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American
ENGLISH FILE
SECOND EDITION

TENTH CYCLE EXAM
LOW- INTERMEDIATE LEVEL – (1 hour 40 minutes)

PART 1
QUESTIONS 1 – 5
What do the signs mean? Choose the best answer for each notice A, B, C.

Example:

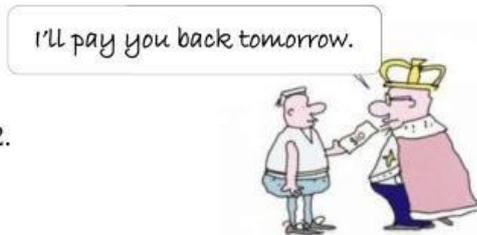| 0	B

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Meat or fish?
I'll have the steak, please.

A) He's making a promise.
B) He's making a decision.
C) He's offering to do something.

1.
I'll always love you.

A) He's making a promise.
B) He's making a decision.
C) He's offering to do something.

2.
I'll pay you back tomorrow.

A) He's making a promise.
B) He's making a decision.
C) He's offering to do something.

3.
I'll open the window.

A) She's making a promise.
B) She's making a decision.
C) She's offering to do something.

4.
I'll help you!

A) They're making a promise.
B) They're making a decision.
C) They're offering to do something.

5.
Yes, it's very nice. I'll take it.

A) She's making a promise.
B) She's making a decision.
C) She's offering to do something.

PART 2
QUESTIONS 6-10
The people below want to know about their future. There are descriptions of the horoscope for this month at the half of this page. Match the people and their Horoscope signs. There is one letter, which you **DO NOT** need to use.

6.- **Sofia** is thirty years old. She's single and likes meeting new people. She doesn't have a boyfriend so she wants to meet that special person. She prefers someone from work because she thinks they'll have more things in common. She likes bright colors.   ....

7.- **Mario** is a young man who works all the time. He doesn't see his family very often because he's trying to save money. He would like to spend more time with his family from time to time. His family understands him so they don't complain about it.   ....

8.- **Laura** is a student at a private university. Her parents always give her money but lately they have financial problems. Laura loves going shopping on weekends. Her friends think she's very lucky. Although she's happy, she thinks money won't make her happy forever.   ....

9.- **Javier** is an accountant who has worked all his life, but he's very happy because he has good friends who always help him when he has problems. Javier is very sociable and friendly. His birthday is next Friday but he has to work that day.   ....

10.- **Roxana** is a secretary who works at a travel agency. She doesn't believe in luck. She thinks buying lottery tickets is a waste of time. She'd like to win something one day. She's always prepared to travel but she never wins anything. She has many friends around the world and she would like to visit them one day.   ....

A. **Taurus** You'll have a very busy social life this month. Your friends will throw a surprise party for you, and you'll make new friends, too. Orange will be your lucky color.

B. **Aquarius** You'll be lucky in love this month! You'll meet somebody new at work, and you'll start a new relationship. Red will be your lucky color.

C. **Pisces** Your family will be very important this month. Try to spend more time with them, and they'll be very glad to see you. Green we'll be your lucky color.

D. **Aries** You'll have to be very careful with money this month. You won't be able to buy any new clothes. However, you will get a nice surprise at the end of the month. Blue will be your lucky color.

E. **Cancer** This will be a great month for travel! You'll win a vacation, so have your passport ready. You'll also travel a lot in this country, and you'll visit some old friends. Yellow will be your lucky color.

F. **Gemini** You won't have a very good month at work. Your boss will give you some bad news, but don't worry you won't lose your job. Work hard and next month will be better. Purple will be your lucky color.

PART 3
QUESTIONS 11-20
Read the text below and choose the correct word for each space.
Example:

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0   A. are   B. do   C. will   D. did

When (0) _will_ **we have robots**? We already have many kinds (11)............... robots! Industries use a variety of robots and now robots are becoming (12)............... common in the home. The Husqvarna Company makes a lawn mowing robot called the Auto Mower. The robot has sensors that detect (13)............... objects are in the yard and it maneuvers around them. Also, Eureka now makes a robotic vacuum cleaner. it automatically detects where the (14)............... is and vacuums around it. Cars are becoming robots now that (15)............... cars have GPS (Global Positioning Systems) on them. A car with a GPS system can give you directions on how to go (16)............... , tell you where the closest gas station is, and, some day in the future, will drive itself. You will take a nap or read while the car drives itself to your destination. We even have robotic pets now. The Sony Company (17)............... a robotic dog named Aibo that can sit, stand, and walk like a regular dog but (18)............... also communicate and take pictures! Aibo understands certain commands, like a dog does, such as "Sit down", "Stand up", "Turn right", etc. If you ask Aibo a question such as "How old are you?", (19)............... eyes will flash the number of years old it is. Aibo is (20)............... a great guard dog. He can patrol the yard and take pictures with a built in camera of anything suspicious.

