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Cambridge Assessment
English

- LISTENING TEST - DEVELOPING SKILLS FOR IELTS COURSE 3

Time allowed: 30 minutes

PART 1 Question 1-10

Complete the notes below

Write NO MORE THAN TWO WORDS OR A NUMBER for each answer

NEWBRIDGE ACCOMMODATION

- **High street:** One of the main streets.
- **West street:** on the **1** _____ side of the site.
 - Supermarket
 - The old town **2** _____ will soon be replaced by a car park.
 - Railway station: buses and **3** _____ to the university are available.
- **List of flats:**
 - Flat 4: a **4** _____ is available. Contact The Newbridge Accommodation Agency for more information (the Agency's number can be found in the phone **5** _____).
 - Flat 6: has been empty for a long time.
 - Flat 8: a re-advertisement.
 - Flat 10: is advertised with an **6** _____ and a local paper *in private*.
 - Flat 14: was started by the agency officer's **7** _____.
- **Newbridge's history:**
 - Established for around **8** _____ years.
 - The residents here mostly used to work in **9** _____ factories.
 - The old factories were closed, which led to **10** _____.

PART 2 *Question 11-20*

Questions 11-14.

Choose the correct letter, A, B or C.

STARTING WORK AT HOLLIES SUPERMARKET

11. The supervisor starts her talk by explaining that employees have to

- A. be aware of the importance of teamwork.
- B. be flexible in terms of their availability.
- C. be capable of lifting heavy loads.

12. The supervisor says that when the supermarket is very busy, employees must

- A. decide for themselves what needs doing.
- B. postpone their scheduled break.
- C. report minor accidents quickly.

13. The supervisor explains that when employees have a positive attitude, it

- A. helps everyone in the supermarket to relax.
- B. encourages customers to spend more.
- C. improves work effectiveness.

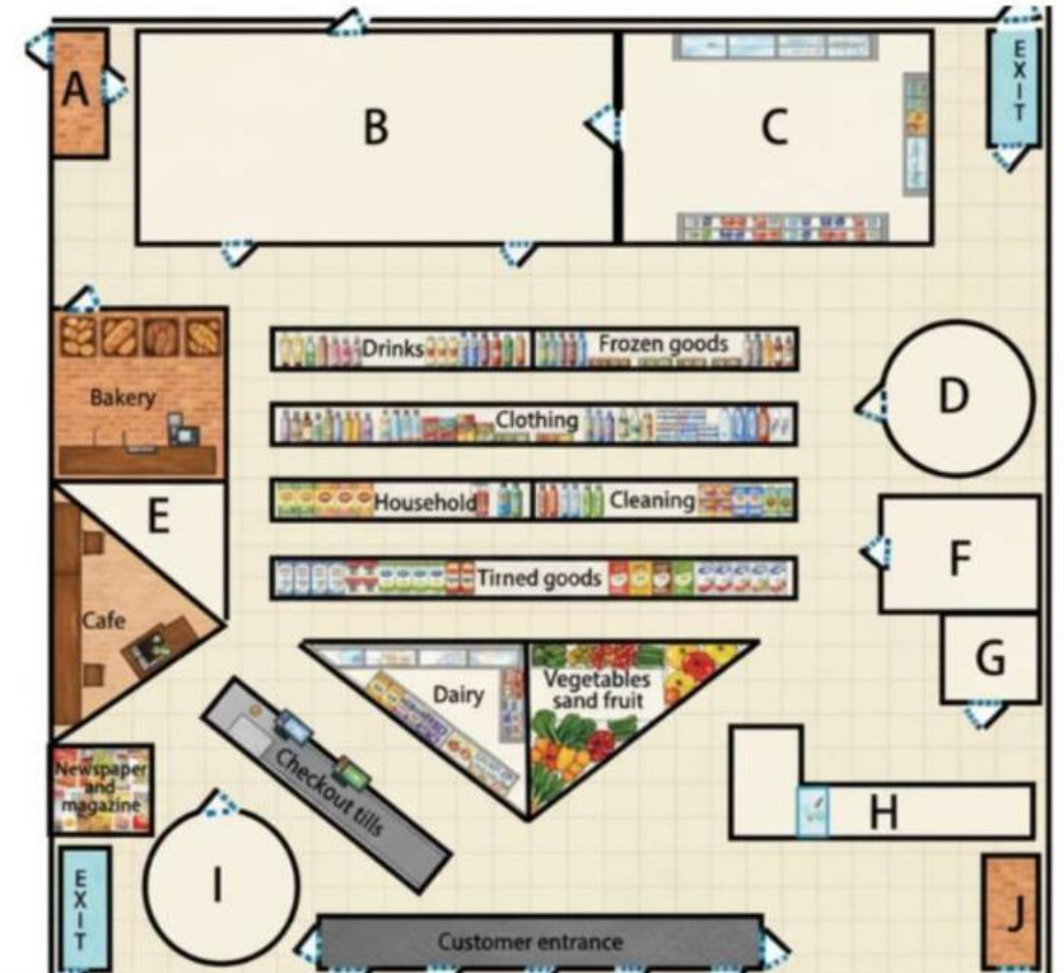
14. The supervisor says it is essential to stay calm when a customer

