

Listening

Part 1

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Part 2

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9 8.15 / eight fifteen 10 10.50

Part 3

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Part 4

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Part 5

21 B 22 D 23 F 24 H 25 C



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Transcript

Test Three. There are five parts to the test. You will hear each piece twice. We will now stop for a moment before we start the test. Please ask any questions now because you must NOT speak during the test.

PART 1 *Now look at the instructions for Part One.
For each question, choose the correct answer.*

Question 1 *One. Where will they go if it rains tomorrow?*

Man: My weather app says it might rain tomorrow.

Woman: Oh... we won't be able to go walking. Shall we go out for lunch instead?

Man: I need some exercise. I've been at my desk all week.

Woman: So let's go for a game of badminton. I know you prefer swimming, but the pool will be too busy.

Man: I'll get the rackets.

Now listen again.

[repeat]

Question 2 *Two. Why didn't the woman buy the book?*

Woman: I didn't get the book that you want today. Sorry!

Man: Oh! Was the shop really crowded, as usual?

Test 3 answer key

Woman: Actually, it looked OK, but when I was outside, I met my friend Sophie. We decided to go for a coffee.

Man: And was the shop closed when you finished?

Woman: Well, it was still open, but I'll have more time tomorrow.

Now listen again.

[repeat]

Question 3 *Three. Where does the man work now?*

Woman: I haven't seen you at the supermarket for a while, Bryan.

Man: I left last month, actually. I was only working there until I finished my mechanics course.

Woman: So, you're finally doing what you've always wanted to do.

Man: I am. I'm working at that place next to the Italian restaurant.

Woman: I'll bring my car there next time I have a problem.

Now listen again.

[repeat]

Question 4 *Four. Where does the man want to go?*

Woman: Do you need some help?

Man: Yes! Thank you. I'm looking for the museum. On my map it looks quite near to the castle, but we're outside the castle now, and I can't see it.

Woman: Well, it's not far. Walk down this hill, and it's on your right. There's a nice café opposite.

Man: That's great. Thank you again.

Now listen again.

[repeat]

Question 5 *Five. What's the man making?*

Woman: Mmm... lovely! Are you making a fruit cake?

Man: I'm adding the dried fruit to the bread that I'm baking. We can have it with cheese tonight, and use the rest for toast tomorrow morning. If you want cake, there's a slice left in the fridge.

Woman: That's OK. I'll wait for supper. Shall I make a fruit salad for dessert?

Man: Yes, please.

Now listen again.

[repeat]

That is the end of Part One.

PART 2 *Now look at Part Two.*

For each question, write the correct answer in the gap. Write one word or a number or a date or a time. Look at questions 6–10 now. You have ten seconds.

You will hear a man talking about a film on local radio.

Man: You'll be able to see a very special film in the city this weekend. It's called *Runner*, and it was actually filmed in our own city – it's a really exciting story. This new film's about a doctor and the star is John Hughes, who was very successful in his last film, called *Stage*, which was about a rock band. They're showing it at the Caratopia Cinema – that's spelled C-A-R-A-T-O-P-I-A, which is a small cinema near the town square.

You can see it from the 24th to the 31st of July. Also, on the 28th of July some of the actors will come to talk about the film and answer your questions. Anyway, the film begins at quarter past eight and is an hour and a half long, so it'll finish at quarter to ten.

It's a good idea to book tickets. If you're studying, they're ten pounds fifty, and they're thirteen pounds thirty for everyone else. You can find more information about this interesting film on our website.

Now listen again.

[repeat]

That is the end of Part Two.

PART 3

Now look at Part Three.

For each question, choose the correct answer. Look at questions 11–15 now. You have twenty seconds.

You will hear Phil talking to his friend Jess about a new sports centre.

Phil: Hi, Jess. Did you hear about the new sports centre on the radio this morning?

Jess: The one that you and your friend Bob went to? No... actually, there was a poster about it near my work. Is it good?

Phil: Yes, it's bigger than the old one and it's fun, especially with the great loud music they play! It costs a lot. Too much.

Jess: Do you go every day?

Phil: If I can. Mornings are best because it's less busy, especially very early. Schools use it during the day, but that's fine because I'm at work then. Weekends are too crowded.

