



## CEI 6th LEVEL MID TERM EXAM

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### GRAMMAR AND VOCABULARY ( 20)

#### 1. COMPLETE WITH GERUND OR INFINITIVE

- a. Dan enjoys \_\_\_\_\_ science fiction movies (Watch)
- b. Where did you learn \_\_\_\_\_ Spanish? Was it in Spain or in Latin America? (Speak)
- c. Debbie plans \_\_\_\_\_ abroad next year. (Travel)
- d. I don't know what \_\_\_\_\_ (do), between \_\_\_\_\_ (go) To Canada or \_\_\_\_\_ (visit) my mom.

#### 2. USE THE CORRECT MODAL VERB FOR EACH SENTENCE. DRAG AND DROP.

MUST

MUSTN'T

HAVE TO

DON'T HAVE TO

- a. This is a restaurant you \_\_\_\_\_ Smoke here!
- b. This museum is free entrance you \_\_\_\_\_ pay.
- c. Stop the car! My mom needs some shops, you \_\_\_\_\_ Stop.
- d. My room is a Mess, I \_\_\_\_\_ clean it, for my mental health.

**3. COMPLETE USING SHOULD OR SHOULDN'T. MATCH WITH A LINE.**

"Peter is trying to have a healthy life, match what we should or shouldn't do to get it.



**SHOULD**

- a. Eat fruits, vegetables and water.
- b. Go to bed very late

c. Do exercise

**SHOULDN'T**

d. Smoke

**4. Complete using the first conditional.**

a. If I \_\_\_\_\_ (get) back late, My mom \_\_\_\_\_ (be) angry

b. I \_\_\_\_\_ (be) very surprised if He \_\_\_\_\_ (come)

- c. If I \_\_\_\_\_(not go) to bed early, I \_\_\_\_\_( be) tired tomorrow.
- d. She \_\_\_\_\_(travel) to Paris if she \_\_\_\_\_(get) a new job.

**5. CHOOSE THE CORRECT VERB:**


- a. When did you KNOW / MEET your husband?
- b. Did you SAY / TELL Marcus about the party?
- c. If we don't run, we will MISS/ LOSE the train
- d. I really WAIT/ HOPE she's passed the exam
- e. My mother always CARRIES/ WEARS a lot of jewelry.

## READING (10)

Read carefully and answer

### Why are the British so bad at learning languages?

Michael Reece has lived and worked in France for fifteen years.

 The British are bad at speaking foreign languages. It's a fact. In any city around Europe you can find British tourists asking for the restaurant menu in English. At best they will try to say a couple of phrases they have learnt from a phrase book, but they will stop **making an effort** the moment they discover the waiter knows a little English.

I read a **survey** once which found that only 5% of British people could count to 20 in another language. So why is this? I think laziness is possibly the **key factor**. There is a general feeling among British people that 'everyone speaks English nowadays so it's not worth learning other languages'. In multinational companies English is often the official language of communication within the company. Also, British people who live abroad can always find other British expatriates to talk to, to watch British TV with, even to go to British pubs with – all reasons for never **bothering** to learn the local language.

The situation in British schools doesn't help. Ten years ago, about 80% of children at secondary school studied a foreign language. Today, that number has gone down to 48%. And even the few pupils who study foreign languages at school don't have as many hours of classes as pupils in other European countries. I think it is also a problem that British children don't study English grammar any more, which makes it more difficult for them to learn the grammar of another language.

1. What does Michael think is the main reason the British aren't good at speaking languages?



**b** Read the article again and tick the reasons why, according to the writer, the British are bad at languages.

- 1 ☐ British people rarely travel abroad.
- 2 ☐ English is an international language.
- 3 ☐ British people who live abroad often find the local language too difficult to learn.
- 4 ☐ British people who live abroad often don't socialize with the local people.
- 5 ☐ Language teachers in British schools are not very good.
- 6 ☐ Many British secondary school pupils don't study a foreign language.
- 7 ☐ British children don't know enough about their own grammar.
- 8 ☐ British people don't want to waste money learning languages.

## LISTENING (10)

Listen and answer

1.

Write a number (1–6) to put these tips in the order that you hear them.

.....	Turn off your music.
.....	Take away the things that stop you working.
.....	Turn off your phone.
.....	Have something to eat and drink on your desk.
.....	Put your pet outside.
.....	Turn off your instant messages.

## 2. Choose true or false

1.	Tom doesn't know how to start studying.	<i>True</i>	<i>False</i>
2.	Tom's mum thinks that music helps people study.	<i>True</i>	<i>False</i>
3.	Tom puts the dog outside.	<i>True</i>	<i>False</i>
4.	Tom's mum recommends having a sandwich on the desk.	<i>True</i>	<i>False</i>
5.	Tom doesn't want to turn off his phone at first.	<i>True</i>	<i>False</i>
6.	Tom needs the internet to study.	<i>True</i>	<i>False</i>
7.	Tom's going to turn off his messages.	<i>True</i>	<i>False</i>
8.	Tom thinks his mum has helped him.	<i>True</i>	<i>False</i>

## WRITING (10)

YOU WANT TO ENROLL IN A SPORT CLUB TO PRACTICE A SPORT( YOU CHOOSE) . THERE IS A RECOGNIZED CLUB. WRITE AN EMAIL ASKING FOR INFORMATION ABOUT THE COURSES ( PRICE, SCHEDULES, PLACES...ETC) (150 WORDS)

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To:	
Subject:	Information about courses