

40 IELTS LISTENING TESTS

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SECTION 2



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TEST 1

Questions 11–13

NO MORE THAN 3 WORDS/ NUMBER

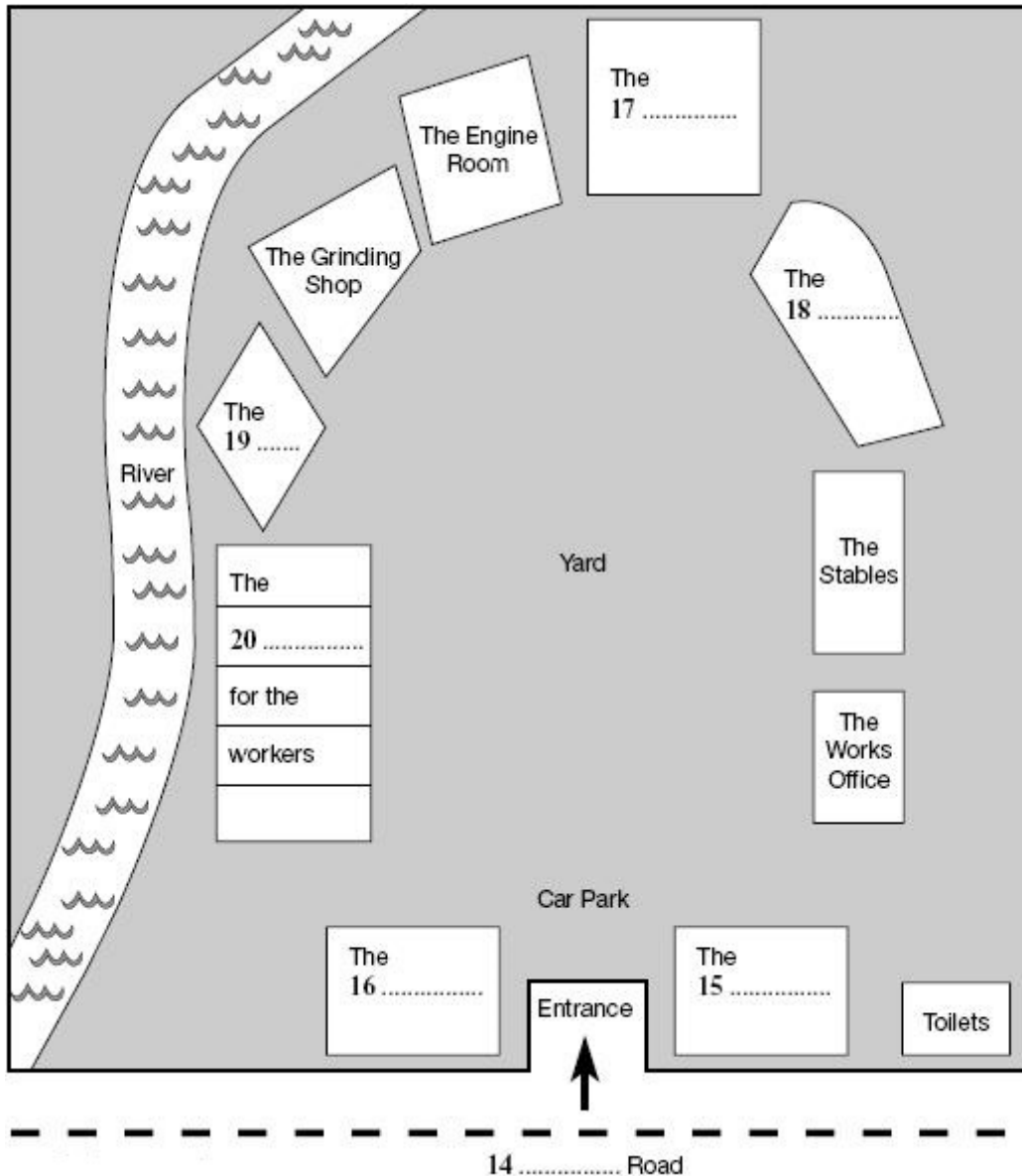
RIVERSIDE INDUSTRIAL VILLAGE

Riverside Village was a good place to start an industry because it had water, raw materials and fuels such as **11)**..... &

The metal industry was established at Riverside Village by **12)**..... who lived in the area. There were over **13)**..... water-powered mills in the area in the eighteenth century.

Questions 14–20

NO MORE THAN 2 WORDS



TEST 2

Question 11-20

Choose the correct letter, A, B or C.

