

Listening and Reading Answer Keys

TEST 1

LISTENING

Section 1, Questions 1–10

- 1 answer(ing) (the) phone
- 2 Hillsdunne Road
- 3 library
- 4 4.45
- 5 national holidays
- 6 after 11 (o'clock)
- 7 clear voice
- 8 think quickly
- 9 22 October
- 10 Manuja

Section 2, Questions 11–20

- 11 branch
- 12 west
- 13 clothing
- 14 10
- 15 running
- 16 bags
- 17 A
- 18 A
- 19&20 **IN EITHER ORDER**
A
E

Section 3, Questions 21–30

- 21 B
- 22 C
- 23 B
- 24 A
- 25 C
- 26 B
- 27 A
- 28 B
- 29 C
- 30 B

Section 4, Questions 31–40

- 31 tide/tides
- 32 hearing/ear/ears
- 33 **IN EITHER ORDER; BOTH REQUIRED FOR ONE MARK**
plants
animals/fish/fishes
- 34 feeding
- 35 noise/noises
- 36 healthy
- 37 group
- 38 social
- 39 leader
- 40 network/networks

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ACADEMIC READING

Reading Passage 1, Questions 1–13

- 1 FALSE
 2 NOT GIVEN
 3 FALSE
 4 TRUE
 5 NOT GIVEN
 6 TRUE
 7 NOT GIVEN
 8 (the / only) rich
 9 commercial (possibilities)
 10 mauve (was/is)
 11 (Robert) Pullar
 12 (in) France
 13 malaria (is)

Reading Passage 2, Questions 14–26

- 14 iv
 15 vii
 16 i
 17 ii
 18 several billion years
 19 radio (waves/signals)
 20 1000 (stars)
 21 YES

- 22 YES
 23 NOT GIVEN
 24 NO
 25 NOT GIVEN
 26 NO

Reading Passage 3, Questions 27–40

- 27 plants
 28 **IN EITHER ORDER; BOTH REQUIRED**
FOR ONE MARK
 breathing
 reproduction
 gills
 29 dolphins
 30 NOT GIVEN
 31 FALSE
 32 TRUE
 33 3 measurements
 34 (triangular) graph
 35 cluster
 36 amphibious
 37 half way
 38 dry-land tortoises
 39 D
 40

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TEST 2

LISTENING

Section 1, Questions 1–10

- 1 Bhatt
- 2 31 March
- 3 nursing
- 4 2
- 5 meat
- 6 bedsit
- 7 theatre/theater
- 8 mature/older
- 9 town
- 10 shared

Section 2, Questions 11–20

- 11 trees
- 12 Friday/Sunday
- 13 farm
- 14 C
- 15 B
- 16 A
- 17 A
- 18 I
- 19 F
- 20 E

Section 3, Questions 21–30

- 21 C
- 22 B
- 23 B
- 24 C
- 25 reading
- 26 CD
- 27 workbooks
- 28 timetable/schedule
- 29 alarm
- 30 email/emails

Section 4, Questions 31–40

- 31 central
- 32 conversation/conversations
- 33 effectively
- 34 risk/risks
- 35 levels
- 36 description/descriptions
- 37 technical
- 38 change
- 39 responsibility
- 40 flexible

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Reading Passage 1, Questions 1–13

- 1 H
 2 C
 3 B
 4 I
 5 D
 6 A
 7 two decades
 8 crowd (noise)
 9 invisible (disabilities/disability)
 10 Objective 3
 11&12 **IN EITHER ORDER**
 A
 C
 13 C

Reading Passage 2, Questions 14–26

- 14 F
 15 D
 16 G
 17 E
 18 D
 19 A

- 20 B
 21 C
 22 FALSE
 23 FALSE
 24 TRUE
 25 NOT GIVEN
 26 TRUE

Reading Passage 3, Questions 27–40

- 27 C
 28 B
 29 D
 30 C
 31 B
 32 YES
 33 YES
 34 NOT GIVEN
 35 NO
 36 NOT GIVEN
 37 NO
 38 A
 39 B
 40 C

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TEST 3**LISTENING****Section 1, Questions 1–10**

- 1 300
- 2 Sunshade
- 3 balcony
- 4 forest/forests
- 5 319
- 6 10,000
- 7 relative
- 8 missed
- 9 item
- 10 Ludlow

Section 2, Questions 11–20

- 11 C
- 12 A
- 13 C
- 14 E
- 15 H
- 16 F
- 17 C
- 18 G
- 19 120
- 20 5 to 12

Section 3, Questions 21–30

- 21 fishing industry
- 22 statistics
- 23 note-taking
- 24 confidence
- 25 ideas
- 26 student support
- 27 places
- 28 general
- 29 3 times
- 30 25

Section 4, Questions 31–40

- 31 B
- 32 A
- 33 glass
- 34 insulation
- 35 windows
- 36 electricity
- 37 floor/floors
- 38 waste
- 39 concrete
- 40 15 years

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- 1 YES
 2 NO
 3 YES
 4 NOT GIVEN
 5 YES
 6 YES
 7 NO
 8 YES
 9 H
 10 F
 11 A
 12 C
 13 B

Reading Passage 2, Questions 14–26

- 14 C
 15 E
 16 A
 17 C
 18–22 **IN ANY ORDER**
 A
 D
 E
 F
 J

- 23 maintenance
 24 slow (turning)
 25 low pressure
 26 cavitation

Reading Passage 3, Questions 27–40

- 27 D
 28 F
 29 B
 30 E
 31 A
 32 C
 33 **IN EITHER ORDER; BOTH REQUIRED
 FOR ONE MARK**
 Jupiter
 Saturn
 34 Solar System
 35 **IN EITHER ORDER; BOTH REQUIRED
 FOR ONE MARK**
 sensors
 circuits
 36 spares
 37 radio dish
 38 TRUE
 39 TRUE
 40 FALSE

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