

IELTS Practice Listening Test

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Section 1

Complete the notes below. Write **NO MORE THAN THREE WORDS AND/OR A NUMBER** for each answer. There is one example.

Type of event: Dragon Boat Race

Day and date: 1 _____

Place: Brighton 2 _____

Registration time: 3 _____

Sponsorship

- Aim to raise over 4 _____ pounds as a team and get a free t-shirt
- Free prize draw for trip to 5 _____

Team details

- Must have crew of 20 and elect a 6 _____
- Participants under 18 need to have 7 _____ to enter
- Need to hire 8 _____
- Advised to bring extra 9 _____
- Must choose a 10 _____ for the team

Section 2

Questions 11-15. Complete the notes below. Write **NO MORE THAN THREE WORDS AND/OR A NUMBER** for each answer.

Pictures of kiwis are found on 11 _____

The name 'kiwi' comes from its 12 _____

The kiwi has poor sight but a good 13 _____

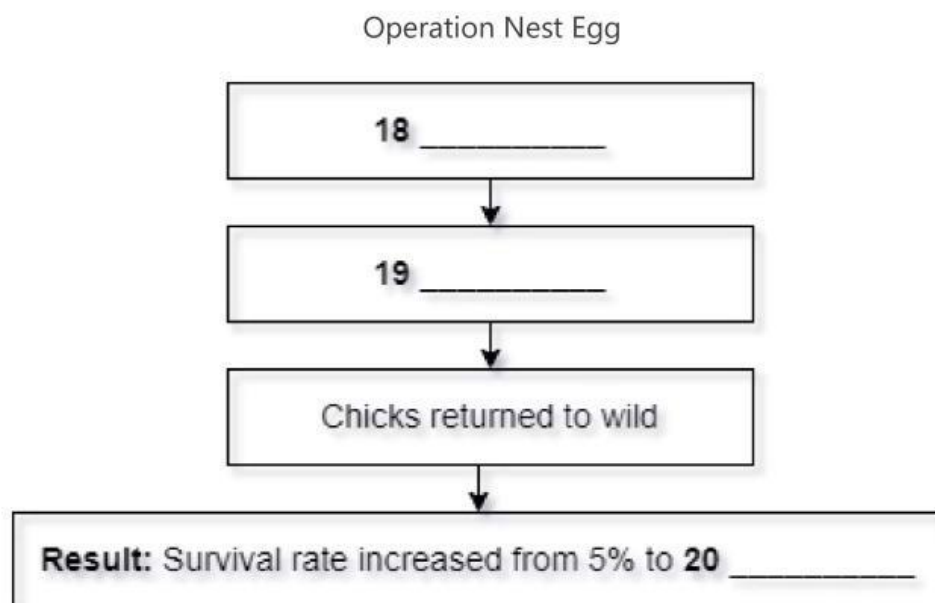
Kiwis cannot 14 _____

Kiwis are endangered by 15 _____

Questions 16 and 17. Complete the notes below. Write **NO MORE THAN THREE WORDS AND/OR A NUMBER** for each answer.

Stage of program	Program involves
16 _____	Looking at kiwi survival needs
Action	Putting science into practice
17 _____	Schools and the website

Questions 18-20. Complete the flowchart below. Write **NO MORE THAN THREE WORDS AND/OR A NUMBER** for each answer.



Section 3

Questions 21-24. Choose the right answer **A-C**.

21. The professor says that super highways

- A** lead to better lifestyles.
- B** are a feature of wealthy cities.
- C** result in more city suburbs.

22. The student thinks people

- A** like the advantages of the suburbs.
B rarely go into the city for entertainment.
C enjoy living in the city.

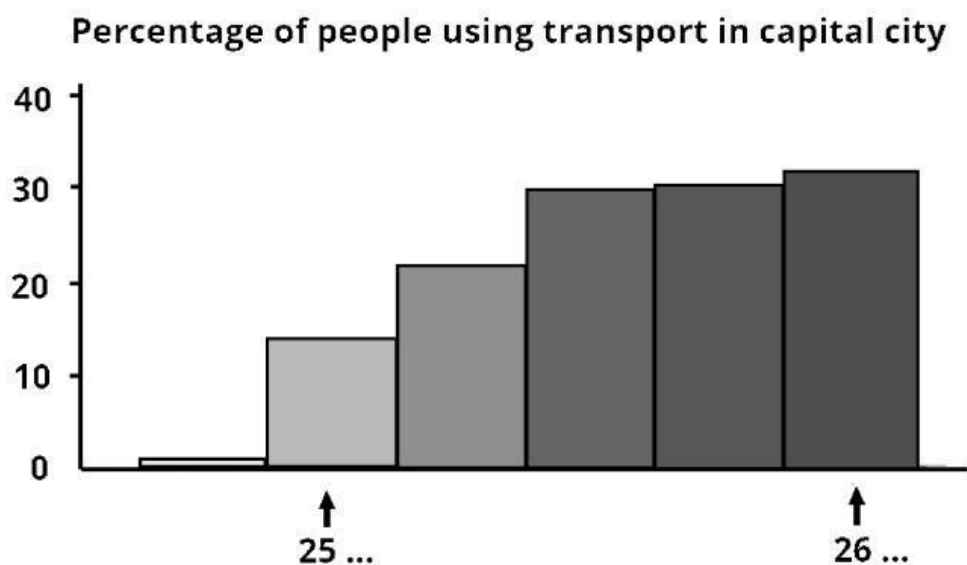
23. The professor suggests that in five years' time

