Test 1 Language and Exam Skills Development

Section 1 Listening: first task A Look at the first task on page 6. Match the statements A-F to the following speakers.			C Find words and phrases in each text which have a similar meaning to these words and phrases.			
			Text 1 1 something you see often			
1	'I need to find other pe	ople to play with.' Statement	2 talking in a friendly way 3 worried			
2	'I don't understand who so interesting.'	y people find sport Statement	Text 2 4 not able to see 5 created			
3	'I think it would be exc Formula 1 race.'	iting to be in a Statement	Text 3 6 included			
4	'I like to see people wo sport.'	rking together in Statement	7 say how we feel 8 not telling the truth			
5	'Sally, Jackie and I play every weekend.'	Statement	Text 4 9 not professional			
6	6 'I like to do sport to get exercise and stay healthy.' Statement		10 communicate with Text 5 11 kinds			
Sec	ction 2 Reading: fir	st task	12 send out			
	B Quickly read the six texts on page 8 and answer these questions. Which text is talking about		<i>Text 6</i> 13 started (a fire)			
			14 learn information 15 far away			
1	a way of reading for persee?	ople who can't Text	Section 3 Grammar and vocabulary:			
2	the differences between and on TV?	plays on radio Text	first task			
3	people using radio to co years ago?	ommunicate 20 Text	D Quickly read the first text on page 12 and answer these questions. 1 In which country can you			
4	how people communication was invented?	ated before radio Text	find the platypus?			
5	a danger caused by usin	ng mobile phones?	2 Does the platypus live in other countries?			
6	using our hands and fa	Text	3 When did Europeans first see the platypus?			

Text ____

4 Is the platypus a rare

5 Do we know a lot about

animal?

the platypus?

communicate?

E Complete the table.

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Section 4 Writing: first task

- F Label the different parts of this letter by writing the appropriate letter in each space.
 - A Put Love, or Best wishes, and then put my first name.
 - **B** Put *Dear* and my pen friend's first name, followed by a comma.
 - C Write my address and the date here.
 - **D** Say goodbye and tell my pen friend to write back.
 - **E** Make more suggestions and give further advice.
 - **F** Say hello and thank my pen friend for their letter.
 - **G** Make my first suggestions and give some advice.

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Section 5 Speaking: first task

G Look at the Student Card for Task 1 on page 15 and make notes to complete the table.

What are your favourite television programmes?	
Why?	
Has your taste in TVprogrammes changed How and why?	[5
When do you watch television?	
Do you watch TV with your family / with your friends / on your own?	

- H Which of these statements do you agree /disagree with? Explain why.
 - 1 'Young people watch too much TV.'
 - 2 'You can learn a lot by watching television.'
 - 3 'Most programmes for children are very good.'

Раздел 1 Аудирование

B1

Вы услышите 5 высказываний. Установите соответствие между высказываниями каждого говорящего 1-5 и утверждениями, данными в списке A-F. Используйте каждую букву, обозначающую утверждение, только один раз. В задании есть одно лишнее утверждение. Вы услышите запись дважды. Занесите свои ответы в таблицу.

- A. She enjoys watching team sports.
- B. She wants to join a team to play a sport.
- C. She thinks sport is a good way to keep fit.
- D. She likes playing sports with her friends.
- E. She would like to try a dangerous sport.
- F. She thinks watching sport is boring.





Говорящий	1	2	3	4	5
Утверждение					

Вы услышите разговор туриста и гида. Определите, какие из приведённых утверждений **A1-A6** соответствуют содержанию текста (1), какие не соответствуют (2) и о чём в тексте не сказано, то есть на основании текста нельзя дать ни положительного, ни отрицательного ответа (3). Обведите номер выбранного вами варианта ответа. Вы услышите запись дважды.

