

LISTENING TEST_01

Name:.....

Part 6

Questions 27–32

For each question, write the correct answer.
Write **one** word for each gap.

The Koala

We're leaving Australia soon and we've just met that well-known symbol of Australian wildlife, the koala. I've always called them koala bears, but they are a member (27) the marsupial family.

They are only two centimetres long when (28) first come into the world and spend the first six months living in their mother's pouch before moving on to her back for a further six months.

They live on eucalyptus leaves, which they eat huge amounts of, up to 1 kilogram (29) day. One benefit of this diet is that they rarely need to drink water as they get (30) from these leaves. They can live for up to 15 years in the wild and as long as 20 years when cared for in zoos or nature reserves.

Unfortunately, as more of these eucalyptus trees (31) cut down, we are seeing a fall in (32) number of koalas.



Test 1 WRITING

Part 1

You **must** answer this question.

Write your answer in about 100 **words** on the answer sheet.

Question 1

Read this email from your English-speaking friend Tania and the notes you have made.

EMAIL	
From:	Tania
Subject:	Your party
<p>Hi,</p> <p>I'm so pleased you've invited me to your birthday party. I'm really looking forward to seeing you.</p> <p>Of course I want to buy you a present. I don't know what you'd prefer – something to wear perhaps, or would you like the money to buy something yourself?</p> <p>What time would you like me to arrive?</p> <p>And would you like me to bring some food?</p> <p>See you soon!</p> <p>Tania</p>	

Me too! → *Hi,*

Tell Tania → *What time would you like me to arrive?*

Say which I prefer → *And would you like me to bring some food?*

No, because ... → *See you soon!*

Write your **email** to Tania using **all the notes**.

Part 2

Choose **one** of these questions.

Write your answer in about **100 words** on the answer sheet.

Question 2

You see this notice in an English-language magazine.

Articles wanted!

WHAT KIND OF HOLIDAY DO YOU ENJOY?

Have you got a favourite place you go to?

Are there things you like to do on holiday?

Write an article answering these questions and we will put it in our magazine!

Write your **article**.

Question 3

Your English teacher has asked you to write a story.

Your story must begin with this sentence.

When I opened the door, I couldn't believe my eyes.

Write your **story**.

Test 1 LISTENING

Part 1



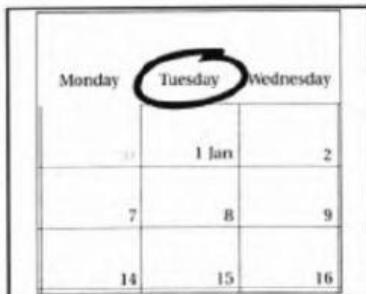
Questions 1–7

For each question, choose the correct answer.

1 When does John offer to come?



A

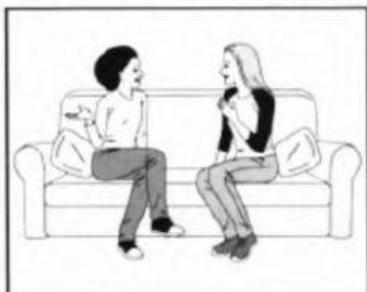


B



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2 What did the woman enjoy doing at the party?



A



B

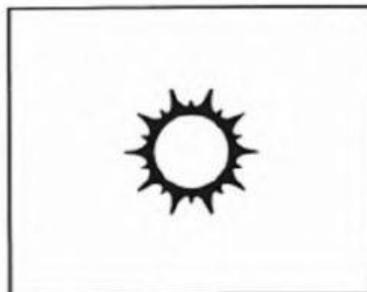


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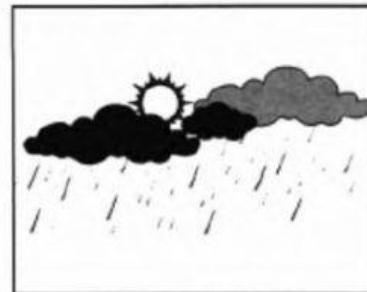
3 What will the weather be like in the morning?



A



B



C

4 What time does the tour of the hospital start?



A

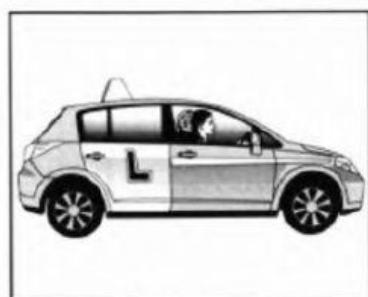


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5 What isn't the daughter having for her birthday?



A



B



C

6 What size shirt does the man want?



A



B



C

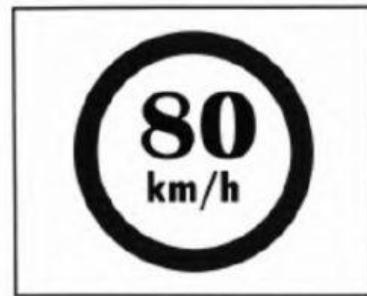
7 What are the police checking for next week?



A



B



C

Part 2



Questions 8–13

For each question, choose the correct answer.

8 You will hear two friends talking about a film.
What does the woman say about it?
A It's only suitable for young people.
B The director doesn't usually make action films.
C It has already been on TV.

9 You will hear two friends talking about someone the woman lives with.
They think it would be a good idea
A to ask him to leave.
B to remind him to do the washing-up.
C to leave him a note of things to do.

10 You will hear a woman telling a friend about a holiday she is going on.
How does she feel about it?
A She is worried it might be expensive.
B She doesn't think she will be lonely.
C She doesn't like doing long walks.

11 You will hear two friends talking about meeting a relation at the airport.
To help the person find him, the man has decided
A to take a sign.
B to wear something colourful.
C to email her when she arrives.

12 You will hear two friends talking about getting to the train station.
The man thinks
A the bus will take a long time.
B a taxi is too expensive.
C the train will be late.

13 You will hear two friends talking about a new laptop.
What does the man say about the old one?
A He took it to work for a while.
B It was slow to start.
C It stopped working.

Part 3



Questions 14–19

For each question, write the correct answer in the gap. **Write one or two words or a number or a date or a time.**

You will hear a radio presenter called Erica talking about how we can help the environment.

How to help the environment

Remember that when we're (14) we always have the choice to buy something somewhere else.

Take (15) with you the next time you go shopping.

Recycle unwanted things by giving them to (16)

See how you might be able to help with (17) problems where you live.

Ask your friends to help you clear rubbish and litter from (18) and streets in your area.

Try car-sharing with your (19) if you work in the same area.

Part 4



Questions 20–25

For each question, choose the correct answer.

You will hear an interview with a woman called Sally Wainwright, who recently started singing classes.

20 Sally explained that

- A** people kept telling her to try something different.
- B** she didn't enjoy art classes.
- C** she had never been to a singing class.

21 Sally wanted to sing because

- A** her husband wanted her to.
- B** her mother told her she would love it.
- C** she didn't want to feel embarrassed about singing.

22 What does Sally say she likes about the group?

- A** The people are very kind.
- B** You don't need to show you can sing well to join.
- C** You only sing on your own if you want to.

23 What does Sally say about the first session?

- A** She had problems with her car.
- B** She felt better after talking with the organiser.
- C** She was asked to stand at the back.

24 Since she has been singing with the group

- A** Sally now sings with her children.
- B** Sally has achieved all her goals.
- C** Sally is more confident about singing on her own.

25 What does Sally say about singing?

- A** It can make you physically stronger.
- B** She is sure it is good for her health.
- C** She ends a session feeling cheerful.