11 The Counselling Service may contact tutors if

A they are too slow in marking assignments.

B they give students a lot of work.

C they don't inform students about their progress.

12 Stress may be caused by

A new teachers.

B time pressure.

C unfamiliar subject matter.

13 International students may find stress difficult to handle because

A they lack support from family and friends

B they don't have time to make new friends.

C they find it difficult to socialise.

14 A personal crisis may be caused by

A studying for too long overseas.

B business problems in the student's own country.

C disruptions to personal relationships.

15 Students may lose self-esteem if

A they have to change courses.

B they don't complete a course.

C their family puts too much pressure on them.

16 Students should consult Glenda Roberts of

A their general health is poor.

B their diet is too strict.

C they can't eat the local food.

17 Students in financial difficulties can receive

A assistance to buy books.

B a loan to pay their course fees.

C a no-interest loan to cover study expenses.

18 Loans are also available to students who

A can't pay their rent.

B need to buy furniture.

C can't cover their living expenses.

19 The number of students counselled by the service last year was

A 214.

B 240.

C 2,600.

20 The speaker thinks the Counselling Service

A has been effective in spite of staff shortages.

B is under-used by students.

C has suffered badly because of staff cuts.

TEST 3

Question 11-14

Choose the correct letter, A, B or C.

11 When is this year's festival being held?

A 1-13 January

B 5-17 January

C 25-31 January

12 What will the reviewer concentrate on today?

A theatre

B dance

C exhibitions

13 How many circuses are there in the festival?

A one

B two

C several

14 Where does Circus Romano perform?

A in a theatre

B in a tent

C in a stadium

Question 15-20

Complete the notes below.

Write **NO MORE THAN THREE WORDS** for each answer.

	Where	Type of performance	Highlights	Type of audience
Circus Romano		Clowns and acrobats	Music and (15).....	(16).....
Circus Electrica	(17).....	Dancers and magicians	Aerial displays	(18).....
Mekong Water Puppets	(19).....	Puppets	Seeing the puppeteers at end	(20).....

TEST 4

Questions 11-15

Choose the correct letter, A, B or C.

11 To find out how much holidays cost, you should press button

A one.

B two.

C three.

12 Travelite currently offer walking holidays

A only in Western Europe.

B all over Europe.

C outside Europe.

13 The walks offered by Travelite

A cater for a range of walking abilities.

B are planned by guides from the local area.

C are for people with good fitness levels.

14 On Travelite holidays, people holidaying alone pay

A the same as other clients.

B only a little more than other clients.

C extra only if they stay in a large room.

15 Entertainment is provided

A when guests request it.

B most nights.

C every night.

Questions 16-20

Complete the table below.

Write **NO MORE THAN THREE WORDS AND/OR A NUMBER** for each answer

Length of holiday and Cost per person (including all accommodation costs)	Special offers included in price
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3 days

16) \$ _____

Pick up from the **17)** _____

7 days

\$350

As above plus

book of **18)** _____

maps

14 days

19) \$ _____

As above plus membership of a **20)** _____

TEST 5

Questions 11-19

Complete the table below.

Write **NO MORE THAN THREE WORDS** for each answer.

Brand of Cot	Good Points	Problems	Verdict
Baby Safe	Easy to 11	Did not have any 12 Babies could trap their 13in the side bar	14
Choice Cots	Easy to 15	Side did not drop down Spaces between the bars were 16	17
Mother's Choice	Base of cot could be moved	Did not have any 18 Pictures could be removed easily	19

Question 20

Complete the notes below.

Write **ONE WORD ONLY** for the answer.

- Metal should not be rusted or bent
- Edges of cot should not be **20**.....

TEST 6

Questions 11-15

Choose the correct letter, A, B or C.

BICYCLES FOR THE WORLD

11)	In 1993 Dan Pearman went to Ecuador
	A as a tourist guide.
	B as part of his studies.
	C as a voluntary worker.
12)	Dan's neighbour was successful in business because he
	A employed carpenters from the area.
	B was the most skilled craftsman in the town.
	C found it easy to reach customers.
13)	Dan says the charity relies on
	A getting enough bicycles to send regularly.
	B finding new areas which need the bicycles.
	C charging for the bicycles it sends abroad.
14)	What does Dan say about the town of Rivas?
	A It has received the greatest number of bikes.
	B It has almost as many bikes as Amsterdam.
	C Its economy has been totally transformed.
15)	What problem did the charity face in August 2000?
	A It couldn't meet its overheads.
	B It had to delay sending the bikes.
	C It was criticised in the British media.