- A1 The tourist has a limited amount of time in the area.
 - 1) верно
- 2) неверно
- 3) в тексте не сказано
- A2 Most visitors to Montford Hall go by taxi.
 - верно
- 2) неверно
- 3) в тексте не сказано
- A3 The guide recommends a restaurant to the tourist.
 - 1) верно
- 2) неверно
- 3) в тексте не сказано
- A4 The tourist wants to enjoy the good weather.
 - верно
- 2) неверно
- 3) в тексте не сказано
- A5 You have to pay to enter the Rose Gardens.
 - верно
- 2) неверно
- 3) в тексте не сказано
- A6 The tourist has a large garden at home.
 - 1) верно
- 2) неверно
- 3) в тексте не сказано

Вы услышите беседу руководителя курсов с будущими студентами. В заданиях **A7-A13** обведите цифру **1**, **2** или **3**, соответствующую выбранному вами варианту ответа. Вы услышите запись дважды.

A7 Carol wants to

- 1) work out the new timetable.
- 2) make a list of courses.
- 3) talk about the Centre.

A8 The man will get a reduction because he's

- 1) over 65 years old.
- 2) unemployed.
- 3) disabled.

A9 Students are allowed to

- 1) choose which classes of a course to attend.
- 2) attend the first class before deciding.
- 3) attend the first three classes before deciding.

A10 The man is concerned about

- 1) his inexperience.
- 2) his age.
- 3) not liking pottery.

A11 The two pottery courses

- 1) each have classes twice a week.
- 2) are held on the same days.
- 3) are held in different weeks.

A12 Students on the pottery courses

- 1) have to bring their own clay and tools.
- 2) have to bring their own aprons.
- 3) do not have to bring equipment with them.

A13 The man decides

- 1) to do the Advanced Pottery course.
- 2) to choose a different course.
- 3) not to do a course at all.

По окончании выполнения заданий **В1** и **А1-А13** НЕ ЗАБУДЬТЕ ПЕРЕНЕСТИ СВОИ ОТВЕТЫ В БЛАНК ОТВЕТОВ №1!

ОБРАТИТЕ ВНИМАНИЕ, что ответы на задания **B1**, **A1-A13** располагаются в разных частях бланка. **B1** расположено в нижней части бланка. При переносе ответов в задании **B1** буквы записываются без пробелов и знаков препинания.

Раздел 2 Чтение



Установите соответствие тем A - G текстам I - G. Занесите свои ответы в таблицу. Используйте каждую букву только один раз. В задании одна тема лишняя.

- A. POOR COMMUNICATION
- B. HELPFUL METHOD
- C. PAST HOBBY
- D. BODY LANGUAGE
- E. ENJOYABLE GAMES
- F. HEALTH PROBLEMS
- G. MORE IMAGINATION
 - In just a few years mobile phones have become a common sight everywhere. Walk past any café and you will see people chatting on their phones or sending text messages. However, some people are concerned that the signals these phones send out may be bad for our health. They worry that holding a mobile close to your head might have an effect on your brain. So, it may be a good idea to use your ordinary phone when you can.
 - 2 We learn a lot by reading, but what if you can't see the words on the page? Many blind people can read braille. Braille is a system of writing using raised dots on the page that you can feel with your fingers. A Frenchman called Louis Braille invented it in 1821, when he was just 12 years old. His system makes life easier for many thousands of blind people all over the world.
 - 3 When we talk to someone, only a small part of our meaning is in what we say. Some people say that as little as 7% of our message is contained in our words. We use our hands to express ourselves and we use our faces to show that we are listening or to show how we feel. Our faces and our hands can also show things that we might want to hide, like the fact that we are lying, for example.
 - 4 People can now use the Internet and e-mail to communicate with each other cheaply and quickly. Twenty years ago, however, this wasn't possible. In those days in Britain, some people used amateur radio to contact people all over the country, and even around the world. They had special radios in their houses that sent out radio signals. They contacted each other to exchange news about their lives and about the weather, or even to play games such as chess.
 - One of the most interesting types of radio programme is radio drama. Although some radio stations only broadcast music, some also produce plays for their listeners. Many people prefer listening to a play on the radio to watching it on TV because they can be more creative. On TV, the programme-makers decide exactly what a place or a person looks like. On radio, though, you can imagine it any way you like.
 - 6 Before the invention of radio, it was almost impossible to communicate over large distances. The only way to communicate with people far away was to send a message or a letter with a person. People lit fires on hills as a signal to each other, but it wasn't a very good way of communicating. It was very difficult to find out what was happening in distant places and news often took weeks or even months to travel around the world.

