

PLACEMENT TEST – IELTS FOUNDATION

LISTENING (10 MINUTES)

Complete the notes below.

Write **NO MORE THAN ONE WORD AND/OR A NUMBER** in each gap.

BANK ACCOUNT OPENING FORM

Type of account: deposit account

Name of account decided on: 1. _____

Customer's name: 2. _____ Fox

Date of Birth: 3. _____ 1970

Current address: 4. 10, _____ House South Quay

Duration of time living there: about 5. _____ month(s)

Address (before): Flat 3, Canada House 6. _____ Street, Edinburgh

Office number: 02072356735

Home number: 7. _____

Occupation: 8.

Identity (security): Name of his 9. Monica

The account opening sum: 10. £.....

READING (15 MINUTES)

Read the text below and answer Questions 9-14.

The Amazing Koala

The koala is an iconic Australian animal. Often called the 'koala bear', it is not a bear but a marsupial, meaning that the young are carried in a pouch. They are well known for their large, round head, big furry ears, and large, black nose.

Koalas live in the eucalyptus forests of southeastern and eastern Australia. They have a very specialised diet, eating only the leaves of eucalyptus trees. An adult koala eats about one kilogram of leaves each night. This diet is toxic to most other animals, but koalas have a special digestive system that can break down the tough leaves. Because eucalyptus leaves provide very little energy, koalas spend most of their time sleeping – sometimes up to 20 hours a day!

A baby koala is called a 'joey'. When it is born, it is only about 2 centimetres long, blind, and has no fur. It crawls into its mother's pouch immediately after birth and stays there for about six months, drinking only milk. After leaving the pouch, the joey rides on its mother's back for another few months, learning how to find leaves to eat.

Unfortunately, koalas are facing several threats. Their habitat is disappearing due to deforestation for housing and agriculture. They are also at risk from bushfires and diseases. Conservation groups are working hard to protect these unique animals and their forest homes.

Questions 9-14 *Do the following statements agree with the information given in the text? Write:*

- **TRUE** if the statement agrees with the information
- **FALSE** if the statement contradicts the information
- **NOT GIVEN** if there is no information on this

9. The koala is a type of bear.

10. Koalas get a lot of energy from eucalyptus leaves.

11. A newborn koala cannot see.

12. Joeys drink their mother's milk for one year.

13. Koalas are threatened by the loss of their homes.

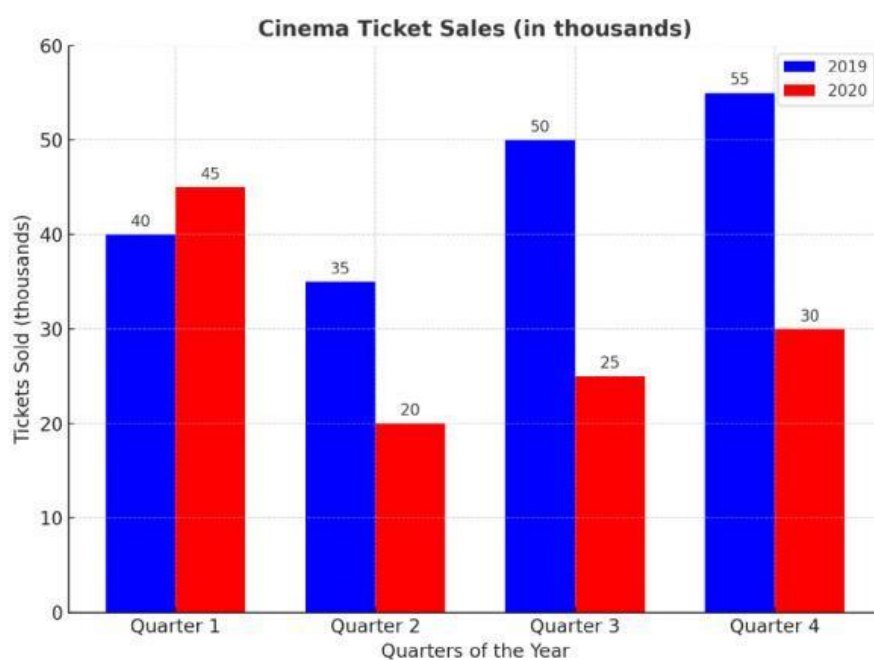
14. The Australian government has a successful plan to protect koalas.

PHẦN 3: WRITING (30 phút)

WRITING TASK 1 *You should spend about 30 minutes on this task.*

The chart below shows the number of tickets sold for the cinema in a small town in 2019 and 2020.

Summarise the information by selecting and reporting the main features, and make comparisons where relevant.



PHẦN 4: SPEAKING (10-15 phút)

3 PARTS