

FORM 2

ENGLISH
Listening Comprehension

TIME: 15 minutes

Note to Invigilators

Invigilators are advised that the rubrics for each task in all part of the English paper (both listening and written) should be read out to the candidates.

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Teacher's Paper

Instructions for the conduct of the Listening Comprehension Examination

The teacher should instruct the candidates to answer the questions on the paper provided. The following procedure for reading the Listening Comprehension passage is to be explained to the candidates immediately before proceeding with the examination.

You have been given a sheet containing the Listening Comprehension questions. You will be given three minutes to read the questions based on the passage which I shall read aloud for you. I shall then read the passage at normal reading speed. You may take notes during the reading. After this reading there will be a pause of another three minutes to enable you to answer some of the questions. The passage will be read a second time and you may take further notes and answer the rest of the questions. After this second reading you will be given a further three minutes for a final revision of answers.

- a. 3 minutes - Teacher reads out the questions.
- b. 3 minutes - Teacher reads passage aloud for the first time while students take notes.
- c. 3 minutes - Students answer questions
- d. 3 minutes - Teacher reads passage for the second time. Students may answer more questions.
- e. 3 minutes - Students revise final answers.

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Track 1

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Teacher's Text

My friend's name is David. He is eleven years old. He lives in London. His mother and father are from Germany, so David speaks English and German. He doesn't have a sister but he's got two brothers. He wants to be a doctor like his father.

David likes all kinds of sports but his favourite sport is swimming. He goes swimming every day from 7 till 9 in the evening. In his free time he plays tennis and meets his friends. David does not like computer games but he likes watching TV. On Sunday evening he watches a video with his brothers or with his friends.

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Name: _____

Class: _____

In questions 1 and 2 underline the correct answer.

1. David 1 mark []
- a) used to live in Germany.
b) lives in Germany.
c) lives just outside London.
d) lives in London.

2. David 1 mark []
- a) hates all kinds of sports.
b) hates swimming.
c) likes all kinds of sports especially swimming.
d) likes all kinds of sports except swimming.

3. Put a tick (✓) in the correct box. 4 marks []

- a) David's father and mother live in Germany.
b) David has got one sister and two brothers.
c) In his spare time David plays tennis and meets his friends.
d) David likes playing computer games.

True	False

4. Fill in with a word from the passage. 4 marks []

- a) David wishes to become a _____ like his father.
b) David is _____ years old.
c) David goes swimming every _____ from 7 till 9 in the evening.
d) On Sunday evening David _____ a video with his brothers or his friends.

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TIME: 2 hours

Name: _____

Class: _____

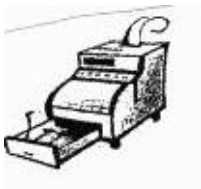
Oral Assessment	Listening Comprehension	Written Paper	TOTAL

- A. Match the words in the box with the pictures. The first one has been done for you. (6 marks)

dressmaker	artist	mechanic	hairdresser
police officer	shop assistant	nurse	



0. dressmaker



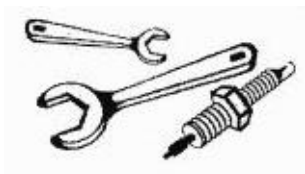
1. _____



2. _____



3. _____



4. _____



5. _____



6. _____

6 x 1 mark = 6 marks

B. Use the words below to complete the messages.

her us ~~I~~ He it I you him me

Send to a friend

Phone number

Message

Jane and (0) I are going shopping. Would (1) _____ like to come with (2) _____?

Send

Choose from Contacts

Select Cancel

Send to a friend

Phone number

Message

Harry is sick. Please give (3) _____ two teaspoons of medicine at lunch time. (4) _____ will sleep soon.

Send

Choose from Contacts

Select Cancel

Send to a friend

Phone number

Message

Amy phoned. Phone (5) _____ back at 2 o'clock. She says (6) _____ is very important.

Send

Choose from Contacts

Select Cancel

Send to a friend

Phone number

Message

(7) _____ am going to the club on Tuesday. Can you come with (8) _____ please?