Questions 16 and 17

Answer the questions below.

Write **NO MORE THAN ONE WORD OR A NUMBER** for each answer.

16) How much money did the charity receive when it won an award?

17) What is the charity currently hoping to buy?

Questions 18-20

Choose **THREE** letters **A-G**.

Which **THREE** things can the general public do to help the charity Pedal Power?

	A organise a bicycle collection
	B repair the donated bikes
	C donate their unwanted tools
	D do voluntary work in its office
	E hold an event to raise money
	F identify areas that need bikes
	G write to the government

TEST 7

Questions 11-20

Choose TWO letters A-E.

What TWO advantages does the speaker say Rexford University has for the students he is speaking to?

A higher than average results in examinations

B good transport links with central London

C near London Airport

D special government funding

E good links with local industry

Questions 13-15

Choose the table below.

Write NO MORE THAN ONE WORD for each answer.

- When application is received, confirmation will be sent
- Application processing may be slowed down by- postal problems- delays in sending **(13)**
- University tries to put international applicants in touch with a student From the same **(14)** who can give information and advice- on academic atmosphere- leisure facilities- English **(15)** and food- what to peak

Questions 16-20

Choose the correct letter, A, B or C.

16) The speaker says international students at UK universities will be

A offered accommodation with local families.

B given special help by their lecturers.

C expected to work independently.

17) What does the speaker say about university accommodation on campus?

A Most places are given to undergraduates.

B No places are available for postgraduates with families.

C A limited number of places are available for new postgraduates.

18) Students wishing to live off-campus should apply

A several months in advance.

B two or three weeks in advance.

C at the beginning of term.

19) The university accommodation officer will

A send a list of agents for students to contact.

B contact accommodation agencies for students.

C ensure that students have suitable accommodation.

20) With regard to their English, the speaker advises the students to

A tell their lecturers if they have problems understanding.

B have private English lessons when they arrive.

C practise their spoken English before they arrive.

TEST 8

Questions 11-13

Complete the sentences below using **NO MORE THAN TWO WORDS** for each answer.

11) The next meeting of the soccer club will be in the in King's Park on 2 July.

12) The first event is a

13) At the final dinner, players receive

Questions 14-17

Complete the table below using **NO MORE THAN THREE WORDS AND/OR A NUMBER** for each answer.

Competition	Number of Team	Games Begin	Training Session (in King's Park)
Junior	14	8.30 am	15
Senior	16	2.00 pm	17

Questions 18-20

Complete the table below using **NO MORE THAN THREE WORDS AND/OR A NUMBER** for each answer.

Name of Office Bearer	Responsibility
Robert Young: President	to manage meetings
Gina Costello: Treasurer	to 18
David West: Secretary	to 19
Jason Dokic: Head Coach	to 20

TEST 9

What change has been made to each part of the theatre?

Choose **SIX** answers from the box and write the correct letter, **A-G**, next to **questions 11-16**.

RIVENDEN CITY THEATRE

- A doubled in number
- B given separate entrance
- C reduced in number
- D increased in size
- E replaced
- F strengthened
- G temporarily closed

Part of the theatre

- 11. box office
- 12. shop
- 13. ordinary seats
- 14. seats for wheelchair users
- 15. lifts
- 16. dressing rooms

Questions 17-20

Write the correct letter, **A-G**, next to Questions 17-20.

Ground floor plan of theatre

The diagram shows a ground floor plan of a theatre. At the top, there is a dark grey area representing the stage. Below it, a horizontal corridor contains two boxes labeled A and B. To the right of this corridor, there are two more boxes labeled C and D. Below the corridor, there is a large area labeled 'foyer'. In the foyer, there are two boxes labeled E and F, and a larger area labeled G. A 'water cooler' is indicated by a circle on the left wall of the foyer. 'double doors' are shown in the center of the foyer. At the bottom, there is a 'road' with two 'entrance' points leading into the foyer area.

- 17 box office
- 18 theatre manager's office
- 19 lighting box
- 20 artistic director's office

TEST 10

(Questions 11-20)

Complete the sentences below.

Write **NO MORE THAN TWO WORDS AND/OR A NUMBER** for each answer.

TRAIN INFORMATION

- 11. Local services depart from railway station.
- 12. National services depart from the railway station.
- 13. Trains for London depart every each day during the week.
- 14. The price of a first class ticket includes

Questions 15-17

Complete the form below.

Write **NO MORE THAN TWO WORDS AND/OR A NUMBER** for each answer.

