

Test 1

READING AND USE OF ENGLISH (1 hour 15 minutes)

Part 1

For questions 1–8, read the text below and decide which answer (A, B, C or D) best fits each gap. There is an example at the beginning (0).

Mark your answers on the separate answer sheet.

Example:

0 A choice B variety C diversity D selection

0	A	B	C	D
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Building roads with waste coffee

Used coffee grounds, which are left in coffee machines after cups of coffee have been made, are already recycled in a (0) of ways. Now a team of scientists have discovered that they can also be (1) to good use as a material for building roads.

Coffee lover and professor of geotechnical engineering Arul Arulrajah (2) the idea of using them in this way after observing workers at his favourite coffee shops in Melbourne, Australia, (3) throwing away used coffee grounds. He then (4) several experiments to find something suitable to mix with the coffee grounds to (5) the base layer under a road's (6)

According to Professor Arulrajah's estimates, the 150 kg of coffee grounds the team (7) from Melbourne's coffee houses every week could create enough material to build about five kilometres of road per year. This would (8) to a reduction in the amount of organic and industrial waste that ends up in the city's landfills.

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| 1 | A made | B put | C given | D got |
| 2 | A considered | B regarded | C acknowledged | D realised |
| 3 | A forgetfully | B carelessly | C neglectfully | D insensitively |
| 4 | A controlled | B directed | C guided | D conducted |
| 5 | A compose | B form | C position | D install |
| 6 | A covering | B ground | C surface | D exterior |
| 7 | A collects | B keeps | C saves | D stores |
| 8 | A bring | B come | C lead | D arrive |