

# IELTS SCORE BOOSTER

## LISTENING PRACTICE 5.1 (HOMEWORK)

**SECTION 3: Questions 21 – 26.** Complete the flow-chart below. *Choose SIX answers from the box and write the correct letter, A-H, next to Questions 21-26.*

<b>A</b> patterns	<b>B</b> names	<b>C</b> sources	<b>D</b> questions
<b>E</b> employees	<b>F</b> solutions	<b>G</b> headings	<b>H</b> officials

### STAGES IN DOING A TOURISM CASE STUDY

#### RESEARCH

Locate and read relevant articles, noting key information and also **21**.....

Identify a problem or need

Select interviewees – these may be site **22**....., visitors or city **23**.....

Prepare and carry out interviews. If possible, collect statistics.

Check whether **24**..... of interviewees can be used.

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#### ANALYSIS

Select relevant information and try to identify **25**.....

Decide on the best form of visuals

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#### WRITING THE CASE STUDY

Give some background before writing the main sections

Do NOT end with **26**.....

**Questions 27 – 30.** Choose the correct letter, A, B or C.

#### The Horton Castle site

**27** Natalie and Dave agree one reason why so few people visit Horton Castle is that

- A** the publicity is poor.
- B** it is difficult to get to.
- C** there is little there of interest.

**28** Natalie and Dave agree that the greatest problem with a visitor centre could be

- A** covering the investment costs.
- B** finding a big enough space for it.
- C** dealing with planning restrictions.

**29 What does Dave say about conditions in the town of Horton?**

- A There is a lot of unemployment.
- B There are few people of working age.
- C There are opportunities for skilled workers.

**30 According to Natalie, one way to prevent damage to the castle site would be to**

- A insist visitors have a guide.
- B make visitors keep to the paths.
- C limit visitor numbers.

**SECTION 4. Questions 31 – 40. Complete the notes below. Write ONE WORD ONLY for each answer.**

**The effects of environmental change on birds**

**Mercury (Hg)**

- Highly toxic
- Released into the atmosphere from coal
- In water it may be consumed by fish
- It has also recently been found to affect birds which feed on 31.....

**Research on effects of mercury on birds**

- Claire Varian-Ramos is investigating
  - the effects on birds' 32..... or mental processes, e.g. memory
  - the effects on bird song (usually learned from a bird's 33.....)
- Findings:
  - songs learned by birds exposed to mercury are less 34.....
  - this may have a negative effect on birds' 35.....
- Lab-based studies
  - allow more 36..... for the experimenter

**Implications for humans**

- Migrating birds such as 37..... containing mercury may be eaten by humans
- Mercury also causes problems in learning 38.....
- Mercury in a mother's body from 39..... may affect the unborn child
- New regulations for mercury emissions will affect everyone's energy 40.....