

Listening

Paper 3 LISTENING PART 1

You will hear people talking in eight different situations. For questions 1-8, choose the best answer, A, B or C.

1. You are visiting a friend when you hear him answer the telephone.
The caller

 - A. agrees to sell something.
 - B. agrees to buy something from the speaker.
 - C. changes his/her mind.
2. You are sitting in an aeroplane when you hear this announcement.
When will your flight be arriving?

 - A. late
 - B. on time
 - C. early
3. You have visited an English doctor because of a skin problem.
For a quick recovery you should

 - A. travel by car.
 - B. not go out in the daytime.
 - C. be careful when you are outside.
4. While waiting to check in your luggage at an airport, you hear this conversation.
On the flight, what are you normally allowed?

 - A. 15 kg of luggage
 - B. 16 kg of luggage
 - C. 30 kg of luggage
5. You are watching the weather forecast for Britain on TV.
Tomorrow the weather in north-eastern Britain will

 - A. not change.
 - B. be getting much brighter.
 - C. be different to all other regions.
6. Listen to this answerphone message for a business.
The company

 - A. arranges surprise parties.
 - B. sells office supplies.
 - C. are office cleaners.
7. You overhear two people talking in an office.
What does the man want the woman to do?

 - A. speak to Jack about Colin
 - B. sack Jack
 - C. speak to Colin about Jack
8. You hear a parent asking a child to go to the newsagent's and buy a newspaper.
The parent wants

 - A. today's *Andover Gazette*.
 - B. *Today* and the *Gazette*.
 - C. yesterday's *Gazette*.

Paper 3 LISTENING PART 2

You will hear part of an international radio broadcast on the subject of Guy Fawkes Night, an annual public celebration in Great Britain. For questions 9-18, complete the sentences with a word or short phrase.

On Guy Fawkes Night people burn a **9** of a man called 'Guy'.

The models are made only for the **10** of being burned.

On this night pets are usually **11** because it is very noisy.

Years ago, a Protestant king made life difficult for Britain's **12** .

A group of important men decided that King James I and his supporters **13** .

The conspirators bought a house that had **14** in its basement.

The conspirators put barrels of highly **15** under the government building.

Guy Fawkes' job was to keep a lookout for and tell the others about any **16** .

Guy Fawkes is the most well-known conspirator because he was **17** .

Nowadays Catholics and Protestants get along so the celebration is mostly **18** .

Paper 3 LISTENING PART 3

You will hear five different people describing five different recipes for desserts. For questions 19-23, choose from the list A-H which speaker's recipe fits the description given. Use the letters only once. There are three extra letters which you do not need to use.

- A** It is not suitable for vegetarians.
- B** It cannot be made with fresh ingredients at Christmas.
- C** It is from an ancient recipe.
- D** It involves no cooking.
- E** It is the easiest to make.
- F** It is rather expensive.
- G** It is her least favourite.
- H** It uses 50 grams of ground almonds.

Speaker 1 **19**

Speaker 2 **20**

Speaker 3 **21**

Speaker 4 **22**

Speaker 5 **23**

Paper 3 LISTENING PART 4

You will hear a woman and a man speaking together on a train. For questions 24-30, choose the best answer A, B or C.

24. Why can't the woman complete her phone conversation?
- A. noise
 - B. another passenger is bothering her
 - C. the reception is bad
25. Where does the man want to go?
- A. Salisbury
 - B. Brighton
 - C. Redhill
26. How does the man feel when he hears he is on the wrong train?
- A. He can't believe it.
 - B. He is angry at the woman.
 - C. He is frightened.
27. What is the problem with the man's ticket?
- A. He doesn't have one.
 - B. It is not valid for the train he is on.
 - C. It is made of plastic.
28. What is the next stop?
- A. Balcombe
 - B. Three Bridges
 - C. Brighton
29. Where is the woman going?
- A. Balcombe
 - B. Brighton
 - C. Lewes
30. What does the man ask the woman to do?
- A. take him to his station
 - B. make a call for him
 - C. talk to the guard for him