Type of ticket	Details
Standard open	no restrictions
Supersave	travel after 8.45
Special	travel after 15 and at weekends
16	buy at least six days ahead limited numbers 17 essential

Questions 18-20

Choose **THREE** letters, **A-G**.

Which **THREE** attractions can you visit at present by train from Treburch?

- A a science museum
- B a theme park
- C a climbing wall
- D a mining museum
- E an aquarium
- F a castle
- G a zoo

TEST 11

Questions 11-13

Choose the correct letter, A, B or C.

THE HISTORY OF ROSEWOOD HOUSE

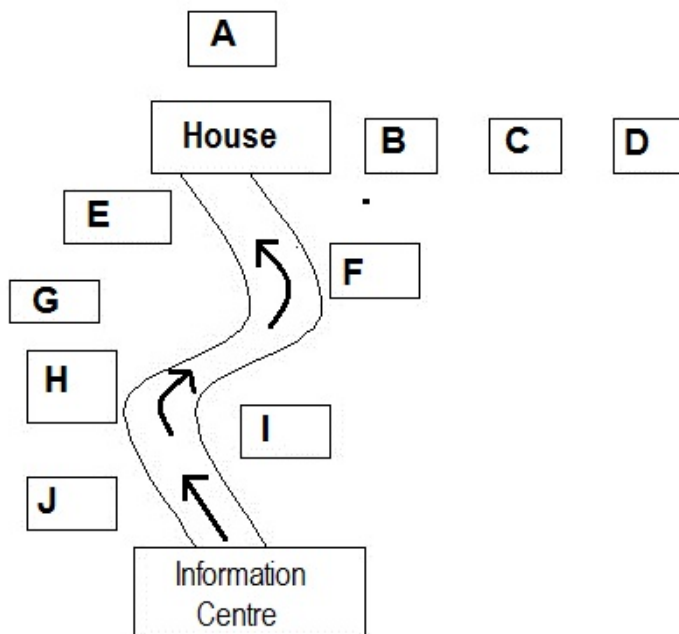
- 11.** When the writer Sebastian George first saw Rosewood House, he
A thought he might rent it.
B felt it was too expensive for him.
C was unsure whether to buy it.
- 12.** Before buying the house, George had
A experienced severe family problems.
B struggled to become a successful author.
C suffered a serious illness.
- 13.** According to the speaker, George viewed Rosewood House as
A a rich source of material for his books.
B a way to escape from his work.
C a typical building of the region.

Questions 14-17

Label the map below:

Write the correct letter, A-J next to questions 14-17

ROSEWOOD HOUSE AND GARDENS



- 14 Pear Alley
- 15 Mulberry Garden
- 16 Shop
- 17 TeaRoom

Questions 18-20

Complete the sentences below.

Write **ONE WORD ONLY** for each answer

RIVER WALK

- 18 You can walk through the that goes along the river bank.
- 19 You can go over the and then into a wooded area.
- 20 On your way back, you could also go up to the

TEST 12

Questions 11-13

Which team will do each of the following jobs?

Choose **THREE** answers from the box and write the correct letter, **A-D**, next to questions **11-13**.

Teams

- A. the blue team
- B. the yellow team
- C. the green team
- D. the red team

- 11. checking entrance tickets
- 12. preparing refreshments
- 13. directing car-park traffic.

Questions 14 – 20

Complete the table below.

Write **NO MORE THAN THREE WORDS AND/OR A NUMBER** for each answer.

Travel Expo Temporary Staff Orientation Programme		
Time	Event	Details
9:30 am	Talk by Anne Smith	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • information about pay • will give out the 14 forms
10:00 am	Talk by Peter Chen	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • will discuss Conference Centre plan • will explain about arrangements for 15..... and fire exits
10:30 am	Coffee Break	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • go to Staff Canteen on the 16.....
11:00 am	Video Presentation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • go to 17..... • video title: 18.....
12:00	Buffet Lunch	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • go to the 19..... on 1st floor
1:00 pm	Meet the 20	
3:00 pm	Finish	

TEST 13

Questions 11-16

Choose the correct letter, **A**, **B** or **C**

11 PS Camping has been organizing holidays for

A 15 years.

B 20 years.

C 25 years.

12 The company has most camping sites in

A France.

B Italy.

C Switzerland.

13 Which organized activity can children do every day of the week?

A football

B drama

C model making

14 Some areas of the sites have a 'no noise' rule after

A 9.30 p.m

B 10.00 p.m

C 10.30 p.m

15 The holiday insurance that is offered by PS Camping

A can be charged on an annual basis.

