

Test 4

LISTENING

SECTION 1 *Questions 1–10*

Questions 1–6

Complete the notes below.

Write **ONE WORD ONLY** for each answer.

THORNDYKE'S BUILDERS

Example

Customer heard about Thorndyke's from a friend

Name: Edith 1

Address: Flat 4,

2 Park Flats

(Behind the 3)

Phone number: 875934

Best time to contact customer: during the 4

Where to park: opposite entrance next to the 5

Needs full quote showing all the jobs and the 6

Questions 7–10

Complete the table below.

Write **ONE WORD ONLY** for each answer.

Area	Work to be done	Notes
Kitchen	Replace the 7 in the door	Fix tomorrow
	Paint wall above the 8	Strip paint and plaster approximately one 9 in advance
Garden	One 10 needs replacing (end of garden)	

SECTION 2 *Questions 11–20*

Questions 11–15

Choose the correct letter, **A**, **B** or **C**.

MANHAM PORT

11 Why did a port originally develop at Manham?

A It was safe from enemy attack.
B It was convenient for river transport.
C It had a good position on the sea coast.

12 What caused Manham's sudden expansion during the Industrial Revolution?

A the improvement in mining techniques
B the increase in demand for metals
C the discovery of tin in the area

13 Why did rocks have to be sent away from Manham to be processed?

A shortage of fuel
B poor transport systems
C lack of skills among local people

14 What happened when the port declined in the twentieth century?

A The workers went away.
B Traditional skills were lost.
C Buildings were used for new purposes.

15 What did the Manham Trust hope to do?

A discover the location of the original port
B provide jobs for the unemployed
C rebuild the port complex

Questions 16–20

Complete the table below.

Write **NO MORE THAN TWO WORDS** for each answer.

Tourist attractions in Manham		
Place	Features and activities	Advice
copper mine	specially adapted miners' 16 take visitors into the mountain	the mine is 17 and enclosed – unsuitable for children and animals
village school	classrooms and a special exhibition of 18	a 19 is recommended
'The George' (old sailing ship)	the ship's wheel (was lost but has now been restored)	children shouldn't use the 20

SECTION 3 Questions 21–30

Questions 21 and 22

Choose **TWO** letters, **A–E**.

Which **TWO** skills did Laura improve as a result of her work placement?

- A** communication
- B** design
- C** IT
- D** marketing
- E** organisation

Questions 23 and 24

Choose **TWO** letters, **A–E**.

Which **TWO** immediate benefits did the company get from Laura's work placement?

- A** updates for its software
- B** cost savings
- C** an improved image
- D** new clients
- E** a growth in sales

Questions 25–30

What source of information should Tim use at each of the following stages of the work placement?

Choose **SIX** answers from the box and write the correct letter, **A–G**, next to questions 25–30.

Sources of information

- A** company manager
- B** company's personnel department
- C** personal tutor
- D** psychology department
- E** mentor
- F** university careers officer
- G** internet

Stages of the work placement procedure

- 25** obtaining booklet
- 26** discussing options
- 27** getting updates
- 28** responding to invitation for interview
- 29** informing about outcome of interview
- 30** requesting a reference

SECTION 4 Questions 31–40

Questions 31–33

Choose the correct letter, **A**, **B** or **C**.

Nanotechnology: technology on a small scale

31 The speaker says that one problem with nanotechnology is that

- A** it could threaten our way of life.
- B** it could be used to spy on people.
- C** it is misunderstood by the public.

32 According to the speaker, some scientists believe that nano-particles

- A** should be restricted to secure environments.
- B** should be used with more caution.
- C** should only be developed for essential products.

33 In the speaker's opinion, research into nanotechnology

- A** has yet to win popular support.
- B** could be seen as unethical.
- C** ought to be continued.

Questions 34–40

Complete the notes below.

Write **ONE WORD ONLY** for each answer.

Uses of Nanotechnology

Transport

- Nanotechnology could allow the development of stronger 34
- Planes would be much lighter in weight.
- 35 travel will be made available to the masses.

Technology

- Computers will be even smaller, faster, and will have a greater 36
- 37 energy will become more affordable.

The Environment

- Nano-robots could rebuild the ozone layer.
- Pollutants such as 38 could be removed from water more easily.
- There will be no 39 from manufacturing.

Health and Medicine

- New methods of food production could eradicate famine.
- Analysis of medical 40 will be speeded up.
- Life expectancy could be increased.