## Test 3 Reading and Use of English Part 2

For questions **9–16**, read the text below and think of the word which best fits each gap. Use only **one** word in each gap. There is an example at the beginning (**0**).

Write your answers **IN CAPITAL LETTERS on the separate answer sheet.**

**Example:** **0** | T | O | O |

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### Applying for your first job?

Getting a job is **(0)** ..... important to leave to chance; **(9)** ..... all, work is likely to play a significant role in your life for many years. So before sending in any applications, think hard about **(10)** ..... would really suit you. Concentrate on jobs for **(11)** ..... you have an aptitude – **(12)** ..... can be very demoralising to have your application turned down. Ideally, your job should be not only one you can do well, **(13)** ..... also one that makes you look forward to going to work every morning.

It's important to consider the culture of the organisations you're applying **(14)** ..... . Some companies are **(15)** ..... obsessed with results and profits that employees are under stress all the time. You need to be clear in your own mind **(16)** ..... or not you could work in an environment like that.

Making an effort in the early stages of applying for a job will almost certainly pay off in the long run.



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