№ текста	1	2	3	4	5	6
Тема						

Прочитайте утверждения 1-6 и следующие за ними тексты. Установите соответствие между утверждениями и содержанием текстов. Напишите цифру 1- если утверждение верное, и цифру 0- если утверждение неверное. Занесите свои ответы в таблицу.

- 1 Most people in Devon work as farmers or fishermen.
- 2 Devon is famous for its modern buildings.
- 3 The south coast is popular because of the climate.
- 4 It's easy to drive from London to Devon.
- 5 Today, Lancashire produces a large amount of goods for sale abroad.
- 6 Visitors can travel on old planes and trains at the museum.

Devon is a large county in the south-west of England. Agriculture and fishing have always been important parts of the local economy, but these days tourism is the main source of income. Nearly five million people visit the area each year, many of them coming to enjoy Devon's beaches and even to surf along its north coast. Apart from the beaches, Devon is also well known for its beautiful countryside and old, traditional cottages.

Many coastal towns in Britain have suffered as more and more people go abroad on holiday. However, on the south Devon coast, resort towns such as Brixham and Torquay are enjoying new life as the English Riviera, offering mild weather and sandy beaches. Another reason for its popularity is that it's possible to get to Devon from London in a short time by car. Two motorways, the M4 and the M5, connect the capital to Devon and in just four or five hours Londoners can be enjoying a cream tea or a relaxing country walk.

Lancashire, in the north-west of England, is a county with a long history, first as an agricultural area and later as one of the most important areas during the Industrial Revolution. Here, from the start of the nineteenth century onwards, factories and mills produced cotton and other goods that were sold all around the world. Today, almost all the mills are silent, but Lancashire is still an interesting place to visit. Apart from the attractions of coastal towns such as Fleetwood and Blackpool, there are many interesting museums, including the Museum of Transport in Rimington. Open all year round, the museum has a wonderful collection of models of different means of transport, including trains, planes and ships. For visitors who prefer a more active holiday, there are also many beautiful areas to walk in, particularly in north Lancashire.

1	2	3	4	5	6

Test 1

Прочитайте текст и выполните задания **A14-A20**, обводя цифру **1**, **2**, **3** или **4**, соответствующую номеру выбранного вами варианта ответа.

When my Uncle Alan turned up at my thirteenth birthday party without a present, I couldn't hide the disappointment on my face. He was my favourite uncle, and he always bought me fantastic presents.

'Don't look so sad, Anna,' he said kindly. 'I haven't forgotten to get you a present. I just couldn't bring it with me. Tomorrow, I'm taking you abseiling.'

'I didn't know you had a boat,' I said.

'No, not sailing! Abseiling!'

'What's that?' I asked. 'I've never heard of it.'

'You'll see,' he said mysteriously.

Early the next day, Uncle Alan drove me to Lamerton Adventure Park. I'd never been there before, but had often told my mum and dad how exciting it sounded. As we drove through the gates, it seemed that, once again, Uncle Alan had found me a birthday present I'd never forget. When we arrived, we went to find my instructor, a friendly young woman called Isabelle. She

put me completely at ease, and I knew that, whatever I was going to be doing, I'd be quite safe with her.

'So, Anna, have you ever been abseiling before?' she asked. I admitted I didn't even know what abseiling was. 'Well, it's always fun to experience something new, isn't it?' she said.

We walked through the park, and ended up at a rocky hill. The biggest rock face was extremely high and steep, but there were smaller, easier faces too. When I saw the equipment waiting for me – a rope, a harness and a helmet – I guessed what I was going to be doing.

