

**ESB Level 1 Certificate in ESOL  
International All Modes – (B2)  
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<b>Writing</b>	1	20%

The remaining 20% is for your speaking test.

**Total time allowed: 2 hours 30 minutes. You should attempt all sections of this paper.**

**The use of dictionaries, notes or any electronic device is not permitted in this examination.**

**Put your answers for Listening, Reading and Use of English on the OPTICAL MARK FORM. Use the WRITING ANSWER BOOKLET for your answer to the Writing Section. This question paper WILL NOT BE MARKED.**

**DO NOT OPEN THE EXAMINATION PAPER UNTIL YOU ARE TOLD TO DO SO.**

## **ESB B2 Level 1 Listening (Part One)**

You will hear people talking in ten different situations.  
For questions 1 – 10, choose the correct answer A, B or C. You will hear each passage **TWICE**.  
You have one minute to read the questions for Part One.

- 1. Mark thinks the scarf, the pieces of coal and the carrot were**
  - A. dropped by mistake.
  - B. left there on purpose.
  - C. the remains of a melted snowman.
  
- 2. Maggie does not want any toffee because**
  - A. it is bad for her teeth.
  - B. she does not like sweet things.
  - C. it is difficult to chew.
  
- 3. The flight to Hong Kong will leave from gate number**
  - A. six.
  - B. sixteen.
  - C. sixty.
  
- 4. Lucy turned off the sound because she**
  - A. was at work.
  - B. had a job interview.
  - C. did not want to speak to David.
  
- 5. Pete does not like the bumper cars because they are too**
  - A. expensive.
  - B. small.
  - C. boring.

- 6. Sam's total stay in Singapore will be**  
A. more than two years.  
B. two years exactly.  
C. less than two years.
- 7. What has annoyed the customer most is that**  
A. the new backpack was faulty.  
B. he had just bought the backpack.  
C. he had to buy a new backpack.
- 8. Martina thinks the socks may**  
A. be too thin.  
B. get lost.  
C. get wet.
- 9. Which of the following does Sarah most want to visit?**  
A. Windsor Castle.  
B. Westminster Abbey.  
C. Buckingham Palace.
- 10. The singer was born in**  
A. Liverpool.  
B. Dublin.  
C. Limerick.

## **ESB B2 Level 1 Listening (Part Two)**

Listen to a talk about how two animals were rescued.  
For questions 11 – 20, decide whether the sentences below are TRUE (T) or FALSE (F). You will hear the recording **TWICE**.  
You have one minute to read the questions for Part Two.

### **Animal Rescues**

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| 11. The Dawsons were travelling in a large motorboat.               | True / False |
| 12. The Dawsons were sunbathing when they heard the dog.            | True / False |
| 13. The puppy was thirsty but was otherwise unhurt.                 | True / False |
| 14. The puppy came from a village two miles away.                   | True / False |
| 15. The owner knew how the puppy got onto the island.               | True / False |
| 16. The villagers first saw the elephant when they heard it crying. | True / False |
| 17. The elephant's family stopped trying to get him out.            | True / False |
| 18. The elephant could not get out because he had hurt his foot.    | True / False |
| 19. The villagers rescued the animal by making the hole less deep.  | True / False |
| 20. By the time the elephant was rescued, his family had gone.      | True / False |