- A** City Link will be choked by traffic.
- B** public transport will be more popular.
- C** roads will cost ten times more to build.

24. The student believes that highways

- A** encourage a higher standard of driving.
B result in lower levels of pollution.
C discourage the use of old cars.

Questions 25 and 26. Label the graphs below.



25 _____

26 _____

Questions 27 and 28. Choose **TWO** letters **A-F**. Which **TWO** facts are mentioned about Copenhagen?

- A** live street theatre encouraged
- B** 30% of citizens walk to work
- C** introduction of parking metres
- D** annual reduction of parking spots
- E** free city bicycles
- F** free public transport

Questions 29 and 30. Choose **TWO** letters **A-F**. Which **TWO** reasons are given for the low popularity of public transport?

- A** buses slower than cars
- B** low use means reduced service
- C** private cars safer
- D** public transport expensive
- E** frequent stopping inconvenient
- F** making connections takes time

Section 4

Question 31 and 32. Complete the notes below. Write **NO MORE THAN THREE WORDS AND/OR A NUMBER** for each answer.

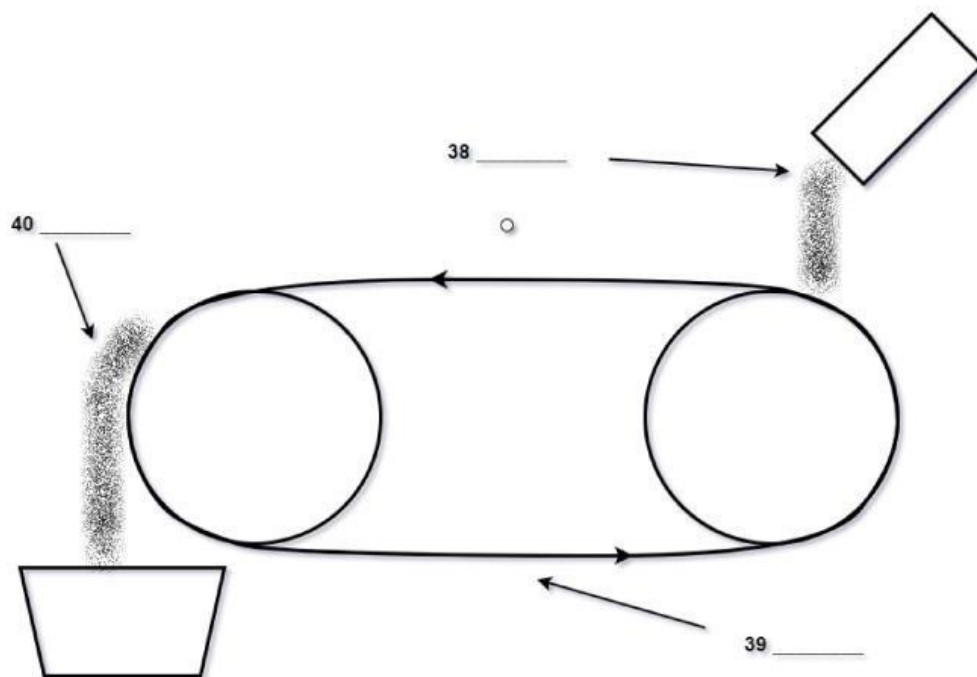
Reasons for preserving food

- Available all year
- For **31** _____
- In case of **32** _____

Question 33-37. Complete the table. Write **NO MORE THAN THREE WORDS AND/OR A NUMBER** for each answer.

Method of preservation	Advantage	Disadvantage
Ultra-high temperature (UHT milk)	33 _____	Spoils the taste
Canning	Inexpensive	Risk of 34 _____
Refrigeration	Stays fresh without processing	Requires 35 _____
36 _____	Effective	Time-consuming
Drying	Long-lasting, light and 37 _____	Loses nutritional value

Question 38-40. Label the diagram. Write **NO MORE THAN THREE WORDS AND/OR A NUMBER** for each answer.



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39 _____

40 _____