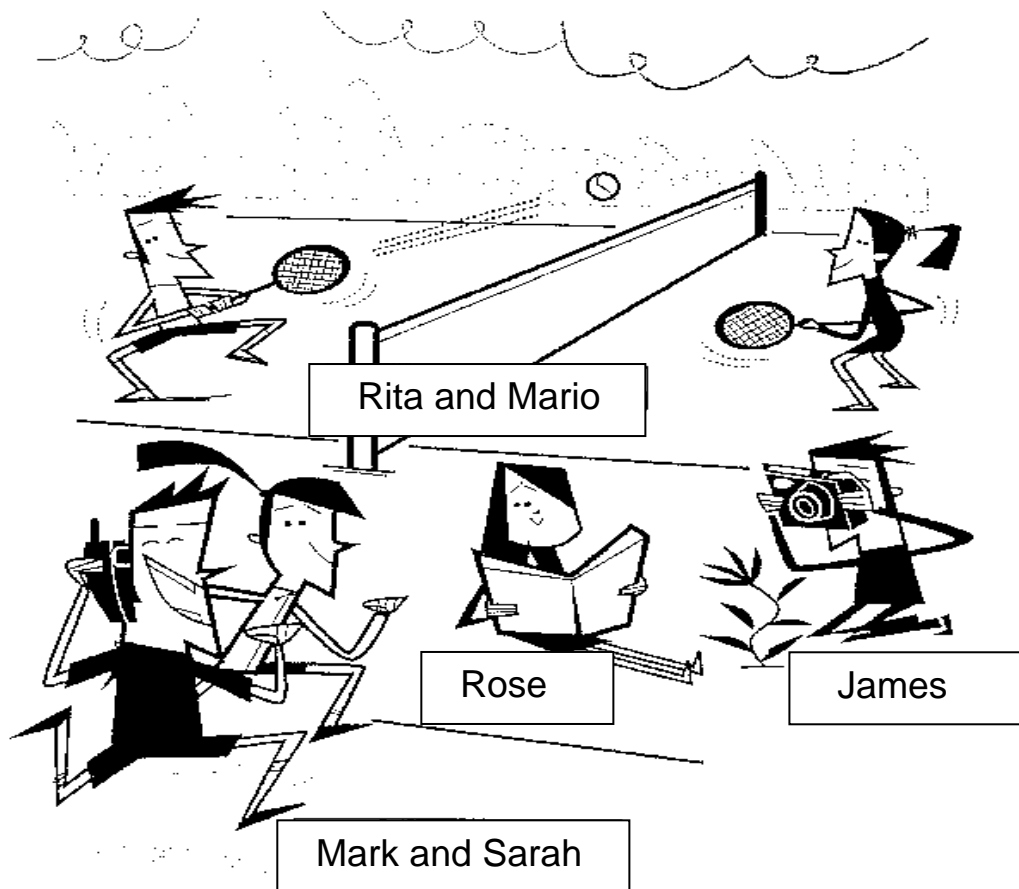
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Choose from Contacts

Select Cancel

8 x ½ mark = 4 marks

- C. Look at the picture and fill in the blanks using the correct verb form.
The first one has been worked out for you. (8 marks)



0. It's cloudy today, and it (0) **is raining** (rain).
1. Rita and Mario (1) _____ (play) tennis.
2. Rose (2) _____ (not play) tennis.
3. Rose (3) _____ (read) a book.
4. Mark and Sarah (4) _____ (run).
5. Mark (5) _____ (not chat) to Sarah.
6. He (6) _____ (phone) his friend.
7. James (7) _____ (take) a photo of a plant.
8. He (8) _____ (kneel) on the ground.

8 x 1 mark = 8 marks

D. Look at the pictures and complete the instructions. Use the words in the box. (5)

forget	use	Wipe	rinse	wet	wash
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0. After going to the toilet wash your hands.



1. First _____ your hands.



2. Next _____ soap.



3. Rub hands together and _____ the soap away.



4. Don't _____ to turn off the tap.



5. _____ your hands with a towel.

5 x 1 mark = 5 marks

E. Fill in the gaps with the words from the box below to help Julie finish her postcard. (7 marks)

reading	fun	back	the	here	few	wonderful	himself
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Dear Frances,



We are having a (0) wonderful time. The children are out most of the day - they seem to be having great (1) _____. Bill is enjoying (2) _____ he has even tried sailing! I am spending my time sunbathing and (3) _____. Bill wanted to do some sightseeing but had a (4) _____ problems with the car. It took us a little while to get used to it! We drove it into a field and damaged (5) _____ bumper. Well I am going (6) _____ sunbathing.

