

# Answer key

## TEST 1

### LISTENING

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#### Section 1, Questions 1–10

- 1 shopping / variety of shopping
- 2 guided tours
- 3 more than 12 / over 12
- 4 notice board
- 5 13th February
- 6 Tower of London
- 7 Bristol
- 8 American Museum
- 9 student newspaper
- 10 Yentob

#### Section 3, Questions 21–30

- 21 A
- 22 C
- 23 E
- 24 B
- 25 G
- 26 F
- 27 C
- 28 D
- 29 A
- 30 B

#### Section 2, Questions 11–20

- 11 **IN EITHER ORDER, BOTH REQUIRED FOR ONE MARK**  
coal  
firewood
- 12 local craftsmen
  - 13 160
  - 14 Woodside
  - 15 Ticket Office
  - 16 Gift Shop
  - 17 (main) Workshop
  - 18 Showroom
  - 19 Café
  - 20 cottages

#### Section 4, Questions 31–40

- 31 cities / environment
- 32 windy
- 33 humid
- 34 shady / shaded
- 35 dangerous
- 36 leaves
- 37 ground
- 38 considerably reduce / decrease / filter
- 39 low
- 40 space / room

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点我一元限  
量抢购  
学为贵名师  
剑桥雅思讲  
解视频

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**Reading Passage 1, Questions 1-14**

- 1 FALSE  
2 FALSE  
3 TRUE  
4 TRUE  
5 FALSE  
6 NOT GIVEN  
7 TRUE  
8 NOT GIVEN  
9 M  
10 E  
11 G  
12 P  
13 J  
14 B

**Reading Passage 2, Questions 15-26**

- 15 taste buds  
16 baleen / the baleen whales  
17 **IN EITHER ORDER, BOTH REQUIRED FOR ONE MARK**  
forward  
downward  
18 freshwater dolphin(s) / the freshwater dolphin(s)  
19 water / the water

- 20 lower frequencies / the lower frequencies  
21 **IN EITHER ORDER, BOTH REQUIRED FOR ONE MARK**  
bowhead  
humpback  
22 touch / sense of touch  
23 freshwater dolphin(s) / the freshwater dolphin(s)  
24 airborne flying fish  
25 clear water(s) / clear open water(s)  
26 acoustic sense / the acoustic sense

**Reading Passage 3, Questions 27-40**

- 27 C  
28 C  
29 A  
30 E  
31 C  
32 A  
33 pairs  
34 shapes  
35 sighted  
36 sighted  
37 deep  
38 blind  
39 similar  
40 B

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## Section 1, Questions 1–10

- 1 C  
2 C  
3 B  
4 B  
5 A  
6 Cathedral  
7 Markets  
8 Gardens  
9 Art Gallery  
10 climb the tower / see the view

## Section 2, Questions 11–20

- 11 C  
12 B  
13 A  
14 C  
15 B  
16 C  
17 A  
18 B  
19 B  
20 A

## Section 3, Questions 21–30

- 21 collecting data / gathering data / data collection  
22 1,500  
23 5  
24 3,000–4,000  
25 & 26 **IN EITHER ORDER**  
B  
C  
27 Mehta  
28 Survey Research  
29 London University / London University Press  
30 1988

## Section 4, Questions 31–40

- 31 C  
32 A  
33 mass media / media  
34 academic circles / academics / researchers  
35 specialist knowledge / specialised knowledge  
36 unaware  
37 individual customers / individual consumers / individuals  
38 illegal profit / illegal profits  
39 & 40 **IN EITHER ORDER**

D  
1

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- 1 isolation  
 2 economic globalisation / globalization / socio-economic pressures  
 3 cultural identity  
 4 traditional skill  
 5 E  
 6 B  
 7 D  
 8 C  
 9 B  
 10 NO  
 11 YES  
 12 NOT GIVEN  
 13 YES

## Reading Passage 2, Questions 14–26

- 14 C  
 15 B  
 16 YES  
 17 NO  
 18 YES  
 19 YES

- 20 YES  
 21 NOT GIVEN  
 22 NO  
 23 YES  
 24 emotional / emotional problems  
 25 headache / headaches  
 26 general ill health

## Reading Passage 3, Questions 27–40

- 27 H  
 28 F  
 29 A  
 30 H  
 31 I  
 32 B  
 33–35 IN ANY ORDER  
 A  
 C  
 F  
 36 B  
 37 G  
 38 E  
 39 D  
 40 A

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## TEST 3

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## Section 1, Questions 1-10

- 1 1½ years  
2 Forest / Forrest  
3 Academic  
4 Thursday  
5 B  
6 B  
7 A  
8 deposit  
9 monthly  
10 telephone / phone

