



**2012 French**

**Intermediate 1 - Listening**

**Finalised Marking Instructions**

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**Marking Instructions**

<b>Questions/Acceptable answers</b>	<b>Unacceptable answers</b>	<b>Irrelevant/Insufficient</b>
1. While staying at a summer camp in Canada you meet Gilles, a young French person who now lives there.		
<b>(a)</b> Which part of France does Gilles come from?	<b>1 mark</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• North-east/North/East</li></ul>	North-west South Canada	Norest
<b>(b)</b> How long has he been in Canada?	<b>1 mark</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <u>3 months</u></li></ul>		3 A few months

**Questions/Acceptable answers**

2. He tells you about his mother.

(a) What is his mother's nationality?

- Irish/from Ireland

(b) What is her job?

- Nurse/(works in) hospital/infirmary

3. What does he like best about living in Canada in autumn?  
 What does he like best about living in Canada in winter?  
 Complete the grid.

In autumn he likes	(the beautiful) colour(s)
In winter he likes	Skating/(the) (frozen/icy)lake(s)

**1 mark**

**1 mark**

**2 marks**

**Unacceptable answers**

Canadian

Cool air

Skiing

**Irrelevant/Insufficient**

British

Doctor/pharmacist  
 Works in Canada  
 Travel  
 Cleans (in hospital)

Leaves  
 Sky

Snow/ice  
 In the park

**Questions/Acceptable answers**

**4.** What does he miss about France? Mention any **two** things. **2 marks**

- (living) (so far from French) friendss
- (used to live/in France) (lived/living in a) (big) town/city
- (in France/where he lived)) lots to do/more available (things) (for young people)

**(2 from 3)**

**5.** What **two** questions does Gilles ask you? **2 marks**

- How many inhabitants (are there in Scotland?) /Are there many people (in Scotland)?
- Which part/region do you come from/live in?/ where do you live /stay/are you from?

**Unacceptable answers**

Family

Village

Book fairs  
cinema

**Irrelevant/Insufficient**

Girlfriend  
Boyfriend  
The people  
It is friendly

The towns  
Where he lived  
The culture

Big houses

What size is Scotland?  
Are you Scottish?

What is Scotland like?  
Do you live in Scotland?

**Questions/Acceptable answers**

**6.** You are going to visit a science museum with a group from the summer camp. The leader of the group speaks to you about the arrangements.

**1 mark**

**(a)** When are you going to visit the museum?

- Tomorrow/in the morning

**OR**

- Thursday(morning)

**(1 from 2)**

**(b)** How will you travel?

**1 mark**

- Metro/underground/tube/subway

**Unacceptable answers**

**Irrelevant/Insufficient**

Wrong specific e.g. afternoon/evening

Soon

Inclusion of specific date negates point

Bus

Train  
Tram

**Questions/Acceptable answers**

**Unacceptable answers**

**Irrelevant/Insufficient**

7. (a) How long will the visit last?

**1 mark**

- Two and a half hours

Until 2:30

(b) Where is the cafeteria?

**1 mark**

- (in) the basement/on the bottom floor/ downstairs

On the ground floor

In the museum

**Questions/Acceptable answers**

8. (a) What can you choose as a main course? Mention any **one** thing.

- Steak
- Chips/fries
- Cheese
- Omelette

**(1 from 4)**

**1 mark**

(b) What can you choose for dessert? Mention any **one** thing.

- Yoghurt
- OR**
- Ice-cream

**(1 from 2)**

**1 mark**

**Unacceptable answers**

Steak pie  
Fish

Cheese sandwich/cheese pasta

Cheesecake

**Irrelevant/Insufficient**

Meat dish

Natural/fruit/strawberry/  
Frozen

In a glass  
Any flavour

**Questions/Acceptable answers**

9. In the afternoon you will see two documentaries.

(a) What is the first one about? Mention any **one** thing. **1 mark**

- Sun

**OR**

- Planet(s)/solar system/space

**(1 from 2)**

(b) What is the second one about? Mention any **one** thing. **1 mark**

- (the) sea (life)/seaside/marine/underwater/ocean/  
the water

**OR**

- (the life of) fish/fishing

**(1 from 2)**

**Unacceptable answers**

**Irrelevant/Insufficient**

Summer  
Weather

Plants  
Earth

Mother/mum

Poison  
Drink

Beaches  
Rivers  
Creatures  
Animals



Questions/Acceptable answers	1 mark	Unacceptable answers	Irrelevant/Insufficient
<p><b>10. (a)</b> Where exactly is the souvenir shop?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>To the left of/at/near/beside the entrance/where you go in</li> </ul> <p><b>OR</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>On the left</li> </ul>		<p>Across from</p> <p>To the left of the boutique</p>	<p>At the exit</p>
<b>(1 from 2)</b>			
<p><b>(b)</b> What do they sell there? Mention any <b>two</b> things.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Postcard(s)/pen(s)/pencil(s)/crayon(s)/eraser(s)/rubber(s)/stationery/school equipment</li> </ul>	1 mark	<p>Chewing gum Catapult Rulers (any wrong specific)</p>	<p>Books Cards</p>
<b>(any two for 1 mark)</b>			
			<b>Total: 20 marks</b>

[END OF MARKING INSTRUCTIONS]

