

**Preliminary for Schools**

## Listening

**Sample Paper 2**

**Time** Approximately 35 minutes (including 6 minutes' transfer time)

**INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

Do not open this question paper until you are told to do so.

**Write your name, centre number and candidate number on your answer sheet if they are not already there.**

Listen to the instructions for each part of the paper carefully.

Answer all the questions.

While you are listening, write your answers on the question paper.

You will have 6 minutes at the end of the test to copy your answers onto the separate answer sheet. Use a pencil.

At the end of the test, hand in both this question paper and your answer sheet.

**INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES**

There are four parts to the test.

Each question carries one mark.

You will hear each piece twice.

For each part of the test there will be time for you to look through the questions and time for you to check your answers.

## Part 1

### Questions 1 – 7

For each question, choose the correct answer.

1 Which coin does the boy hope to add to his collection?



A

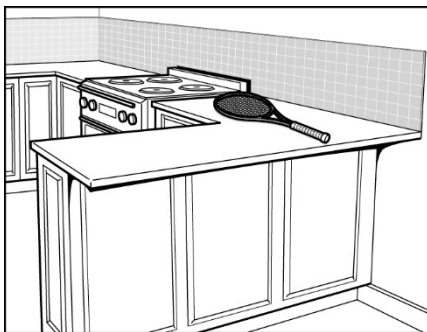


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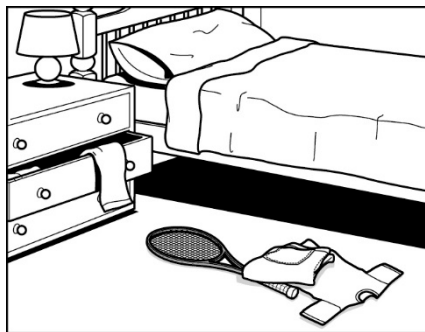


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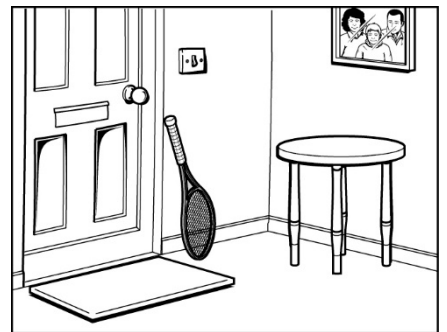
2 Where did the boy find his tennis racket?



A



B

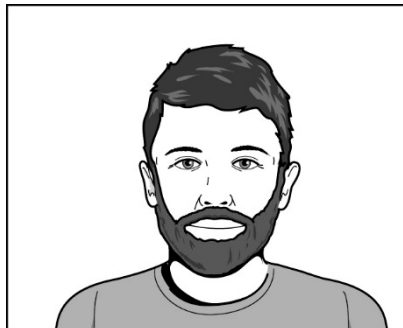


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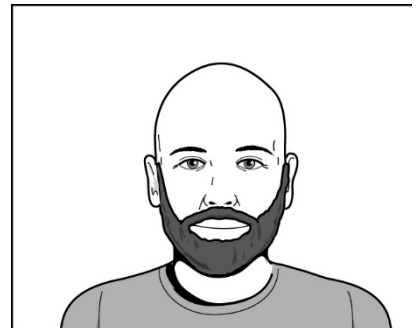
3 Which is the girl's uncle?



A

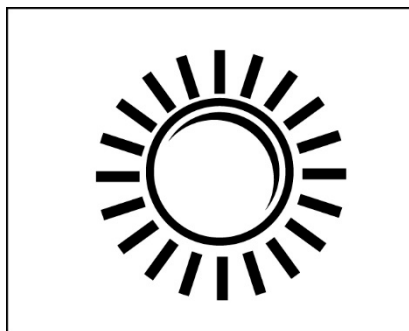


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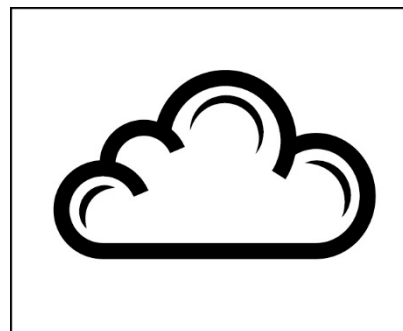
4 What was the weather like on the day of the girl's party?



