

English Final Exam

NAME:				3rd Year	
			Mod 1	TIME: 2 hours	
A	B	FINAL MARK	SET		

PART A

COMPLETE THE TEXT WITH THE WORDS IN THE BOX. *There are three extra words*

6 x 0.25 = 1.5 marks

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My favourite sport is ice hockey. Although in the past people played it outdoors in the winter, nowadays we usually play it indoors on an ice rink. However, there are a lot of people 1) _____ want to use the rink for skating or ice dancing so we can only practise 2) _____ 6 to 7 o'clock in the morning. As the size of the rink is fairly 3) _____, there are only six people in the team. Each player has a long stick and tries to hit the puck, which is a kind 4) _____ ball, into the other team's goal. We 5) _____ crash into other players to stop them scoring, so the game is quite dangerous. If we don't wear gloves, helmets and other pieces of clothing, we can get seriously 6) _____.

TWO-ELEMENT CHOICE: *Underline the correct option.*

5 x 0.2 = 1 mark

- I've lived in Argentina since / for ten years.
- They booked / rented a flight to California.
- Our teacher didn't wanted / want to work so many hours.
- I'm going to visit Jack on May / Monday.
- My father made / did a phone call to a TV programme.

CIRCLE THE CORRECT OPTION a, b or c **TO COMPLETE THE BLANKS.**

5 x 0.2 = 1 mark

- Children _____ sometimes hard to understand.
- It was an important exam _____ she couldn't sleep.
- You're not old _____ to drive.
- You haven't told the truth _____.
- My brother came back home _____ October 27th.

a) have	b) are	c) isn't
a) so	b) or	c) while
a) enough	b) too	c) for
a) never	b) already	c) yet
a) at	b) in	c) on

MATCH A LINE FROM "A" WITH A LINE FROM "B". *Write the corresponding number from B in the box. There are two extra phrases in column B.*

5 x 0.2 = 1 mark

A	B
a Jack worked in a restaurant	
b That's the teacher	
c I've finished my homework	
d The doctor	
e Harry isn't	

B
1 who lives next to my uncle's.
2 taller than Bob
3 I would start a hobby.
4 don't go.
5 didn't arrive on time.
6 while he was living in Miami.
7 So I'm going out with Paul.

COMPLETE THE CONVERSATIONS ACCORDING TO THE INDICATION IN BRACKETS. <i>The first letter of the first word is given.</i>	5 x 0.3=1.5 marks
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Dialogue 1

John: 1) **H** _____ a famous person ? (ASK ABOUT EXPERIENCE)
 Lucy: Yes, I met Marcelo Tinelli in a shopping centre last year.

Dialogue 2

Lucy: 2) _____ tonight? (MAKE A SUGGESTION)
 Mary: I'm sorry I can't. I 3) _____ (MAKE AN EXCUSE)

Dialogue 3

Ron : How old were you when you 4) _____ ? (ASK ABOUT PAST ABILITY)
 Johnny: I was about five years old. My father taught me to cycle.
 Ron: Did you fall many times?
 Johnny: Oh, no. I didn't. Because I 5) _____ (GIVE A REASON)

COMPLETE THE TEXT ABOUT SHARON WITH THE CORRECT TENSE OF THE VERBS IN BRACKETS. <i>Use the Present Simple or Continuous, the Past Simple or Continuous, the Present Perfect, the 'Going to' or the Simple Future.</i>	10 x 0.2=2 marks
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For a long time Sharon Sadler 1) (have) _____ a dream about playing in a big orchestra. Her dream 2) (just come) _____ true. Now at the age of 15, Sharon 3) (become) _____ the youngest member of the Brighton Orchestra. She has played the piano since she 4) (be) _____ five years old. She 5) (work) _____ incredibly hard: she 6) (practise) _____ regularly for several hours every day and she does her normal school work as well. Everyone is very proud of her. Sharon has performed in lots of concerts and she 7) (win) _____ the Young Musicians competition last May. She 8) (study) _____ history when her teacher told her that she 9) (be) _____ the winner. Sharon 10) (begin) _____ her work with the Brighton Orchestra next month.

READING. <i>Read this text and circle T for true or F for false</i>	8 x 0.25=2 marks
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A short time ago, Nick Moss was an ordinary school boy. Now he's a well-paid model who gets constant offers of work. He's the kind of success story which inspires thousands of young people around the world. Nick hadn't really considered becoming a model. It all started quite by chance when he was discovered by his sister Kate's modelling agency. Kate Moss is one of the best-paid models in the world. The agency took some photos of Nick and 'things went straight away' he says, still surprised.

However, if you think that a modelling career depends on 'looks' alone, you're wrong. For example, Tracy is a charismatic 15-year-old girl with fantastic looks. But her perfect face has never adorned the pages of fashion magazines. 'You have to have a good photo portfolio and also be part of a really good professional agency' she says. Tracy has applied for over a dozen jobs and has been rejected as many times. But this hasn't depressed her too much. 'I'm giving myself another year' says Tracy. 'If I don't get something soon, I'll give up on the idea of modelling'.

Nick Moss is also realistic about the limitation of a modelling career. 'Modelling's fun but it doesn't last forever', says Nick. So you won't be disappointed if you realise it could all end as suddenly as it started.

TASK A: *Circle T for true or F for false*

- Nick Moss works as a model and they pay him well.
- Nick has wanted to be a model all his life.
- Although Tracy is attractive and beautiful, she isn't a model yet.
- Tracy is going to wait another year to see if she can get a job as a model.
- This passage shows it is not always easy to become a model.

T	F
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TASK B: *Circle the correct letter a, b or c*

- The text says you'll succeed if you have

a) good looks, personality, a photo portfolio and the help of a good agency	b) good looks, personality and a photo portfolio	c) good looks and personality
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- The news about Nick's modelling career has been

a) surprising	b) boring	c) disappointing
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- Nick knows the modelling career is

a) long	b) not very long	c) realistic
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PART B

WRITING

10 marks

Use 90 to 110 words to write a postcard to a friend from a holiday place. Use this plan.

PLAN

Paragraph 1

- Say hello and how you are
- Where are you? Describe the place
- Describe the weather

Paragraph 2

- How long have you been there?
- What have you done?
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Paragraph 3

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