'Oh, I'm going rock climbing!' I said excitedly.

'Not exactly,' said Uncle Alan.

Isabelle explained. 'With rock climbing, you start at the bottom and go up, but with abseiling, you start at the top and go down.'

Now I understood.

We carried the equipment up a path to the top of the smallest rock face. I carefully looked over the edge. The ground was about five metres below. 'This is going to be fun,' I thought.

Isabelle tied the rope carefully to a metal ring, and then threaded it through my harness, which by now I was wearing round my waist. She threw the other end of the rope over the edge of the rock face, and it fell to the ground.

'This is where I say goodbye,' said Uncle Alan. 'I'm going back down to the bottom. I'll be holding the other end of the rope, so you'll be quite safe. See you when you come down!'

Isabelle was the perfect instructor. She talked me through what to do step by step. I stood on the edge of the rock face with my back to the drop. My left hand was holding the rope in front of me, my right hand holding the rope behind me. 'Now,' she said, 'gently lean back.'

This was the most difficult part. It's a terribly scary experience leaning back over a cliff, especially the first time you attempt it, and for the first few minutes I wondered whether I could actually do it. Finally, I decided to risk it. I didn't want Uncle Alan thinking I was a coward. Keeping my feet still, I leant back a little. Then a little more.

'Fantastic!' shouted Uncle Alan from below me.

'That's wonderful,' said Isabelle. 'Now, slowly start to walk down the rock.'

It was more like bouncing than actual walking, but I started to go down. It didn't take long to reach the bottom, but I felt a huge sense of achievement when I put my feet on the ground next to Uncle Alan.

'I'm so proud of you!' he said. 'Do you want to try a higher rock face now?'

'You bet!' I said, 'The higher, the better!'

A14 When Uncle Alan saw Anna's disappointment, he realised that

- 1) he should have brought a present with him.
- 2) he really was her favourite uncle.
- 3) she thought he had forgotten to bring her a present.
- 4) he had to take her somewhere the next day.

A15 Anna had frequently told her parents that

- 1) Lamerton Adventure Park appealed to her.
- 2) she had never been abseiling before.
- 3) Uncle Alan's birthday presents were unforgettable.
- 4) abseiling sounded like a very interesting activity.

A16 Isabelle made Anna

- 1) admit how little she knew about the park.
- 2) feel totally secure and comfortable.
- 3) think about previous enjoyable experiences.
- 4) realise that abseiling would be easy.

A17 When Anna saw the equipment, she

- 1) understood immediately what abseiling was.
- 2) tried hard to guess what it would be used for.
- 3) asked Isabelle for an explanation.
- 4) still didn't understand what she would be doing.

A18 Uncle Alan didn't stay at the top of the rock face because

- 1) he wanted to see Anna when she reached the bottom.
- 2) he had to hold the rope at the bottom.
- 3) the rope had fallen over the edge by mistake.
- 4) he thought she would be safer without him up there.

A19 As Anna started to lean back, she

- 1) felt extremely frightened.
- 2) wondered if she was a coward.
- 3) knew she had to risk the danger.
- 4) remembered the first time she'd done this.

A20 After reaching the bottom, Anna

- 1) thought she had achieved enough for one day.
- 2) wanted to abseil down a more difficult rock face.
- 3) made a bet with her uncle about the height of the rock.
- 4) felt relieved to be on the ground again with her uncle.

По окончании выполнения заданий **B2**, **B3** и **A14-A20** НЕ ЗАБУДЬТЕ ПЕРЕНЕСТИ СВОИ ОТВЕТЫ **В** БЛАНК ОТВЕТОВ №1!

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Раздел 3 Грамматика и лексика

Прочитайте текст. Заполните пропуски в предложениях под номерами **B4-B11** соответствующими формами слов, напечатанных заглавными буквами справа от каждого предложения.