11.	A	on	B	at	C	in	D	of
12.	A	than	B	the	C	most	D	more
13.	A	than	B	that	C	where	D	which
14.	A	boss	B	house	C	furniture	D	roof
15.	A	a lot	B	much	C	many	D	any
16.	A	somebody	B	somewhere	C	anybody	D	anything
17.	A	do	B	makes	C	push	D	pull
18.	A	can't	B	aren't	C	can	D	is
19.	A	your	B	my	C	its	D	our
20.	A	going	B	running	C	also	D	for

PART 4
QUESTIONS 21 – 30
Complete the email. Write **ONE SUITABLE WORD** for each space.
Example:

Hi there,

Jonah recently moved to a new school. He likes it better (0)_____ _than_ _____ his old school. In fact it's the best school he's ever been (21)............... . The teachers are the nicest and (22)............... helpful he's ever had. The classrooms are the biggest and cleanest he's (23)............... seen. Every classroom has at least three computers in it. The library (24)............... also really amazing! There are tons of great books, magazines and movies. The library has (25)............... most comfortable couches that students can sit in while they read. The cafeteria food is the (26)............... delicious he's ever (27)............... anywhere. Their spaghetti is Jonah's favorite dish. The students at his new school (28)............... the friendliest he's ever met. Jonah (29)............... already made many new friends. His new (30)............... is also very well known for high achievement.

P.S: Jonah's absolutely happy there.

Thanks,

Your Ex-wife.

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PART 5
QUESTIONS 31 - 35
Make **DEFINITIONS** using these words. You have an example at the beginning.

(0) A castle (n)   *it's an old building where kings lived in the past* .

31. A church (n) ....

32. A museum (n) ....

33. A store (n) ....

34. A pessimist (n) ....

35. A dream (n) ....

PART 6
QUESTIONS 36 – 40
Make **SENTENCES** using these word You have an example at the beginning.

(0) afraid of (adj)   *I'm afraid of talking to Mr. Smith. He's very strict* .

36. famous for (adj) ....

37. bad at (adj) ....

38. interested in (adj) ....

39. nice to (adj) ....

40. goo at (adj) ....

PART 7
QUESTIONS 41 - 45
Put the verbs in the right form to complete the conversation. You have an example at the beginning.

(0) Friend 1: What *are* we *doing* tonight? (do)

41. Friend 2: we................................. to the movies with Mike and John. (go)

42. Friend 1: But we .... to the movies with them yesterday! (go)

43. Friend 2: Yes, but they .... to tell us some good news. (want)

44. Friend 1: Oh, OK I .... them a present then. (buy)

45. Friend 2: Well, hurry up. Look at the time. We .... late! (be)

PART 8
QUESTIONS 46 – 50
Complete the sentences with Comparatives or Superlatives. You have an example at the beginning.

(0) Men drive _____ *more dangerously* _____ (dangerous) than women.

46. Carla is .... (pretty) than Stephanie.

47. For me Issa Bolt is the .... (fast) man in the world.

48. Unfortunately, I'm not .... (good) as you in French.

49. My brother sings .... (beautiful) than me.

50. Falling is the .... (bad) thing that could happen to you in Ballet.

PART 9
QUESTIONS 51 – 55
Complete the sentences with **ONE WORD**. The first letter is there to help you.

(0) Could I ____ *borrow* ____ your bike from you until next week?

51. I'll have to c................................. the 9.45 train to London.

52. Jessica was pushing, but she had to p................................. at the door!

53. I'm so happy because I g................................. Jenny's letter last night.

54. John is throwing a party tonight because he p................................. his driving test yesterday.

55. I'm depressed because I f................................. my exam this morning.

PART 10
QUESTIONS 56 – 60
Choose the word with a **DIFFERENT** sound.

56.	A. bl**ow**	B. thr**ow**	C. d**ow**n
57.	A. w**o**n't	B. l**o**t	C. b**o**x
58.	A. n**o**ne	B. en**ou**gh	C. b**u**sy
59.	A. sh**ou**ld	B. f**ew**	C. f**oo**d
60.	A. m**a**ny	B. **a**ny	C. l**i**ttle

PART 11
QUESTIONS 61 – 65
Choose the correct stress in these words.

61.　　A **co**mplain　　　　B com**plain**　　　　C **complain**

62.　　A **pro**mise　　　　B pro**mise**　　　　C **promise**

63.　　A **re**ceive　　　　B re**cei**ve　　　　C recei**ve**

64.　　A **o**ffer　　　　B o**ffer**　　　　C **offer**

65.　　A **de**pend　　　　B de**pend**　　　　C **depend**

PART 11
Questions 76 – 90

Listening 1:. Listen to the conversation. Check (☑) A or B.

66. 1　Anne and Robbie have just told their families about their engagement.

　　A True ☐　B False ☐

67. 2　They are going out for a romantic dinner later.

　　A True ☐　B False ☐

68. 3　They are probably going to get married abroad.

　　A True ☐　B False ☐

69. 4　Sally doesn't offer to pay Anne the money back.

　　A True ☐　B False ☐

70. 5　After the wedding, Anne and Sally probably won't be friends.

　　A True ☐　B False ☐

Listening 2 Listen to five people talking about a dream they had. Match the speakers with what they think their dream means (A–E).

71. Speaker 1 _____

72. Speaker 2 _____

73. Speaker 3 _____

74. Speaker 4 _____

75. Speaker 5 _____

　　A　I won't pass my test.

　　B　I'll be a famous musician.

　　C　I won't have any money.

　　D　I'll fall in love.

　　E　I won't win the match.

Total : 75 checks = 20%

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