

Name and surname: _____

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1 EXAM TASK You will hear four different extracts about clothes. For each sentence (1-4) choose the answer (A-E) which fits best according to what you hear. Put the answers in the correct column. There is one extra sentence that you do not need to use. You will listen to the recording twice.

This speaker

A had not realised that someone else was joking.
 B felt embarrassed because of someone else's choice of clothes.
 C was told off by someone for his/her choice of clothes.
 D felt he/she insulted someone by his/her choice of clothes.
 E felt so nervous that he/she forgot to change an element of clothing.

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2 EXAM TASK Read the article about the connection between personality and appearance. For each question (1-4) choose the correct paragraph (A-C). Put the answers in the right boxes. One paragraph can match two questions.

In which paragraph does the author

1 describe the influence of others on one's personality?
 2 quote someone's advice on how to look attractive?
 3 doubt the scientific value of a common opinion?
 4 question our skills in understanding people's faces?

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A Have you ever looked at a stranger's face and immediately formed in your mind certain expectations about that person's character? The idea that dominant personality traits will show in a person's face has a long history and is still commonplace all over the world, which has been confirmed by numerous studies. There is, however, no scientific evidence to endorse this popular belief. Why should people with small eyebrows, such as the cunning Uriah Heep created by Charles Dickens, be less trustworthy? A well-known British psychologist, Professor David Perrett, tries to look at the matter from a different angle.

B In his book, *In Your Face: the New Science of Human Attraction*, Perrett puts forward a theory according to which it might be the face, or more generally, appearance, that influences human personality rather than vice versa. He argues that how we see ourselves depends on how we are treated by those around us. His studies have shown that a lot of people who consider themselves to be extroverts have received positive response from those around them and thus have taught themselves to be confident and outgoing. Perrett also suggests that the process may start very early. A young boy with a masculine face and a strong build will be treated with more respect by other children. As a result, he will develop a typically masculine personality.

C One important conclusion that emerges from the studies by Professor Perrett is that we might easily be misled by our ability to read people's faces. In his research, Perrett has provided some examples of legal trials when it was difficult for the juries to find baby-faced criminals guilty of fraud or other money-related crimes. Perrett also points out that the only sensible tip to look beautiful is to be a 'valuable social partner', which, unlike lots of beautifying creams and lotions, really works.

3 Complete the sentences with the correct words. The first letters have been given.

1 She's got an attractive face, with high **c**_____ and a pretty nose.
 2 Your closest living blood relative is called your next of **k**_____.
 3 She was wearing a ball **g**_____ at the reception.
 4 Tom is a very **m**_____ person who never boasts about his achievements.
 5 She was absolutely **p**_____ when she saw the wolf in front of her. She was trembling with fear.
 6 He's addicted to **g**_____ and always loses his money in casinos.
 7 Has the man got any **d**_____ features that would help me recognise him?

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4 Complete the sentences with the correct form of the words in the box. There are four extra words which you do not need to use.

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- 1 In my opinion, she looked _____ in that strange hat.
- 2 Tim is not a person I'd like to _____. We've got nothing in common.
- 3 I've got a nagging _____ that I've forgotten something urgent.
- 4 It took him a while before he _____ up some courage to ask her out.

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5 Write sentences using the ideas below.

1 Опишіть фото, на якому зображені елегантно одягненого чоловіка середнього віку.

2 Скажіть, що жінка на фотографії одягнена в кофту без бретелей і модні черевики на підборах.

3 Скажіть, що, на Вашу думку, дівчина позує для фотографії.

4 Скажіть, що, на Ваш погляд, дівчина на фотографії спокійна.

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6 Complete the dialogue with the correct words.

Judy What's the matter with Dan?

Tom Well, it's (1) _____ to believe but he shouted at the head teacher. He followed that (2) _____ walking out of her office and slamming the door behind him.

Judy Oh, God! He's in for some trouble. Again!

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7 EXAM TASK Read the text and complete the sentences with the correct answer A, B, C or D.

To all those who are interested in improving their social skills, I'd like to recommend a book called *Contact: The First Four Minutes*, written by Dr Leonard Zunin. (1) _____ not being one of the latest publications on the subject of social interactions, the book presents some ideas that are still relevant today.

Interestingly, the author stresses the (2) _____ of the first few (four to be exact!) minutes of talking to someone you've just met. According to Dr Zunin, the person you're talking to should (3) _____ your undivided attention during the initial contact. If you avoid eye contact, keep looking over the other person's shoulder as if you hope to see something interesting at last, it's unlikely that the two of you will ever (4) _____ friends.

Total honesty is also not recommended during the initial minutes of contact. This is definitely not a suitable time to openly express your opinions on serious matters. A light-hearted, witty conversation will go much further to convince the other person you might be (5) _____ getting to know better.

Dr Zunin believes that courses in social skills should be compulsory, just like maths or languages, because they might well determine our personal and professional success.

1 A Although B However C Despite D Nevertheless

2 A importance B position C rank D weight

3 A give B be giving C have given D be given
 4 A keep B take C make D stay
 5 A sensible B worth C advisable D wise

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8 EXAM TASK – an article

You have recently taken part in the meeting with a celebrity organized in your school. Write an article for your school website in which you describe the event. Express the thought that this person can be a role model for young people and explain why.

Write 180-200 words.

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