Wish you were (7) _____!

Love,
Julie
xx

7 x 1 mark = 7 marks

F. Comprehension

Read the following passage then answer the questions that follow.

Passage 1

The Theft

"Can you lend me your calculator, please?" Simon asked his friend James during a Maths lesson.

"You should buy one for yourself," James replied.

"I will soon. I'm saving up my pocket money to get one," said Simon. "But I must check these answers before I give in my work."

James opened his bag to take out the calculator. He took out all his books and copybooks, his sports gear, and then his lunch bag. He also opened up his pencil box and looked inside. There was no calculator.

"It's gone," James said in a worried voice. He thought about his parents. They would be angry. It was an expensive calculator and he had had it only for three weeks, since his birthday.

"Are you sure you got it to school?" asked Simon.

"Yes, I remember putting it in my bag last night. I think someone stole it."

Tick (✓) the correct answer in questions 1 – 3.

1. Where are Simon and James?

2 marks []

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- a) They are at home.
- b) They are at school.
- c) They are walking home.
- d) They are in a shop.

2. Does Simon have a calculator?

2 marks []

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- a) No, but he's going to buy one soon.
- b) No. He left it at home.
- c) Yes, but someone took it.
- d) Yes. He lent it to James.

3. How do you think James got his calculator?

2 marks

- a) He bought it last year.
- b) Simon gave it to him.
- c) It was a birthday present.
- d) His parents gave it to him last night.

4. Are the following TRUE or FALSE? Tick (✓) the right answer.

5 marks []

- a) Simon and James are brothers.
- b) Simon and James are in the same class.
- c) Simon is angry.
- d) Simon put the calculator in his bag in the morning.
- e) James thinks a thief took his calculator.

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5. Why does Simon need a calculator?

3 marks []

6. Write 4 things that James has in his bag.

4 marks []

- a) _____
- b) _____
- c) _____
- d) _____

7. Why does James think about his parents?

3 marks []

Passage 2.

Look at Simon's timetable and then answer the questions that follow.

TIMETABLE

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1	Geography	Art	Maths	History	Maths
2	Maltese	Music	History	English	Maltese
3	Science	English	English	Religion	Geography
BREAK					
4	Maths	Option 1	Maths	Option 2	PSD
5	P.E.	Option 1	Maltese	Option 2	PSD
BREAK					
6	English	Science	Religion	Maths	P.E.
7	ICT	Science	P.E.	Maltese	P.E.

Tick (✓) the correct answer in questions 8 and 9.

8. According to the timetable, which subjects does Simon have **first** on Monday? 2 marks []

- ☐ a) Geography.
- ☐ b) Art.
- ☐ c) Maths.
- ☐ d) History.
- ☐ e) ICT.

9. According to the timetable, Simon has a Maths lesson: 2 marks []

- ☐ a) everyday.
- ☐ b) five times a week.
- ☐ c) on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.
- ☐ d) on Wednesday.
- ☐ e) on Wednesday and Friday.

25 marks []

Writing Tasks

- G. Complete the questions with words from the text. The first one has been done for you. (5 marks)

Read this information about THE CHEF

A chef works in a hotel or in a restaurant.
He plans the meals and cooks very good food.
He often has helpers to cut vegetables,
to bake bread, and to prepare the meat.



0. Where does a **chef** work?
1. Why does he plan the _____ ?
2. Does he have any _____ ?
3. Does the chef have to _____ the vegetables?
4. Who bakes the _____ ?
5. Who prepares the _____ ?

5 x 1 mark = 5 marks

H. Write about what you usually like or do not like to eat.
sentence has been done for you.



0. I like eating pizza. I have pizza when I am out with my family or friends.



1. In the morning I _____
_____ before going to school.



2. I usually have _____
_____ for lunch at school.



3. I don't like eating _____
_____ because _____.



4. I like _____
_____ every time we have a barbecue.



5. My favourite restaurant is _____
because the food _____
and _____.

5 x 4 marks = 20 marks