Jess: The pool in the old sports centre's quite dirty, so I'd love to try this new one. I'd like to enter one of their swimming competitions, but the heating for the water isn't working, so it's not open yet.

Phil: Let's go to the gym together instead!

Jess: I'm not a member and I need new trainers.

Phil: That doesn't matter. You can join when you get there, and we'll go to the café afterwards – it's cheaper for members. So are the classes.

Jess: OK, great.

Now listen again.

[repeat]

That is the end of Part Three.

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PART 4 *Now look at Part Four.*

For each question, choose the correct answer.

Question 16 *Sixteen. You will hear a woman talking to a friend about getting to work. Why did the woman arrive at the office late?*

Man: You're never late for work! What happened? Did you lose your keys or something?

Woman: My keys weren't the problem.

Man: Was it because of the road repairs?

Woman: The road that I usually take was fine, it wasn't busy. My engine stopped and I couldn't start it again. Luckily, I didn't have to wait long at the side of the road for help.

Now listen again.

[repeat]

Question 17 *Seventeen. You will hear a man, Peter, talking to a friend about his plans. Where will Peter be this Saturday?*

Woman: Hi Peter, there's a sailing course I'd like to do at Blue Water Lake on Saturday. Would you like to come?

Man: I'd love to, but I'm going on a foreign business trip... Oh! I've still got to change some money.

Woman: Oh, what about the following weekend?

Man: I'm really sorry, it's my mum's birthday and we've planned a celebration.

Woman: Never mind!

Now listen again.

[repeat]

Question 18 *Eighteen. You will hear a man talking about a music festival. What's different about the festival this year?*

Man: Don't miss this year's rock music festival! It's more and more popular every year! That's why all the stages are in the park, because the town square can no longer handle the crowds for this exciting festival. It's the summer festival, so put it in your calendar. And it's always the last weekend in August. Tickets are on sale now.

Now listen again.

[repeat]

Question 19 *Nineteen. You will hear two people talking about their school days. Which subject did they both enjoy at school?*

Man: Was science your favourite lesson when we were at school?

Woman: Well, I loved those chemistry experiments we did.

Man: Oh? I didn't. I thought learning about life in Rome centuries ago was much more interesting.

Woman: I agree. All those amazing buildings they created. I thought the most boring lessons at school were when we had to draw maps of different countries.

Man: You're right!

Now listen again.

[repeat]

Question 20 *Twenty. You will hear someone talking to customers in a supermarket. What's cheaper in the supermarket this week?*

Woman: Welcome to your local supermarket. This week we have fantastic new chocolate ice cream – it's only four pounds ninety-nine for one litre! Grapes and pears are half price. If you're planning a party, we now sell extra large bottles of lemonade. If you need help finding things, please ask.

Now listen again.

[repeat]

That is the end of Part Four.

PART 5 *Now look at Part Five.*

For each question, choose the correct answer. Look at questions 21–25 now. You have fifteen seconds.

You will hear Helena talking to her friend Steve about hotels in their city. What does Steve think about each hotel?

Helena: Steve?

Steve: Yes, Helena.

Helena: I need to book a hotel in the city for some Australian friends of mine. I've heard Plaza Hotel's good. Do you know it?

Steve: My sister stayed there. She drove around for an hour looking for it. There are no signs to show you where it is.

Helena: What about City Hotel?

Steve: Beautiful old building, especially the dining room. Your friends would love it. Of course, it's not cheap.

Helena: That's no good.

Steve: There's the Bridge Hotel. They often have special prices. There's a fantastic chef there – he's won competitions.

Helena: Sounds nice. Do you know Lemontree Hotel?

Steve: I've looked at their website. Their bedrooms are much bigger than in most other hotels. It's on a quiet street with lots of parking places.

Helena: Right. How about Greenleaf Hotel?

Steve: It's quite cheap. You hear the traffic when people are going to and from work.

Helena: And is the International Hotel OK?

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Steve: I haven't seen the bedrooms, but the receptionists are very nice. My colleague at work said they're always happy to help.

Helena: OK, thanks... [fade]

Now listen again.

[repeat]

That is the end of Part Five.

You now have six minutes to write your answers on the answer sheet.

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You have one more minute.

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That is the end of the test.