

# Listening and Reading answer keys

## TEST 1

### LISTENING



Answer key with extra explanations  
in Resource Bank

#### Part 1, Questions 1–10

- 1 DW30 7YZ
- 2 24(th) April
- 3 dentist
- 4 parking
- 5 Claxby
- 6 late
- 7 evening
- 8 supermarket
- 9 pollution
- 10 storage

#### Part 2, Questions 11–20

- 11 C
- 12 A
- 13 A
- 14&15 IN EITHER ORDER
- B
- E
- 16 B
- 17 G
- 18 D
- 19 A
- 20 F

#### Part 3, Questions 21–30

- 21 A
- 22 B
- 23 A
- 24 C
- 25 B
- 26 A
- 27&28 IN EITHER ORDER
- B
- E
- 29&30 IN EITHER ORDER
- A
- C

#### Part 4, Questions 31–40

- 31 fences
- 32 family
- 33 helicopters
- 34 stress
- 35 sides
- 36 breathing
- 37 feet
- 38 employment
- 39 weapons
- 40 tourism

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| 0–19   | 20–28   | 29–40  |
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**TEST 1****READING**

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**Reading Section 1,  
Questions 1–14**

- 1 TRUE
- 2 FALSE
- 3 FALSE
- 4 TRUE
- 5 FALSE
- 6 NOT GIVEN
- 7 TRUE
- 8 A
- 9 F
- 10 B
- 11 C
- 12 F
- 13 E
- 14 B

**Reading Section 2,  
Questions 15–27**

- 15 (CE) mark
- 16 tests
- 17 engineer
- 18 control measures
- 19 (lifting) crew
- 20 barriers

- 21 banksman
- 22 injuries
- 23 win
- 24 expectations
- 25 solution
- 26 policy
- 27 recommendation

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

- 28 vii
- 29 i
- 30 vi
- 31 iii
- 32 viii
- 33 ii
- 34 sticks
- 35 infertile
- 36 Poland
- 37 loyalty
- 38 D
- 39 C
- 40 A

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**TEST 2****LISTENING**

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**Part 1, Questions 1–10**

- 1 training
- 2 discount
- 3 taxi
- 4 service
- 5 English
- 6 Wivenhoe
- 7 equipment
- 8 9.75
- 9 deliveries
- 10 Sunday

**Part 2, Questions 11–20**

**11&12** IN EITHER ORDER

- B  
E

**13&14** IN EITHER ORDER

- B  
C

- 15 G
- 16 C
- 17 D
- 18 B
- 19 H
- 20 A

**Part 3, Questions 21–30**

- 21 C
- 22 A
- 23 B
- 24 B
- 25&26** IN EITHER ORDER  
A  
B
- 27 D
- 28 A
- 29 C
- 30 F

**Part 4, Questions 31–40**

- 31 convenient
- 32 suits
- 33 tailor
- 34 profession
- 35 visible
- 36 string(s)
- 37 waist(s)
- 38 perfume
- 39 image
- 40 handbag

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**TEST 2****READING**

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**Reading Section 1,  
Questions 1–14**

- 1 D
- 2 A
- 3 E
- 4 B
- 5 D
- 6 F
- 7 C
- 8 A
- 9 TRUE
- 10 FALSE
- 11 TRUE
- 12 NOT GIVEN
- 13 FALSE
- 14 NOT GIVEN

**Reading Section 2,  
Questions 15–27**

- 15 absenteeism
- 16 soda
- 17 fruit
- 18 fridge
- 19 bikes
- 20 showers

- 21 surveys
- 22 aprons
- 23 board
- 24 money
- 25 appliances
- 26 Labels
- 27 storeroom

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

- 28 E
- 29 C
- 30 A
- 31 E
- 32 D
- 33 A
- 34 C
- 35 C
- 36 fabric
- 37 instructions
- 38 geometric
- 39 newspaper
- 40 knitwear

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**TEST 3****LISTENING**

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**Part 1, Questions 1–10**

- 1 Marrowfield
- 2 relative
- 3 socialise / socialize
- 4 full
- 5 Domestic Life
- 6 clouds
- 7 timing
- 8 Animal Magic
- 9 (animal) movement
- 10 dark

**Part 2, Questions 11–20**

**11&12** IN EITHER ORDER

B  
C

**13&14** IN EITHER ORDER

B  
D

**15** C

**16** B

**17** B

**18** C

**19** A

**20** A

**Part 3, Questions 21–30**

**21&22** IN EITHER ORDER

A  
E

**23&24** IN EITHER ORDER

B  
D

**25** G

**26** E

**27** B

**28** C

**29** F

**30** A

**Part 4, Questions 31–40**

**31** technical

**32** cheap

**33** thousands

**34** identification

**35** tracking

**36** military

**37** location

**38** prediction

**39** database

**40** trust

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**TEST 3****READING**

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**Reading Section 1,  
Questions 1–14**

- 1 F
- 2 B
- 3 F
- 4 D
- 5 E
- 6 B
- 7 A
- 8 TRUE
- 9 NOT GIVEN
- 10 TRUE
- 11 FALSE
- 12 FALSE
- 13 TRUE
- 14 TRUE

**Reading Section 2,  
Questions 15–27**

- 15 sharing
- 16 mileage
- 17 night
- 18 replacement
- 19 cover
- 20 complaints

- 21 wires
- 22 chairs
- 23 mirrors
- 24 carpets
- 25 drawers
- 26 adjustable
- 27 holders

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

- 28 C
- 29 F
- 30 D
- 31 B
- 32 F
- 33 C
- 34 B
- 35 D
- 36 A
- 37 C
- 38 (fine) gravel
- 39 animals
- 40 (crushed) brick

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**TEST 4****LISTENING**

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**Part 1, Questions 1–10**

- 1 receptionist
- 2 Medical
- 3 Chastons
- 4 appointments
- 5 database
- 6 experience
- 7 confident
- 8 temporary
- 9 1.15
- 10 parking

**Part 2, Questions 11–20**

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

**Part 3, Questions 21–30**

**21&22** IN EITHER ORDER

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

**Part 4, Questions 31–40**

- 31 plot
- 32 poverty
- 33 Europe
- 34 poetry
- 35 drawings
- 36 furniture
- 37 lamps
- 38 harbour / harbor
- 39 children
- 40 relatives

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Questions 1–14**

- 1 B
- 2 C
- 3 F
- 4 A
- 5 C
- 6 D
- 7 C
- 8 FALSE
- 9 FALSE
- 10 NOT GIVEN
- 11 TRUE
- 12 TRUE
- 13 NOT GIVEN
- 14 TRUE

**Reading Section 2,  
Questions 15–27**

- 15 oxygen
- 16 yearly
- 17 beard
- 18 solvents
- 19 rack
- 20 straps

- 21 sunlight
- 22 footwear
- 23 padding
- 24 handrails
- 25 trolleys
- 26 overreach
- 27 rotation

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

- 28 vi
- 29 i
- 30 vii
- 31 iv
- 32 iii
- 33 viii
- 34 v
- 35 fungi
- 36 horizon
- 37 surface
- 38 landscape
- 39 galaxies
- 40 gardens

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