
TASK 2

In this section, you are going to hear a true story about Muhammad Ali, the famous boxer.

- Your task is to give short answers to the questions below using the exact words you hear.
- First, you will have some time to look at the task, and then we will play the whole recording in one piece.
- Then, after a short pause, you will hear the recording again, but this time we will play the text in shorter sections to give you enough time to write down your answers.



✓ *When did Ali change his name?*

In ... 1964

9. What was the religious movement that Ali joined called?

It was called the

10. What two animals did Ali mention in his statement?

He mentioned a(n) and a(n)

11. What did Ali and his friend decide to visit?

They decided to visit a(n)

12. Where did they leave their bikes?

They left their bikes

13. What did they eat?

They ate hot dogs and

14. Where in the basement did Ali find Joe Martin?

He found him in the

15. After they filled out a police report, what did Joe Martin hand Ali?

He handed him a(n)

16. What did Joe Martin teach Ali?

He taught him the

17. What did Ali win in 1960?

He won

That is the end of Task 2.

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TASK 3

- In this section you will hear a story about an outstanding British sportsman, Peter Keenan.
- Your task will be to decide whether the following statements are true, false or we do not know because the text does not say, and write the appropriate letter in the boxes on the right. Write A if the statement is true, write B if the statement is false, and write C if the text does not say.
- First, you will have some time to look at the task, and then we will play the whole recording in one piece.
- Then, you will hear the recording again, but this time we will play the text in shorter sections to give you enough time to write down your answers.
- A = TRUE B = FALSE C = THE TEXT DOES NOT SAY



✓ *Athletes always react better in dangerous situations or under pressure than others.* **B**

17. The story the presenter is telling us happened towards the end of Keenan's career.

18. At the time of the match, Freddie Gilroy was obviously weaker than Peter Keenan.

19. Freddie Gilroy was more than ten years younger than Keenan.

20. The presenter accompanied Peter Keenan to the match.

21. On the plane, some people suggested that he shouldn't take the match very seriously.

22. Peter Keenan was sure that he was still better than his challenger.

23. Keenan was knocked down several times during the fight.

24. The presenter sat next to Peter Keenan on the airplane on the way back to Britain.

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That is the end of TASK 3, and also the end of the Listening Exam.

TASK 3

In this section, you are going to hear a radio interview with Zlatan Ibrahimović, the Swedish football superstar, talking about his childhood.

- Your task is to circle the letter(s) of the correct answer(s) in the boxes on the right. Please note that in this task both answers may be correct. However, there is always at least one correct answer. This means you will have to circle one or two letters.
- First, you will have some time to look at the task, and then we will play the whole recording in one piece.
- Then, after a short pause, you will hear the recording again, but this time we will play the text in shorter sections to give you enough time to make your decision about your answers.



✓ Zlatan's parents are from ...

A) Croatia.
B) Bosnia.

A	B
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18. Rosengård ...

A) was considered a bad area.
B) has changed for the better.

A	B
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19. Zlatan thinks that the area he came from made him ...

A) tough.
B) self-confident.

A	B
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20. Zlatan ...

A) feels bad about the place where he came from.
B) thinks that his example can be followed.

A	B
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21. After Zlatan's parents got divorced, he ...

A) accepted his stepfather quite easily.
B) lost a lot of weight.

A	B
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22. Zlatan ...

A) stole bikes to get to football trainings.
B) used the postman's bike for a long time.

A	B
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23. Zlatan ...

A) bought a shop for his old friends.
B) understands why his friends still steal.

A	B
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24. Zlatan's headmistress ...

A) said Zlatan was among the worst pupils she had ever had.
B) thought Zlatan would get into serious trouble one day.

A	B
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25. Zlatan admits that he ...

A) was a noisy and violent pupil.
B) sometimes only went to school to eat.

A	B
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That is the end of TASK 3, and also the end of the Listening Exam.

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