

**LanguageCert
Preliminary A1
Entry Level 1
International ESOL (Listening, Reading, Writing)
Practice Paper 1**

Candidate's name (block letters please)

Centre no

Date

Time allowed:

- Listening about 20 minutes
- Reading and Writing 1 hour and 20 minutes

Instructions to Candidates

- An Answer Sheet will be provided.
- All answers must be transferred to the Answer Sheet.
- Please use a soft pencil (2B, HB).

Listening Part 1

You will hear some sentences. You will hear each sentence twice. Choose the correct answers.

1.



a)



b)



c)

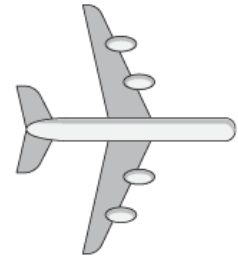
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a)



b)



c)

3.



a)

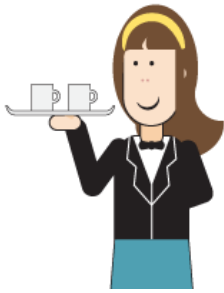


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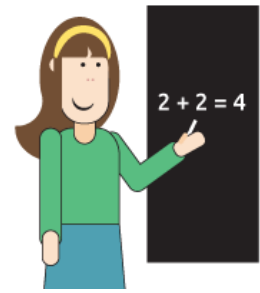
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a)



b)



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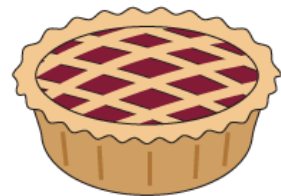
5.



a)



b)



c)

6.



a)



b)



c)

7.



a)



b)



c)

Listening Part 2

You will hear some sentences. You will hear each sentence twice. Choose the best reply to each sentence.

1. a) No, I can't.
b) Well, it is.
c) Yes, I have.

2. a) I want one too.
b) I love you too.
c) I like it too.

3. a) In my kitchen.
b) Two more, please.
c) A double room.

4. a) It isn't here.
b) Thank you.
c) There it is.

5. a) It's an apple.
b) It's a word.
c) It's not here.

6. a) Yes, that's right.
b) I know the way.
c) It's Cambridge.

7. a) That's OK.
b) Yes, I can.
c) That's nice.

Listening Part 3

You will hear some short conversations. You will hear each conversation twice. Choose the correct answer for each conversation.

Conversation 1

The man is asking about the

- a) bus stop.
- b) bus number.
- c) bus station.

Conversation 2

The woman wants to know what the man likes to

- a) eat.
- b) see.
- c) drink.

Conversation 3

Mark wants Jane to

- a) write something.
- b) phone someone.
- c) go somewhere.

Conversation 4

The woman is

- a) learning something.
- b) asking something.
- c) thanking someone.

Conversation 5

The woman is a

- a) student.
- b) teacher.
- c) doctor.

Conversation 6

The speakers are talking about

- a) money.
- b) hobbies.
- c) films.

Listening Part 4

You will hear a conversation. You will hear the conversation twice. Choose the correct answers.

World Travel Holiday Booking Form			
Number of people:	2 <input type="checkbox"/>	3 <input type="checkbox"/>	4 <input type="checkbox"/>
Month of travel:	October <input type="checkbox"/>	November <input type="checkbox"/>	December <input type="checkbox"/>
How long:	2 weeks <input type="checkbox"/>	3 weeks <input type="checkbox"/>	4 weeks <input type="checkbox"/>
Travelling by:	Ship <input type="checkbox"/>	Plane <input type="checkbox"/>	Bus <input type="checkbox"/>
Kind of holiday:	Sightseeing <input type="checkbox"/>	Camping <input type="checkbox"/>	Sports <input type="checkbox"/>
Special activities:	Walking <input type="checkbox"/>	Boat Trip <input type="checkbox"/>	Swimming <input type="checkbox"/>

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Reading Part 1

Read the texts. Choose the correct answer to complete each text.

1.

Hotel List	
in alphabetical order	
Grand Hotel	01843 57988564
Paradise Hotel	01843 78964372
Royal George Hotel	01843 56781243
.....	01843 78947358
Western Hotel	01843 34267645



- a) Dragon Hotel
- b) Seaview Hotel
- c) King's Hotel

2.

Clothes shop	Summer SALE		Cheap prices
T-shirts	£10.99	now	£5.99
.....	£25	now	£10
Skirts	£29.99	now	£18.99
Dresses	£42.99	now	£20

