

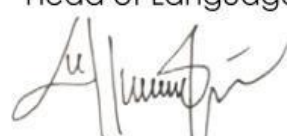


**MID-TERM TEST
ODD SEMESTER 2023/2024**

Subject : Bahasa Inggris 1
Program : Pre-Intermediate
Credit : 4
Semester : 1 (One)
Duration : 60 minutes
Remark : Close Book
Type : A

DIRECTION

1. Pray first before you do the test;
 2. Do the easiest then the rest;
 3. Ask your proctor if you do not understand the questions;
 4. Cheating is a crime, so do it by yourself;
 5. Borrowing something from your friends is not allowed during the test;
 6. Good luck.
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I. LISTENING COMPREHENSION (10 POINTS)

Listening One

Listen to the conversation and choose True or False (10 Points)

1. Daniel has worked from home for longer than Kate.
2. Kate started working from home after her son was born.
3. Kate used to be a teacher.
4. Kate's work writing a geography book was very well-paid.
5. Daniel started working from home after losing his job.
6. Daniel doesn't enjoy working from home because it isn't sociable.
7. Daniel used to play badminton and cards with his colleagues.
8. Daniel has recently made friends with a new colleague.
9. Kate didn't use to socialise with colleagues because she was too tired.
10. Kate spends time with some friends from her art class.

II. READING COMPREHENSION (10 POINTS)

Read the article. Choose True or False.

Growing up poor

My name is Mike, and I was born in a very poor neighborhood in Los Angeles. When I was little, my mother took care of my brother and me because my father left before I came to this world, and he wasn't too interested in being a part of our lives. My mother had to work two jobs that didn't pay much. She had to work very hard so that we could have food, clothes, and a place to live. She was great; we loved her and appreciated her efforts.

Every day, she usually arrived home very late, and she was exhausted. Still, she always cooked nice meals for us, played with us, and made sure that we did our homework. She always insisted on how important it was to get a good education. She couldn't finish school because she got pregnant with me when she was just a teenager. "I couldn't finish school, and that's why I must work so hard now, and I earn so little money," she often said.

Children were very violent in my neighborhood; you needed to be violent if you wanted to survive. There was a lot of crime, vandalism, and drugs. It wasn't easy to be a good student for any child who lived in our neighborhood. The other children hated you if you got good grades, so I wasn't very popular. The only positive thing about living in that place is that you needed to be very clever to survive, and that helped me later in life.

Finally, my brother and I could finish high school. I went to university because I was a very good basketball player, and basketball paid for my university degree. On the day of my graduation, my mother was in tears. And she was in tears again the day I showed her our new apartment, away from the neighborhood. Do you know how difficult it is to get out of a poor neighborhood? It's very hard, but I did it, and it was thanks to my mum. Now she doesn't have to work two jobs anymore, and I take care of her.

1. Mike didn't know his father.
2. His mother didn't have enough money to buy food
3. She didn't finish school because she had Mike.
4. He got good grades at school.
5. He thinks living in his neighborhood was very positive.

The man with the most world records

Ashrita Furman is a record-breaking record-breaker: He has set more records than anyone else in the world! In the last 40 years, he has established more than 600 records!

As a child, Ashrita loved reading the Guinness Book of World Records. He wanted to be in it too. But he thought people had to be good at sports to be in the book. He wasn't a good athlete. He felt his dream would never come true.

But later in life, Ashrita learned meditation, and with this, he learned that nothing is impossible. He tested this idea in 1978 by entering a 24-hour bike race in New York. Without any training, Ashrita came third! After that, he started thinking about breaking records again.

First, he tried to break the record for the most jumping jacks. He failed at first, but, remembering that 'anything is possible', he trained, meditated and tried again. This time, he did 27,000 jumping jacks in 6 hours 45 minutes and became the new record holder. His achievement appeared in the 1980 Guinness Book of Records.

Today, Ashrita has a long list of records, including: walking the furthest distance with a bike on his chin, cycling the longest distance with a bottle on his head and lighting the most candles on a birthday cake. He says: "I choose ideas which are challenging, fun and childish! I enjoy practicing and seeing my progress."

