



**ENGLISH EXAM A2
SPELLING & LISTENING
3rd Trimester**

Read carefully, and follow the directions.

I. Dictation. Listen to the teacher and write.

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LISTENING

(Tests CD, Track 11)

II.  You are going to hear an animal welfare officer talking about a problem. Listen and decide if the statements are true (T), false (F) or not mentioned (NM).

- 1 The most popular pets in the UK are cats. T/F/NM
- 2 Keeping some unusual pets isn't allowed. T/F/NM
- 3 Some animals die because they haven't got a lot of space. T/F/NM
- 4 The speaker usually looks for these animals on boats. T/F/NM
- 5 Some criminals sell birds' eggs from the UK to other countries. T/F/NM
- 6 Unusual pets are difficult to look after. T/F/NM
- 7 It isn't safe to keep some unusual pets. T/F/NM
- 8 The sellers take good care of the animals when they are travelling. T/F/NM
- 9 People sell these animals because they want good homes for them. T/F/NM
- 10 The sellers have to go to prison. T/F/NM

III.  You are going to hear a radio advertisement. Listen and complete the information in the notes.

Sharp Shopping Centre

Opening day: (1) _____ 15th September

(2) _____ : Susie Burrows opens the centre

11.00: the shops open for business

Look out for bargains and (3) _____ gifts

The Chocolate Shop: free chocolate bars and cakes

Party for (4) _____ : 2.00–3.30

Food: (5) _____ and biscuits

Band: *Leather*

IV. Match the descriptions (1–5) to the personality adjectives (a–e). Select the correct option from the menu.

1. He always does his homework and usually does more exercises, too. _____
2. She is always happy and she smiles a lot. _____
3. They never help in the house and they don't like doing exercise. _____
4. He hates spending money on other people and paying for things. _____
5. They find it hard to talk to people they don't know well. _____

- a. cheerful
- b. hard-working
- c. lazy
- d. tight
- e. shy

V. Choose the correct alternative to complete each sentence.

- 1 Jellyfish/Foggy live in the water. They have soft bodies and can be dangerous if you touch them.
- 2 Meerkats/Butterflies are insects. They've got colourful wings. They aren't dangerous.
- 3 Sharks/Whales live in the sea and they've got a lot of teeth. They are fish and some are dangerous.
- 4 Wolves/Penguins are birds, but they can't fly. They're black and white.

VI. Complete the sentences with the words in the box. Drag onto the line.

watch / tights / cardigan / swimsuit / tracksuit

1. Lara is going to the pool, so she's got her _____ in her bag.
2. We've got PE now, so I'm wearing my trainers and a _____ with a T-shirt. I'm not wearing a sweatshirt or joggers.
3. It's not very warm, so I've got a _____ over my blouse.
4. In winter I don't wear socks or leggings with my skirts. I wear _____ to keep my legs warm.
5. It shows you the time. A lot of people wear one on their left wrist. _____

VI. Complete the sentences with the correct words. Select A,B, or C from the menu.

Do you know who 1 _____ the plane? It was Wilbur and Orville Wright. The first thing they 2 _____ were the wings. They watched birds fly and drew their ideas. When they were happy with their best idea, it was time to 3 _____ their first plane so they could use it. They 4 _____ it with metal and other materials and finally it was ready. When Wilbur 5 _____ it for the first time, he was able to fly for 59 seconds! Nowadays, we have modern planes, but we want to make them better. Could you 6 _____ a better, faster plane? If so, we want to hear from you!

1 A discovered	B tested	C invented
2 A designed	B composed	C discovered
3 A compose	B produce	C plan
4 A discovered	B developed	C built
5 A tested	B planned	C created
6 A compose	B create	C discover