## Section 2, Questions 11-20

- 11 C  
12 A  
13 C  
14 B  
15 lighting / lights / light  
16 adult / adults  
17 (at) Studio Theatre / (the) Studio Theatre /  
(at) Studio Theater / (the) Studio Theater  
18 the whole family / all the family / families  
19 (in) City Gardens / (the) City Gardens /  
outdoors  
20 young children / young children / children

## Section 3, Questions 21-30

- 21 A  
22 B

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

## Section 4, Questions 31-40

- 31 questionnaire  
32 approximately 2,000 / about 2,000  
33 Education  
34 halls of residence / living quarters  
35 **IN EITHER ORDER, BOTH REQUIRED FOR ONE MARK**  
traffic  
parking  
36 (most) lecture rooms / lecture halls / lecture theatres / lecture theaters  
37 (choice of) facilities / (room for) facilities  
38 **IN EITHER ORDER, BOTH REQUIRED FOR ONE MARK**  
D.  
F  
39 B  
40 **IN EITHER ORDER, BOTH REQUIRED FOR ONE MARK**  
A  
C

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## Reading Passage 1, Questions 1–13

- 1 A  
2 D  
3 C  
4 C  
5 **IN EITHER ORDER. BOTH REQUIRED FOR ONE MARK**

Sudan

India

- 6 bicycles  
7 Shoe Shine / Shoe Shine Collective  
8 life skills  
9 NO  
10 NOT GIVEN  
11 NO  
12 YES  
13 A

## Reading Passage 2, Questions 14–26

- 14 iii  
15 i  
16 iv  
17 vi  
18 plates / the plates / the tectonic plates  
19 magma  
20 ring of fire

- 21 600 / 600 years / for 600 years  
22 water / the water / oceans / the oceans  
23 lava / magma / molten rock  
24 India / western India  
25 explodes  
26 gases / the gases / trapped gases

## Reading Passage 3, Questions 27–40

- 27 D  
28 E  
29 C  
30 D  
31 F  
32 (the) linguist (acts) / (the) linguists (act)  
33 foreign languages  
34 quality / the quality / the poor quality  
35 non-verbal behaviour / non-verbal behavior / facial expression / facial expressions  
36 camera / video camera / recording / video recording  
37 frequency of usage / usage frequency  
38 particular linguistic feature  
39 size  
40 intuitions

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## Section 1, Questions 1–10

- 1 College Dining Room  
 2 & 3 **IN EITHER ORDER**  
 office staff  
 students  
 4 10th December  
 5 coffee break / coffee breaks  
 6 6  
 7 set of dictionaries / dictionaries / a good dictionary  
 8 & 9 **IN EITHER ORDER**  
 (some) music / (some) music tapes / (some) tapes  
 photos / photographs  
 10 speech

## Section 2, Questions 11–20

- 11 B  
 12 A  
 13 A  
 14 A  
 15 B  
 16 180  
 17 nearest station  
 18 local history  
 19 690  
 20 walking club / local walking club

## Section 3, Questions 21–30

- 21 20 balloons  
 22 units of measurement / measurements / measurement units  
 23 rock salt / salt  
 24 crystals  
 25 string / piece of string  
 26 (ordinary) (white) light  
 27 H  
 28 B  
 29 E  
 30 C

## Section 4, Questions 31–40

- 31 795  
 32 tail  
 33 floor / bed / bottom  
 34 sense of smell  
 35 A  
 36 A  
 37 B  
 38 B  
 39 & 40 **IN EITHER ORDER**  
 B  
 E

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**Reading Passage 1, Questions 1–13**

- 1 TRUE
- 2 NOT GIVEN
- 3 FALSE
- 4 FALSE
- 5 NOT GIVEN
- 6 TRUE
- 7 genetics
- 8 power
- 9 injuries
- 10 training
- 11 A
- 12 D
- 13 B

**Reading Passage 2, Questions 14–27**

- 14 YES
- 15 NOT GIVEN
- 16 NO
- 17 YES
- 18 NOT GIVEN
- 19 NO
- 20 & 21 **IN EITHER ORDER.**  
D  
E

**22 & 23 IN EITHER ORDER**

C

D

24 oral histories

**25 & 26 IN EITHER ORDER**

humanistic study

historical discipline

27 scientist

**Reading Passage 3, Questions 28–40**

- 28 iv
- 29 i
- 30 iii
- 31 v
- 32 B
- 33 B
- 34 A
- 35 B
- 36 NO
- 37 YES
- 38 YES
- 39 NOT GIVEN
- 40 NOT GIVEN

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