He says his favorite record was "the longest distance on a pogo stick". While he was on holiday in Japan, he saw Mount Fuji and thought it was beautiful, so he decided to try to break a record there. He did 11.5 miles. The most difficult record was "the most forward rolls". In 10 hours, 30 minutes, he did 8,341 of them, travelling 12 miles!

If you want to break a world record too, Ashrita gives this advice. "Choose something you enjoy because you will need to practice. And don't give up. Your mind will tell you that something is impossible, but it isn't. If someone else has done something, and you work hard, you can do it too!"

1. When Ashrita was a child, he_____
 - a. was good at sports.
 - b. dreamed of being in the Guinness Book of Records.
 - c. achieved his first world record.
 - d. met a record-breaking athlete.
2. When he was a child, he thought that _____
 - a. one day he would achieve his dream.
 - b. everything is possible.
 - c. only good athletes could break records.
 - d. he would become a good athlete one day.
3. When Ashrita did the 24-hour bike race, he learned that.
 - a. training is important.
 - b. breaking records is easy.
 - c. anything is possible.
 - d. meditation is unnecessary.
4. Which activity did Ashrita do for his first world record?
 - a. meditating
 - b. cycling
 - c. jumping jacks
 - d. using a pogo stick
5. Which of these sentences is NOT true about Ashrita?
 - a. He failed his first record-breaking attempt.
 - b. His record-breaking activities are childish.
 - c. In one record, he carried a bottle on his head while cycling.
 - d. He doesn't enjoy training for records.

III. VOCABULARY (5 POINTS)

Match the jobs with what mostly the people say.

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| 1. sales rep | a. We believe in making clothes for formal people, not only for beautiful models. |
| 2. foreign correspondence | b. I like helping the people to get stronger and fitter. |
| 3. Personal trainer | c. In my job you need to love computer and technology. |
| 4. IT Consultant | d. I like my job because I travel the worlds and see important events. |
| 5. Fashion Designer | e. My job is easier when I like the product that I'm trying to sell. |

IV. LANGUAGE FUNCTION (10 POINTS)

Complete the conversation with the appropriate word in the box.

Do you work here see you did you I'm sorry my friend isn't it was terrible would you good weekend
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- 1 A ; Hi, Hellen. This is ____ Joshua.
 B ; Hi, Joshua. Please to meet you.
- 2 A ; Did you have ____?
 B ; Yes. Thanks. I didn't do much.
- 3 A ; Nice day ____?
 B ; Yes. It's lovely.
- 4 A ; So, do you ____?
 B ; No. I'm just visiting.
- 5 A ; ____ like a drink?

- B ; Thanks. I'd love a glass of water.
- 6 A ; _____ watch the film last night?
B ; Yes. It's brilliant.
- 7 A ; Where exactly _____ come from?
B ; I'm from Boston, near Manchester.
- 8 A ; Sorry I'm late I had some bad news at home.
B ; Oh, _____ to hear that.
- 9 A ; Did you watch the match last night?
B ; Yes, It _____!
- 10 A ; I'll see you later.
B ; Yes, _____ soon.

V. LANGUAGE FOCUS (10 POINTS)

**Complete the sentences with the past simple form of the verb in brackets.
(Score 10)**

1. We _____ (find) in the hotel restaurant and the food _____ (be) delicious
2. Mara and Marie _____ (not have) a barbecue on Sunday because it _____ (rain) all day.
3. I _____ (spend) the weekend studying because I've got an exam tomorrow.
4. She _____ (write) a long letter explaining the problem, but her boyfriend still _____ (not understand).
5. I _____ (start) this job four years ago, when I _____ (move) to Rome.
6. We _____ (go) to the cinema yesterday.

V. WRITING (15 POINTS)

Your company has decided to have 'fancy-dress Friday'. Write a formal email to your colleagues (50-100 words). Include the information bellow;

- a. Say what you are writing about
- b. Explain what 'fancy-dress Friday' are
- c. Invite the ideas for fancy dress.

++Good Luck++