

Section L1 (10 marks)

Listen to these six conversations and put a tick (✓) in the box which shows the correct answer to the man's question. The first one is done for you as an example.

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A. Where is Pippa going now?

to the doctor	☐	to the café	☐
to the dentist	☒	to the shops	☐

B. Who is Betty going to visit?

her brother	☐	her mother	☐
her sister	☐	her grandfather	☐

C. Why is the school football match starting later today?

The other team will arrive late.	☐	The coach has a match at another school.	☐
The field is not available in the morning.	☐	Bad weather is predicted.	☐

D. Why did Carlos leave his job in Brighton?

The salary was too low.	☐	He wanted a promotion.	☐
He had to move area.	☐	He didn't enjoy it.	☐

E. What did Raheem forget to take with him?

a bag	☐	his phone charger	☐
his phone	☐	his tablet	☐

F. How much did Janet pay for her holiday in Greece?

£150	☐	£300	☐
£450	☐	£600	☐

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Section L2 (20 marks)

Listen to this passage about the Holi festival and write the words which are missing in the spaces given. Remember to write two words in each space. The first one has been done for you as an example.

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Holi is one of India's (example) most famous religious festivals. It is mainly a *Hindu* celebration. However, ⁽¹⁾ _____, different religions celebrate together. The reason is because the event is ⁽²⁾ _____ and colourful that everyone wants to join in. The Holi festival is also ⁽³⁾ _____ the festival of colours, festival of love and festival of spring.

Holi is celebrated every year in March but the exact date ⁽⁴⁾ _____ when the last full moon of the month is. Celebrations start that evening and ⁽⁵⁾ _____ a large fire, everyone prays together. The fire ⁽⁶⁾ _____ to burn all that is bad and signal the end of winter. People ⁽⁷⁾ _____ to the next morning when the fun part of the festival starts.

Before going out in the morning, they collect balloons ⁽⁸⁾ _____ coloured water. Then, hundreds gather in the streets, dancing and throwing the balloons at other people. Everyone's faces are covered with many bright colours, for example, yellow made from the powder turmeric, which is used in cooking. Food such as *gujiya*, which is a ⁽⁹⁾ _____, _____ snack also plays a big part in the festival. At the end of the day, the ⁽¹⁰⁾ _____ is covered in colour.

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Section L3 (20 marks)

Listen to the passage about skateboarder Tony Alva and decide if the following sentences are true or false, or if the passage doesn't say. Put a tick (✓) in the correct column. There will now be a 20-second pause to allow you to read the questions.

		True	False	Doesn't say
1.	Tony Alva has more than one job.			
2.	He became interested in skateboarding in 1957.			
3.	He was very keen on surfing.			
4.	He first learnt to surf in Hawaii.			
5.	He skateboarded professionally on his own.			
6.	Alva invented a move in a swimming pool.			
7.	He started <i>Alva Skates</i> when he was 19.			
8.	He designed a product for skateboarders to wear.			
9.	He was 'Skateboarder of the Year' in 1975.			
10.	He has now given up professional skateboarding.			