

LISTENING TEST 1 (OFFICIAL GUIDE)

Listening

SECTION 4 Questions 31–40

Complete the sentences below.

Write **NO MORE THAN TWO WORDS AND/OR A NUMBER** for each answer.

Ceramics

31 Ceramics date back approximately

32 The first figurines were made in the area of

33 Early humans could not use their pots to store

34 The Chinese improved the quality of ceramics by mixing with the clay.

35 Chinese porcelain was also called

36 Bottger added quartz and to clay to make porcelain.

Glass

37 Glass production is similar to clay ceramics apart from the rate of

38 The Romans introduced the use of glass to make

Concrete

39 The discovery of concrete is probably due to observing reactions of water and

40 The ability to build large contributed to the success of the Roman Empire.



Test Tip There is no break in this section. Read all ten sentences carefully in the preparation time.



Study Tip 31 Think of the sentences as questions, e.g. 'When did ceramics start?' This can help you think of words and phrases to listen for.



Study Tip 32–34 The answer to Question 32 is a place. What type of information is missing in the next two questions?



Study Tip Use the headings 'Ceramics', 'Glass' and 'Concrete' to help you keep your place as you listen.



Test Tip Make sure that the grammar of the completed sentences is correct. Check there are no unnecessary words. Check spellings and use of plural 's'.