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INTERNATIONAL GCSE
ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE

Listening Paper

Wednesday 29 May 2019 07:00 GMT Time allowed: 45 minutes
(including 5 minutes' reading time before the test)

Materials
You will need no other materials.

Instructions
- Use black ink or black ball-point pen.
- Fill in the box at the top of this page.
- Answer **all** questions.

This is what you should do for each item.
- After the question number is announced, there will be a pause to allow you to read the instructions and questions.
- Listen carefully to the recording and read the questions again.
- Listen to the recording again and then answer the questions.
- When the next question is about to start you will hear a bleep.
- You may write at any time during the test.
- Answer the questions in **English**.
- You must answer the questions in the spaces provided. Do not write on blank pages.
- If you need extra space for your answer(s), use the lined pages at the end of this book. Write the question number against your answer(s).
- Write neatly and put down **all** the information you are asked to give.
- **You must not ask questions or interrupt during the test.**
- You now have 5 minutes to read through the question paper. You may make notes during this time. You may open your answer book now.
- The test starts now.

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Task	Mark
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Information
- The marks for questions are shown in brackets.
- The maximum mark for this paper is 40.
- You must **not** use a dictionary.

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Task 1

Listen carefully to the following statements. You will hear each statement twice.

Tick (✓) the box next to the correct answer for questions **01** to **04**.

0 1 . 1 What accident is mentioned in the main news headline?

A A car crash ☐

B A plane crash ☐

C A train crash ☐

[1 mark]

0 1 . 2 How long have the emergency services been at the scene?

A Two hours ☐

B Three hours ☐

C Four hours ☐

[1 mark]

0 2 . 1 For how long does the family want to go on holiday?

A One week ☐

B Two weeks ☐

C Three weeks ☐

[1 mark]

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0 2 . 2 Which part of Italy have they been to before?

A East ☐

B North ☐

C South ☐

[1 mark]

0 3 . 1 What does the speaker want to study at university?

A Biology ☐

B Chemistry ☐

C Medicine ☐

[1 mark]

0 3 . 2 What subject will they get a tutor for?

A Biology ☐

B Chemistry ☐

C Maths ☐

[1 mark]

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0 4 . 1 Which is the correct order for the Channel 3 schedule?

A News, report, soap opera, film ☐

B News, report, tennis, film ☐

C Report, news, soap opera, tennis ☐

[1 mark]

0 4 . 2 What genre is the final scheduled show?

A Comedy ☐

B Documentary ☐

C Drama ☐

[1 mark]

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Task 2

Listen carefully to the following discussion between Anita and Jo.

Anita is a hairdresser. She is getting to know Jo. They are discussing the local area as Anita cuts Jo's hair.

You will hear each statement twice.

0 5 Give **two** examples of the questions Anita asks Jo.

[2 marks]

1 _____

_____

2 _____

_____

0 6 Give **two** examples of what Jo says to Anita about herself.

[2 marks]

1 _____

_____

2 _____

_____

0 7 Where does Anita say there are currently some good places to visit in the village?

Give **two** examples.

[2 marks]

1 _____

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2 _____

_____

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0 8 . 1 Which event will take place nearest to Jo's new home?

[1 mark

0 8 . 2 What event is held every two weeks?

[1 mark]

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Task 3

Listen carefully to the following television programme about cooking hosted by a celebrity chef.

You will hear each statement twice.

Listen to the programme and complete the gaps in the notes below.

0 9 Programme: 'Cooking Well at Home'

To stay healthy and to protect our beautiful _____, we should eat fruit and vegetables.

[1 mark]

1 0 Today's ingredients:

The vegetables were collected from my _____ garden this morning.

_____ are the first ingredient cooked when making the stir fry.

[2 marks]

1 1 Healthy living:

Many of us eat too much _____. Children need to eat vegetables as they are _____ for their health and growth.

To prevent obesity, children should not be eating too much _____.

[3 marks]

1 2 Growing your own:

Growing your own vegetables develops your _____ for them.

When growing my own vegetables, I enjoy their _____.

[2 marks]

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Task 4

Listen carefully to the following talk. Two friends, Sana and Mary, are discussing Sana's plans for the next year.

Mary is giving Sana some advice about using technology to help her.

You will hear each statement twice.

1 3 What is Sana anxious about?

[1 mark]

1 4 What does Mary advise Sana to do?

[1 mark]

1 5 Why does Mary say that the GapFill app is so **good**?

Give **three** examples.

[3 marks]

1 _____

2 _____

3 _____

1 6 . 1 Why is Sana so **excited** about using GapFill?

Give **two** examples.

[2 marks]

1 _____

2 _____

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1 6 . 2 Sana says to Mary, "What would I do without you?"

What does she mean by this?

[1 mark]

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Task 5

Listen carefully to the following talk. It is part of a radio presentation by a charity founder, Robert Woods. In the presentation, he talks about the effects upon children living in poverty.

You will hear each statement twice.

1 7 What do we learn about poverty around the world? Tick (✓) the box next to the correct answer.

A It is decreasing. ☐

B It is increasing. ☐

C It is staying the same. ☐

[1 mark]

1 8 We are told that children living in poverty struggle at school and the gap 'increases and increases'.

What does this mean?

[2 marks]

1 9 How can children **benefit** from having extra adult support in school?

Give **two** examples.

[2 marks]

1 _____

2 _____

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2 0 The charity provides many **basic materials** to support these children.

Tick (✓) the example that they currently do **not** provide.

A Uniform ☐

B Pencils ☐

C Books ☐

D Pens ☐

E Calculator ☐

F Clothing ☐

[1 mark]

2 1 What is the final **message** of the speech?

Tick (✓) the box next to the **two correct** examples.

A To invite people to volunteer at the charity. ☐

B To criticise current school resources. ☐

C To raise awareness of their new facilities. ☐

D To explain why children struggle in school exams. ☐

E To explain why there are not enough jobs. ☐

[2 marks]

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