

## Section I — Listening

30 marks

Attempt Questions 1–10

This section should take approximately 40 minutes

You will hear TEN texts. Each text will be read twice. The question for each text will be read once before the first reading of the text. There will be a pause after the first reading in which you may make notes. However, you may make notes at any time. You will be given adequate time after the second reading to complete your answer. Answer the questions in ENGLISH in the spaces provided. These spaces provide guidance for the expected length of response. In the case of multiple-choice questions, tick the box that corresponds to the correct response. You may proceed to Section II as soon as you have finished Question 10.

### Question 1 (2 marks)

Where will Véronique and Claude meet?

At the tennis club behind the supermarket.

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### Question 2 (2 marks)

Why are Bernard and Fatima having this conversation?

Bernard & Fatima speak of the colour blue.

They're conversing about their views on  
sports clothing etc.

### Question 3 (1 mark)

Marion is likely to

- (A) stop studying. ☐
- (B) look for a job. ☐
- (C) visit the Blue Mountains. ☐
- (D) celebrate her friend's birthday. ☐

### Candidate's Notes

2 supermarket  
droit: right.

2  
chemise: shirt  
blue: the colour  
~~super~~  
cravat

1  
Speaking to her father  
Australia isn't  
good.  
Visiting the  
Blue Mountains  
with her friends  
for her birthday

**Question 4 (2 marks)**

Why is Xavier feeling frustrated?

Xavier is frustrated as her vacation is not ~~now~~ going to plan. Xavier is dissatisfied with her accomodation & getting it isn't getting enough time alone.

**Question 5 (3 marks)**

Complete the table.

|                      |                             |
|----------------------|-----------------------------|
| Airline              | Air France                  |
| Flight               |                             |
| Reason for the delay | baggage problems/difficulty |
| Departure time       | 10:45am                     |

**Question 6 (3 marks)**

Why will Élodie go home? Justify your response.

~~Élodie does not wish to go home.~~  
Élodie forgot her book at home & she apologizes. The teacher is to send her home but she's worried it will infuriate her parents.

**Candidate's Notes**

2  
vacance  
petetre

3

dix neur quadrant  
sing

3

she doesn't want  
to leave  
shes sorry  
the teachers are  
nice, some are  
fantastic  
she feels that shes  
being mistreated  
though

**Question 7 (4 marks)**

- (a) Fill in the missing letters.

OP R 3 5 I QU S 1 2 7 4

- (b) Why is the young man in trouble?

The young man was speeding and  
admits to not paying attention &  
gives the excuse he gives of picking up a  
pizza is inadequate. He apologized  
but is fined. Then later speaks of how  
he's ~~pre~~ going to be late for work

**Candidate's  
Notes**

1

3

he wasn't  
paying attention  
he gives a lousy  
excuse

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Question 8 (4 marks)

What are the main points made by Sébastien?

Sébastien hates school. He feels as though he's wasting his time. He hates the amount of study expected. He doesn't feel he's going to do well in the exams because they're stupid. Sébastien wants to drop out of school and start to work so he can earn money.

Question 9 (4 marks)

Why is Mr Jackson making this speech?

Mr Jackson is a language teacher whom is doing a speech to encourage people to take up an English class. He says he has much experience. This course is new. Mr Jackson appreciates tradition. It's cheap & will benefit.

Candidate's  
Notes

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in he hates school  
doesn't like to study  
he thinks he's stupid  
he'd rather work  
and receive \$

4

Language teacher?  
nouvelle  
vacance  
he's running  
a course?  
english  
experience  
different  
appreciates  
tradition



**Question 10 (5 marks)**

Will Léa get the job? Justify your response.

The job is for the hotel receptionist.  
Léa will get the job. She has required  
experience: which was also as a receptionist.  
~~she~~ Léa says she has great social skills  
and experience. Though she's not fluent  
in speaking English she studied it in  
year 10 in school. It's required to  
~~do~~ work well with computers,  
she loves Facebook.

**Candidate's  
Notes**

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receptionist  
in note 1:

need experience ✓  
has it  
social experience

speak english  
hardly

computers: yes  
she loves FB.

**You may now proceed to Section II**