	The Platypus	
	In the rivers of south-eastern Australia, you can find an animal called a	
B 4	'platypus'. The platypus is one of the animals in the world.	STRANGE
B 5	It only in Australia and belongs to a group of animals called 'monotremes'.	EXIST
	When Europeans first saw an example of the animal in the 1700s,	
B 6	they it was a joke.	THINK
B 7	They anything like it before and they refused to believe that it was a real animal.	NEVER SEE
B 8	A example arrived from Australia, and then more, and the scientists realised that this unusual creature was real.	TWO
B 9	Today, the platypus in the waters around south-east Australia.	LIVE
	It is not very rare, but some people worry that water pollution could	
B 10	be a problem as the water around Sydney gets	DIRTY
B11	We still much about this mysterious animal and we have a lot to learn.	NOT KNOW
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буквал соотв	тайте приведенный ниже текст. Преобразуйте слова, напечатанные загли после номеров B12-B18 так, чтобы они грамматически и лексически етствовали содержанию текста. Заполните пропуски полученными словаск соответствует отдельному заданию из группы B12-B18 .	
B 12	The Tower of London has become one of the most	RECOGNISE
	symbols of the city of London, and of Britain as a whole. It was	
B 13	built by William the Conqueror in 1078 and the of the	CONSTRUCT
	Tower took 20 years from start to finish.	
B 14		HIGH
B15	of the walls made it a perfect prison. Famous held at the	PRISON
	Tower include Elizabeth (later Queen Elizabeth I) and King Edward V.	
B16	X 27 27 27 27 27 27 27 27 27 27 27 27 27	BUILD
	the Tower, including a church and even a zoo.	
B 17	3000 A 1997	VISIT
B18	PAGE 185	INTEREST

Прочитайте текст с пропусками, обозначенными номерами **A21-A28**. Эти номера соответствуют заданиям **A21-A28**, в которых представлены возможные варианты ответов. Обведите номер выбранного вами варианта ответа.

When Andrew Carter was offered the position of Senior European Sales Manager in a large,									
successful multinational corporation, he A21 at the chance. One of the main									
reasons for his immediate acceptance was the opportunity for a large amount of foreign travel. He									
could see him	could see himself relaxing in a café by the Seine after a hard day's business, before jetting								
A22	to an impo	rtant meeting the r	ext morning in Pra	gue. How romantic it all					
seemed.									
And yet now,	And yet now, only eight months after his first day in the job, how different his emotions were. For								
Andrew Carte	er was experiencing w	hat many internation	onal business travel	lers had experienced before					
him, and will	experience for years t	o come, that a life	A23	on planes and in hotels is					
lonely, dull an	d exhausting.								
He longed to	be back at home, and	d dreamt of the sim	ple pleasures of hav	ring someone to watch					
television with	n, of being asked how	his day was. As he	lay on the bed in h	is luxurious, yet strangely					
soulless hotel	room, he A24	the en	npty evening ahead	of him. 'What's the					
A25	,' he asked	himself, as he had	done so many time	s, 'of going out this evening?					
I won't talk to	anyone. I won't have	e anyone to enjoy it	with. Every city's t	he same when you're alone.'					
Not wanting t	o sit alone at a table	in the hotel restaur	ant, he decided to h	nave his evening meal					
delivered to h	is room by room serv	rice. Leafing throug	h the menu, Andrev	w was					
A26	by another	desire – for some s	simple, home-cooke	d food. He sighed.					
And then he t	hought the unthinkal	ble. 'I don't have to	A27	on like this,' he said out					
loud. 'I'm still	l young. My whole lif	e's ahead of me. I c	ould quit my job ar	nd do something I really					
enjoy. So wha	t if I don't make so n	nuch money? Mone	y isn't everything.'						
It would take	several years, and a r	number of A28 _	starr	ts, but finally Andrew Carter					
did leave his h	nighly-paid position. l	He was scared, but	for the first time in	his life he was truly content.					
A21	1) took	2) jumped	3) seized	4) had					
A22	1) by	2) forward	3) up	4) off					
A23	1) spent	2) paid	3) passed	4) taken					
A24	1) dreaded	2) distrusted	3) depressed	4) disappointed					
A25	1) theme	2) topic	3) point	4) subject					
A26	1) attacked	2) smashed	3) knocked	4) struck					
A27	1) live	2) go	3) move	4) continue					
A28	1) false	2) fake	3) artificial	4) forged					

По окончании выполнения заданий **В4-В18**, **А21-А28** НЕ ЗАБУДЬТЕ ПЕРЕНЕСТИ СВОИ ОТВЕТЫ **В БЛАНК ОТВЕТОВ №1**!

