



STUDENT NUMBER

CENTRE NUMBER

HIGHER SCHOOL CERTIFICATE EXAMINATION

1998

GERMAN

2 UNIT GENERAL

LISTENING SKILLS

(30 Marks)

Time allowed—Approximately 50 minutes
(Includes reading time)

DIRECTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- Write your Student Number and Centre Number at the top right-hand corner of this page.
- You may open your Examination Paper ONLY when instructed to do so on the examination cassette.
- Attempt ALL items.
- Write your answers in the spaces provided in this paper.
- All answers MUST be written in ENGLISH.
- You may make notes during the readings. These notes may be made in the column headed 'Candidate's Notes' in this paper. You are reminded that these notes are NOT considered by the examiners.
- You will have 3 minutes only at the end of the examination to check your answers.

CANDIDATE'S COPY

ITEM 1**CANDIDATE'S
NOTES**

- (a) Why has Veronika rung her father?

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- (b) Why has she no money left?

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ITEM 2

- (a) Why do many people NOT buy a Mercedes?

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- (b) (i) What is included in the price of the new model?

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- (ii) How much is it?

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ITEM 3

- (a) Why was Brigitte NOT at home last week?

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- (b) What was included in the prize? Mention TWO things.

- (i)

- (ii)

ITEM 4**CANDIDATE'S
NOTES**

- (a) Which group of people is Steffi Graf helping?

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- (b) What role does the *Deutsche Bank* play?

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ITEM 5

- (a) Where was Ruth?

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- (b) What is her news?

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ITEM 6

- (a) What is a dream for many Germans?

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- (b) What can often lead to disappointment?

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- (c) What telephone number can you ring for information?

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ITEM 7**CANDIDATE'S
NOTES**

- (a) Why was Ödel so happy?

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- (b) Who was invited?

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ITEM 8

- (a) (i) How does Michael get to school?

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- (ii) How long does it take?

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- (b) Describe Michael's radio. Give THREE details.

(i)

(ii)

(iii)

ITEM 9

- (a) What can a weekend guest expect?

(i)

(ii)

- (b) What special offer is available for families with children up to the age of eighteen?

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ITEM 10**CANDIDATE'S
NOTES**

(a) What has happened on Montserrat? Give TWO details.

(i)

(ii)

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(b) What are the casualties?

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ITEM 11

(a) What did Marina's parents do in Vienna?

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(b) Why did Marina go to bed so late?

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ITEM 12

(a) What is a common problem in many children between the ages of eight and fourteen years?

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(b) What is the reason for this?

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ITEM 13**CANDIDATE'S
NOTES**

- (a) Why does Matthias NOT want to do his homework?

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- (b) What has he forgotten?

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ITEM 14

- (a) What can happen when going on holidays? Give details.

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- (b) How can you relax while you wait?

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- (c) What is ONE benefit?

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ITEM 15

- (a) What happened to the elderly couple?

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- (b) Name TWO items that were lost.

(i)

(ii)

- (c) What was the end result?

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ITEM 16**CANDIDATE'S
NOTES**

- (a) Why does this family want to live on the outskirts of the city?

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- (b) Describe the house they are looking for. Give TWO details.

(i)

(ii)

- (c) How can they afford such a house?

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ITEM 17

- (a) Where did the fire start?

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- (b) How did the man save the family?

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ITEM 18

- (a) Who is the advertisement for?

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- (b) How much do you have to pay for:

(i) a small dog?

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(ii) a large dog?

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ITEM 19**CANDIDATE'S
NOTES**

- (a) What effect can living near an airport have on children?

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- (b) Why?

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ITEM 20

- (a) Why does the boy NOT want to wear the shirt?

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- (b) Why is he expected to wear it today?

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