ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE

Paper 4 Listening (Extended)

Candidates answer on the Question Paper.

Additional Materials: As listed in Instructions to Supervisors.

READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS FIRST

Write your Centre number, candidate number and name on all the work you hand in.
Write in dark blue or black pen.
Do not use staples, paper clips, glue or correction fluid.
DO NOT WRITE IN ANY BARCODES.

Answer all questions.
Dictionaries are not permitted.

At the end of the examination, fasten all your work securely together.
The number of marks is given in brackets [ ] at the end of each question or part question.
Questions 1–6

For questions 1–6 you will hear a series of short sentences. Answer each question on the line provided. Your answers should be as brief as possible.

You will hear each item twice.

1. What will the boy give his mother for her birthday?

2. What sort of book does the girl decide to read?

3. (a) What is Ahmed doing on Tuesday 17th November?

   (b) Give the date of his new appointment.

4. What drink does Helena choose?

5. Where did the girl find the trousers she wanted?

6. (a) Which kind of ticket is the cheapest?

   (b) When must you travel if you buy this ticket?

[Total: 8]
Question 7

Listen to the following interview with a man called Lars Eriksson, who works in a hotel made of ice. Then complete the notes below. You will hear the interview twice.

Ice hotel

Construction materials: this hotel – snow and ice
usually – ................................ and concrete

Ice room: first built by a French ........................................

Construction of hotel: November – snow sprayed onto shapes made of
................................................ acting as moulds
moulds taken away, leaving basic shape
December – artists design rooms for visitors
April – everything melts away
amount of snow needed: ..................................... tonnes

Hotel buildings include: eating/drinking facilities
a ..........................................................
guests’ rooms
glasses, beds, etc made of ice

Comfort for guests: there is a .................................... on the bed which they sleep on

Activities: sports lessons
................................................ in the wild
a sled ride

[Total: 7]
Question 8

Listen to the following talk about a space craft and the gold disc that it carries. Then complete the following details. You will hear the talk twice.

Voyager 1 and the golden disc

The space craft
1977: started its journey from Earth
2012: first space vehicle to travel so far – ......................... km [1]
Width: 3.7 metres Weight: 722 kilos
Size: similar to a ................................................. [1]
Knowledge gained: proof of .................................. on one of Jupiter’s moons [1]
Very limited ........................................ on board [1]
Will send no more information after the year ......................... [1]

The golden disc
Contains images: different people’s suggestions
children: animals
young adults: ....................... [1]
older people: famous people from the past
Contains sounds: music from around the world
sounds from the world of nature, e.g. .......................... [1]
Purpose: for people in the future, to show the ...................... of life on Earth [1]
The disc cover: made of metal
includes ............................ [1]

[Total: 9]
Question 9

Listen to the following talk about a famous sportsman, Usain Bolt, and then answer the questions below.

You will hear the talk twice.

(a) In the 2012 Olympics, what did Usain do after winning the race?

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(b) What kind of house did Usain Bolt live in when he was growing up?

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(c) What caused Usain to lose some races during his schooldays?

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(d) What happened in 2002 to make Usain change his mental approach?

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(e) Name two foods that runners would normally eat, according to the speaker.

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(f) What two physical features are disadvantages for Usain?

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[Total: 6]
Question 10

Listen to the following interview with a psychologist, Dr Petermann, about the benefits and drawbacks of being neat and tidy, and answer the questions below.

You will hear the interview twice.

(a) Who is likely to go into a building with broken windows, if repairs are not made?

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(b) What financial problems could untidiness cause? Give two examples.

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(c) In the first experiment, what did most people in the untidy office choose?

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(d) In the second experiment, what positive quality did the people in the disorganised office show?

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(e) In the last experiment, what did the tidy people choose?

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[Total: 6]