A

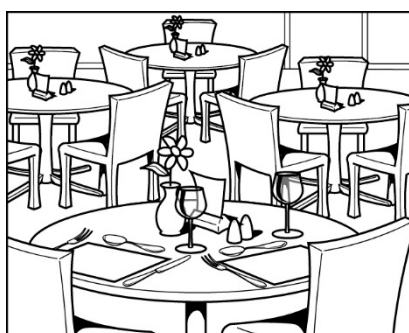


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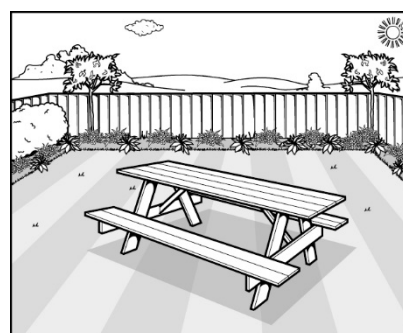
5 Where did the girl eat her lunch?



A



B



C

6 Which is the girl's suitcase?



A



B



C

7 What date will the boy go away on holiday?



A



B



C

## Part 2

### Questions 8 – 13

For each question, choose the correct answer.

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- 8** You will hear a girl telling a friend about her hockey training. What does she find difficult to deal with?
- A** The activities she has to do.
  - B** The people she has to train with.
  - C** The attitude of the instructor.
- 9** You will hear two friends talking about some maths homework. Why does the boy feel pleased?
- A** He got all the answers right.
  - B** He helped someone to do it.
  - C** He learned something useful from it.
- 10** You will hear two friends talking about health and fitness. They both think that it's important to
- A** improve their eating habits.
  - B** take some regular exercise.
  - C** spend more of their time outdoors.
- 11** You will hear two friends talking about a school show. What does the girl say about it?
- A** She isn't keen on performing.
  - B** She won't be available to take part.
  - C** She doesn't have any suitable skills.

- 12** You will hear a brother and sister talking about a campsite their family stayed in. What do they agree about it?
- A** Good activities were organised.
  - B** There was a lively atmosphere.
  - C** The location was convenient.
- 13** You will hear a girl talking to her friend about learning to play the guitar. What do they agree is best about it?
- A** It helps them feel more relaxed.
  - B** It makes them more confident.
  - C** It is more fun than they expected.

### Part 3

#### Questions 14 – 19

For each question, write the correct answer in the gap. Write **one** or **two words** or a **number** or a **date** or a **time**.

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You will hear an art teacher talking to her class about a trip to see an exhibition.

### Visit to an art exhibition

The visit is especially useful for students interested in (14) .....

Students should arrive at the bus station at (15) .....

It's not permitted to take (16) ..... into the art gallery.

The teacher recommends buying (17) ..... in the gallery shop.

Students should bring a (18) ..... for the journey home.

Students can find out more on www.(19) .....com.

## Part 4

### Questions 20 – 25

For each question, choose the correct answer.

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You will hear an interview with a wildlife photographer called Martin Brown, who's answering listeners' questions about his life.

- 20** Martin likes to take his photos from a tree because
- A** it keeps him out of danger.
  - B** it gives him the best possible view.
  - C** it helps protect him from the weather.
- 21** Martin tells the story of one scary experience with a bird which
- A** made him have an accident.
  - B** thought he was stealing its food.
  - C** damaged an expensive piece of equipment.
- 22** How did Martin feel when photographing a female monkey?
- A** confident he could get closer to its baby
  - B** worried it would leave its baby behind
  - C** pleased it trusted him near its baby
- 23** In Uganda, Martin was surprised when he saw an animal
- A** climbing a tree it was too heavy for.
  - B** hunting in an unusual tree.
  - C** pulling up a young tree.
- 24** When Martin took part in a tree-house project, he found it challenging because
- A** he was badly bitten by insects.
  - B** he didn't have long to complete it.
  - C** he wasn't given anyone to help him.
- 25** What advice does Martin have for anyone wanting to become a photographer like him?
- A** You should make sure you get a regular salary.
  - B** You need to develop some advanced skills.
  - C** You have to enjoy being by yourself.

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