ar an gceist a cuireadh ar an gceistpháipéar agus cuir do rogha in iúl trí chiorcal a chur timpeall ar an litir chuí.

- Is fógra é seo do dhaoine ar mian leo dul
  - Ag sciáil ar feadh seachtaine nó cois farraige ar feadh deireadh seachtaine
  - As baile ar feadh deireadh seachtaine nó ar shaoire fhada
  - Ar shaoire fhada nó ar feadh seachtaine in ionad spá
  - As baile ar feadh deireadh seachtaine nó ar shaoire siúlóide
- Cén ceantar ar chuir an crith talún isteach go mór air?
  - An cósta
  - Na cnoic Rómhánacha
  - Cathair na Róimhe
  - Ionad seandálaíochta
- Conas a íocann tú billí *Blue American Express*?
  - Gach dara mí nó uair amháin sa bhliain
  - Gach tríú mí nó dhá uair sa bhliain
  - Gálaí míosúla nó dhá uair sa bhliain
  - Gálaí míosúla nó uair amháin sa bhliain
- Cad chuige a rachaidh oibríthe Cotral ar stailc?
  - Tá ardú tuarastail uathu
  - Tá coinníollacha oibre níos fearr uathu
  - Creideann said go dteastaíonn foireann bhreise
  - Tá pinsin níos fearr uathu
- Níl mórán salainn i dtuinnín Nostromo Tuna
  - Mar go n-úsáidtear an tuinnín agus an ola olóige is fearr
  - Mar go n-úsáidtear na tuinníní is mó agus cócaireacht ghalaithe
  - Mar go n-úsáidtear an tuinnín is mó agus an ola olóige is fearr
  - Mar go n-úsáidtear an tuinnín is costasaí
- De réir an tsuirbhé, is iad na fadhbanna a chuireann isteach ar cháilíocht na beatha i gceantar ar bith ná
  - Trácht agus easpa áiseanna
  - Trácht agus truailliú
  - Costas maireachtála agus truailliú
  - Tithíocht agus trácht
- Cad is féidir a cheannach le €230?
  - Feisteas iomlán sciála agus éadaí oiriúnacha
  - Feisteas iomlán sciála agus pas d'ardaitheoir sciála
  - Buataisí sciála agus éadaí oiriúnacha
  - Pas d'ardaitheoir sciála agus buataisí sciála
- Cad a deir an nuacht mar gheall ar an mbuaiteoir?
  - Thug sé an t-airgead ar fad do chumann carthanachta
  - Sindeacáit atá ann
  - Duine cáiliúil is ea é
  - Ní fios cé hé

In this section you will hear eight statements or news items in Italian. Each of these will be heard twice. After the first hearing there will be a short 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.

- The advertisement is for people who wish to go on
  - A week skiing or a weekend by the sea
  - A weekend away or a long holiday
  - A long holiday or a week at a spa resort
  - A weekend away or a walking holiday
- Which area was particularly affected by the earthquake?
  - The coast
  - The Roman hills
  - The city of Rome
  - An archaeological site
- How do you pay the *Blue American Express* bills?
  - Every second month or one annual payment
  - Every third month or twice a year
  - Monthly instalments or twice a year
  - Monthly instalments or one annual payment
- For what reason will the Cotral workers go on strike?
  - They want an increase in salary
  - They want better working conditions
  - They believe more staff are required
  - They want better pensions
- Nostromo Tuna low in salt because
  - The best tuna and olive oil are used
  - The largest tunas and steam cooking are used
  - The largest tuna and best olive oil are used
  - The most expensive tuna is used
- According to the survey, the problems affecting the quality of life in an area are
  - Traffic and lack of facilities
  - Traffic and pollution
  - Cost of living and pollution
  - Housing and traffic
- What can you buy with €230?
  - Full skiing gear and suitable clothes
  - Full skiing gear and a ski lift pass
  - Ski boots and suitable clothes
  - A ski lift pass and ski boots
- What does the news say about the winner?
  - He gave all the money to charity
  - It is a syndicate
  - He is a famous person
  - His identity is unknown

Sa roinn seo, cloisfidh tú gach comhrá trí huair: an chéad uair gan sosanna, ina dhiaidh sin le sosanna gearra inmheánacha ann, agus ansin, ar deireadh, tríd síos arís. Ba choir na freagraí a scríobh **i nGaeilge** sna spásanna atá ann dóibh.

In this section you will hear each conversation **three** times: first right through, then in segments with short internal pauses and finally right through again. The answers should be written **in English** in the spaces provided.

**Comhrá 1. Comhrá idir Anna agus Andrea.**

1. Cad a deir Andrea mar gheall ar a phost?

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2. Conas is eol duit nach bhfuil Anna róthógtha le cúrsaí spóirt? (Tabhair sonraí iomlána.)

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3. Cad atá le fáil ar an suíomh [www.milanocitymarathon.it/](http://www.milanocitymarathon.it/)? (Tabhair **dhá** phointe.)

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4. Cad é an ‘Easy Walk’? (Tabhair sonraí iomlána.)

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**Comhrá 2. Comhrá idir Luisa agus Anthony**

1. Cén fáth a bhfuil an Iodáilis chomh maith sin ag Anthony? (Tabhair sonraí iomlána.)

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2. Cad iad na pleananna atá aige don todhchaí? (Tabhair sonraí iomlána.)

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3. Cad leis a bhfuil súil anois aige ós rud é go bhfuil Málta san AE?

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4. Luaigh **trí** ní a deir sé mar gheall ar Mhálta.

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**Dialogue 1. Conversation between Andrea and Anna**

1. What does Andrea say about his job?

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2. How do you know Anna is not enthusiastic about sport? (Give full details.)

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3. What is to be found on the site [www.milanocitymarathon.it/](http://www.milanocitymarathon.it/)? (Give **two** points.)

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4. What is the ‘Easy Walk’? (Give full details.)

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**Dialogue 2. Conversation between Luisa and Anthony**

1. Why is Anthony’s Italian so good? (Give full details.)

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2. What are his plans for the future? (Give full details.)

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3. What does he hope will happen now that Malta is in the EU?

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4. Mention **three** things he says about Malta.

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**Comhrá 3. Agallamh le Rachele Notu**

1. Tabhair sonraí iomlána mar gheall ar chúrsaí staidéir Rachele.

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2. Cad a dhéanann a tuismitheoirí?

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3. Conas a chuir sí eolas ar na chéad dréachtaí a sheinn sí ar an bpianó?

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4. Conas a choimeád sí suas lena cuid oibre scoile le linn na dturas a rinne sí?

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5. Cén fáth nach ndéanfaidh sí turas i mbliana?

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6. Cad a dhéanann sí nuair a bhíonn am saor aici? (Tabhair **trí** shonra.)

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7. Cad ba mhaith léi a dhéanamh tar éis di an scoil a fhágáil? (Tabhair sonraí iomlána.)

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8. Cén cumann carthanachta a bhainfidh tairbhe as an gceolchoirm in Cagliari?

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**Dialogue 3. Interview with Rachele Notu**

1. Give full details about Rachele's studies.

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2. What do her parents do?

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3. How did she come in contact with the first pieces she played on the piano?

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4. How did she keep up with her school work during her tours?

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5. Why will she not go on tour this year?

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6. What does she do in her spare time? (Give **three** details.)

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7. What would she like to do after leaving school? (Give full details.)

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8. What charity will benefit from the concert in Cagliari?

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