ОБРАТИТЕ ВНИМАНИЕ, что ответы на задания **B4-B18** и **A21-A28** располагаются в разных частях бланка. **B4-B18** расположены в нижней части бланка. При переносе ответов в заданиях **B4-B18** буквы записываются без пробелов и знаков препинания.

Раздел 4 Письмо

Для ответов на задания C1, C2 используйте БЛАНК ОТВЕТОВ №2.

При выполнении заданий **C1** и **C2** особое внимание обратите на то, что ваши ответы будут оцениваться только по записям, сделанным в **БЛАНКЕ ОТВЕТОВ №2.** Никакие записи черновика не будут учитываться экспертом.

При заполнении БЛАНКА ОТВЕТОВ №2 укажите сначала номер задания C1, C2 затем запишите свой ответ.

Если одной стороны бланка недостаточно, вы можете использовать другую сторону бланка.



You have 20 minutes to do this task.

This is part of a letter from your English pen friend.

... I need some money to go on holiday with my friends at the end of August. Do you think I should find a job? Have you or any of your friends done summer jobs? I'm thinking of working as a waiter for a few weeks. Do you think it's a good idea? What other jobs do you think I could do? And what do you think the problems might be? Let me know what you think.

Write soon,

Love,

Tom

Write back to Tom answering his questions.

Write 100-140 words.

Remember the rules of letter writing.



You have 40 minutes to do this task.

Comment on the following statement.

Many people think that we should explore space and visit other planets. However, some people say that space exploration is a waste of time and money.

What can you say for and against exploring space and visiting other planets?

Write 200-250 words.

Use the following plan

- 1. Introduction (State the problem).
- 2. Arguments "for".
- Arguments "against".
- 4. Conclusion.

Раздел 5 Говорение

Вы получите карточку, на которой представлены три задания для устного ответа: C3 – тематическое монологическое высказывание, C4 – диалог с целью обмена фактической информацией, C5 – диалог с целью обмена оценочной информацией. Окончание выполнения каждого задания определяет экзаменатор. Во время проведения этой части экзамена идет постоянная запись на аудиокассету.

Задания для экзаменуемого



Task 1 (3-3.5 minutes)

Give a 2-minute talk on television.

Remember to say:

- what your favourite television programmes are
- if your taste in television programmes has changed over the years and why
- · when you watch television
- if you watch television with or without your family or friends

You have to talk **for 1.5–2 minutes**. The teacher **will listen until you have finished**. Then he/she will ask you some questions.



Task 2 (1.5–2 minutes)

You are visiting a town and you are at the tourist information office. You would like to find a hotel close to the town centre. You can pay £30 per night only.

Before making a decision, ask the tourist information guide about:

- · the hotels available
- · where the hotels are
- the cost

The teacher will play the part of the tourist information guide and will speak first.

Remember to:

- be active and polite
- · get all the information you need
- · decide on the hotel to stay at



Task 3 (3-4 minutes)

You and a friend are planning to do a course for one evening each week at a local college. You are discussing which course to go on. You can do:

- · basic car maintenance
- cookery
- · Mandarin Chinese for beginners
- · photography
- · local history

The teacher will play the part of your friend.

Remember to:

- discuss all the options
- take an active part in the conversation and be polite
- · come up with ideas
- give good reasons
- find out your friend's attitudes and take them into account
- invite your friend to come up with suggestions
- · come to an agreement