- a) Books
- b) Jeans
- c) Toys

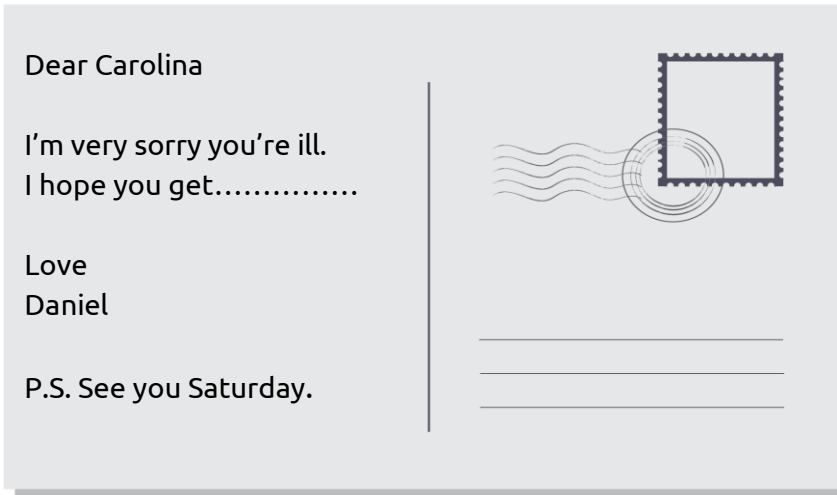
3.

Niki
Message from garage

Your car's
The bill is £120.
They close at 6.00 pm

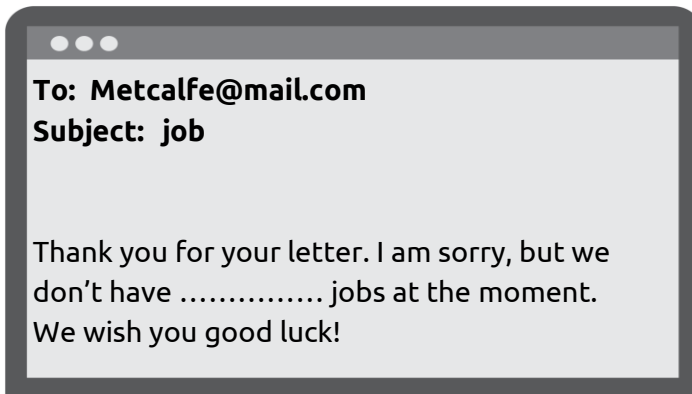
- a) old.
- b) big.
- c) ready.

4.



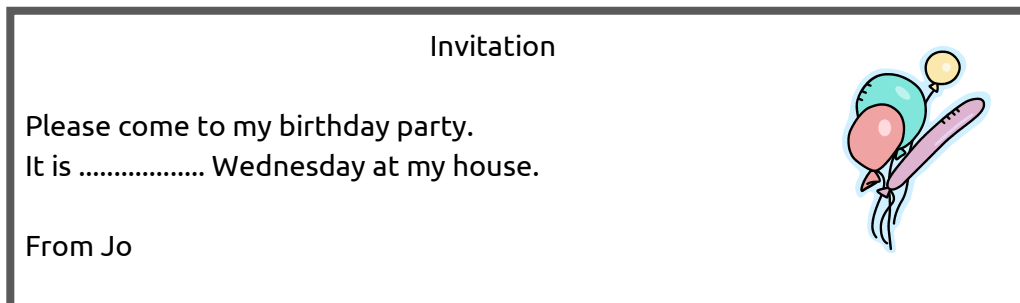
- a) well soon.
- b) up quickly.
- c) home now.

5.



- a) any
- b) some
- c) few

6.



- a) at
- b) in
- c) on

Reading Part 2

Read the text. Choose the correct words to complete each sentence. There is one extra word or phrase you will not need.

The little village of Piccoli is in the mountains. There are no shops in **(1)**_____. There are only ten houses **(2)**_____. There is no **(3)**_____. You can go for **(4)**_____. It is a lovely place for a **(5)**_____.

- A supermarkets
- B holiday
- C and one hotel
- D busy night life
- E the village
- F long walks there

Reading Part 3

Read the four texts. Which text gives you the answer to each question? Choose the correct text (A-D) for each question.

A

CONCERT IN THE PARK
18 AUGUST



A day of Brazilian music

Nelson Silves plays guitar
with the Rio Band



Bring a picnic



From 11am until late

Ring 090915677897 for tickets

B

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To: Felipe
From: Erika
Subject: Concert

Hello Felipe
Bad news! Can't come to the concert on Saturday, 18 August. I'm busy at work. I hope it's warm and sunny.

Erika

C

CONCERT IN THE PARK
18 August

at
Marble Hill Park, Twickenham, London

18 August
admit one

Section	Row	Seat	Ticket Price
GA	2	79	£15.00

D

Hi Erika

We're at the concert. It's raining but the music's great. Lots of bands are playing.

See you soon
Felipe

Which text tells you:

1.	about the weather at the concert?	
2.	the name of one of the bands?	
3.	how much tickets are?	
4.	the time the concert starts?	
5.	where the park is?	
6.	how to get a ticket?	
7.	who writes a postcard?	

Reading Part 4

Read the notices. Match each statement to the notice with the same meaning. Choose the correct notice (A-I) for each question.



A)



B)



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C)



D)



E)



F)



G)



H)



I)

1.	Not for children.	
2.	Cheap offer on one day.	
3.	You can buy a drink here.	
4.	You can learn English here.	
5.	We are not open.	
6.	Put your money here.	
7.	It is very cold today.	
8.	Come and play sports here.	

Writing Part 1

Write four sentences about the things you do on holiday. Write about 30 words.

1.

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2.

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3.

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4.

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