- A. reports an employee to the manager.
- B. delays other shoppers.
- C. refuses to wait their turn.

Questions 15-20.

Label the plan below.

Write the correct letter, A - I, next to questions 11-16



- 15. Staff entrance _____
- 16. Manager's office _____
- 17. Storage and unpacking _____
- 18. Kitchen _____
- 19. Cleaning equipment _____
- 20. Staff relaxation area _____

PART 3 Question 21-30

Questions 21-26

What reason do teachers give for using each of the following picture books with children?

Choose SIX answers from the box and write the correct letter, A-I, next to questions 21-26.

	Reasons
21. I Spy Friends _____	A. The pictures show changing times of day.
22. Goodnight Little Rabbit _____	B. The words are fun to say out loud.
23. The Boat Party _____	C. It has an uncommon plot structure.
24. Puppy and Friends _____	D. The text can easily be turned into song.
25. Hats and Socks _____	E. The pictures were done by a famous illustrator.
26. A Family Adventure _____	F. There is a surprise at the end of the story.
	G. The pictures are simple line drawings.
	H. It was published very recently.
	I. It features well-known characters.

Questions 27-28

Choose TWO letters, A-E, Which TWO points from Smith's article about picture books did both speakers find surprising?

- A. their standard length how recent the genre is
- B. the argument that they are not literature
- C. the lack of research about this age group
- D. the popularity of books from overseas
- E. the variety of versions

Questions 29-30

Choose TWO letters, A-E, Which TWO aspects of picture books do the speakers agree to talk about in their presentation?

- A. the material they are made from
- B. common characters in them
- C. the variety of roles in them
- D. cultural elements in them
- E. the future of the genre

PART 4 Question 31-40

Complete the notes below. Write ONE WORD ONLY for each answer.

GEOGRAPHY – 331 FIELD TRIP

The James Bay Road

- At the starting point of the road, everyone must stop for **31** _____.
- For safety reasons, there are **32** _____ on the highway.

Radisson Research Centre

- The Centre works with other institutes to research the region's **33** _____.
- Security is the responsibility of Hydro Quebec.
- Lectures will discuss the effect of **34** _____ on the land.
- Outpost stations gather and publish research related to variations in the **35** _____.

The Trans – Taiga Road

- The road is unpaved.
- Breakdowns are serious as car **36** _____ are expensive.
- At hydro stations, engineers will discuss hydro production and the impact of rainfall.

he Taiga

- There are not many types of **37** _____, but a good range of wildlife.
- The area known as Muskeg is dangerous as it has hidden **38** _____.
- Photographs of birds should be taken for future **39** _____.
- Water samples will be checked for **40** _____.