B is included in the price of the holiday.

C must be taken out at the time of booking.

16 Customers who recommend PS Camping to friends will receive

A a free gift.

B an upgrade to a luxury tent.

C a discount.

Questions 17-20

What does the speaker say about the following items?

Write the correct letter, **A**, **B** or **C**, next to questions 17-20

A They are provided in all tents.

B They are found in central areas of the campsite.

C They are available on request.

17 barbecues

18 toys

19 cool boxes

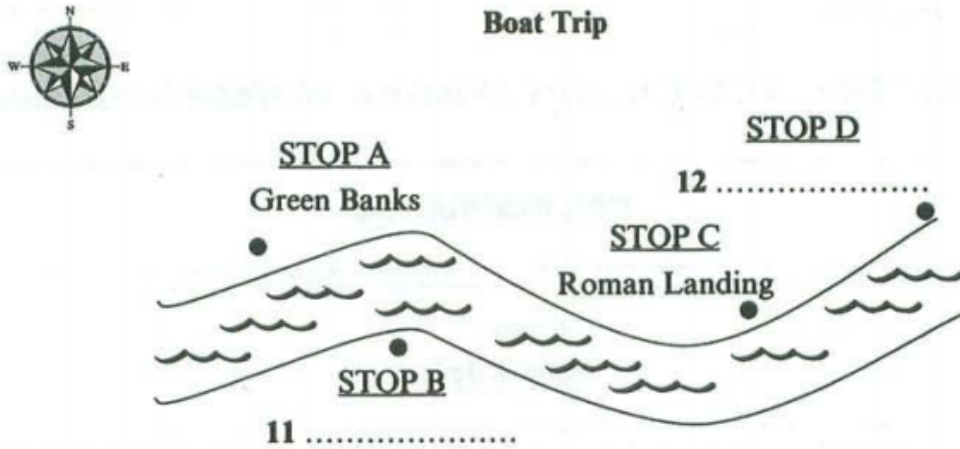
20 mops and buckets

TEST 14

Questions 11 and 12

Label the map below.

Write **NO MORE THAN TWO WORDS** for each answer.



Questions 13-18

Complete the table below.

Write **NO MORE THAN TWO WORDS AND/OR A NUMBER** for each answer.

	Attraction	Further Information
STOP A: Main Booking Office: First boat: 8 a.m. Last boat: 13 p.m.	Palace	I has lovely 14
STOP B:	15	I has good 16of city centre
STOP C:	Museum	I bookshop specializing in the 17of the local area
STOP D:	Entertainment Complex	I 18cinemal Bowling alleyl video games arcade

Questions 19 and 20

Write **NO MORE THAN THREE WORDS AND/OR A NUMBER** for each answer.,

19 How often do the Top Bus Company tours run?

.....

20 Where can you catch a Number One Sightseeing Tour from?

.....

TEST 15

Questions 11-16

Choose the correct letter, **A**, **B** or **C**

SPONSORED WALKING HOLIDAY

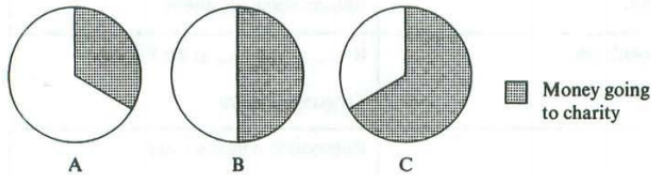
11 On the holiday, you will be walking for

A 6days

B 8days

C 10days

12 What proportion of the sponsorship money goes to charity?



13 Each walker's sponsorship money goes to one

A student.

B teacher.

C school.

14 When you start the trek you must be

A interested in getting fit.

B already quite fit.

C already very fit.

15 As you walk you will carry

A all of your belongings.

B some of your belongings.

C none of your belongings.

16 The Semira Region has a long tradition of

A making carpets.

B weaving blankets.

C carving wood.

Questions 17-20

Complete the form below.

Write **ONE WORD ONLY** for each answer.

ITINERARY	
Day1	arrive in Kishba
Day2	rest day
Day3	spend all day in a 17
Day4	visit a school
Day5	rest day
Day6	see a 18with oldcarvings
Day7	rest day
Day8	swim in a 19
Day9	visit a 20

TEST 16

Questions 11-14

Choose the correct letter, A, B or C.

11 What kind of tour is Sally leading?

- A a bus tour
- B a train tour
- C a walking tour

12 The original buildings on the site were

- A houses.
- B industrial buildings.
- C shops.

13 The local residents wanted to use the site for

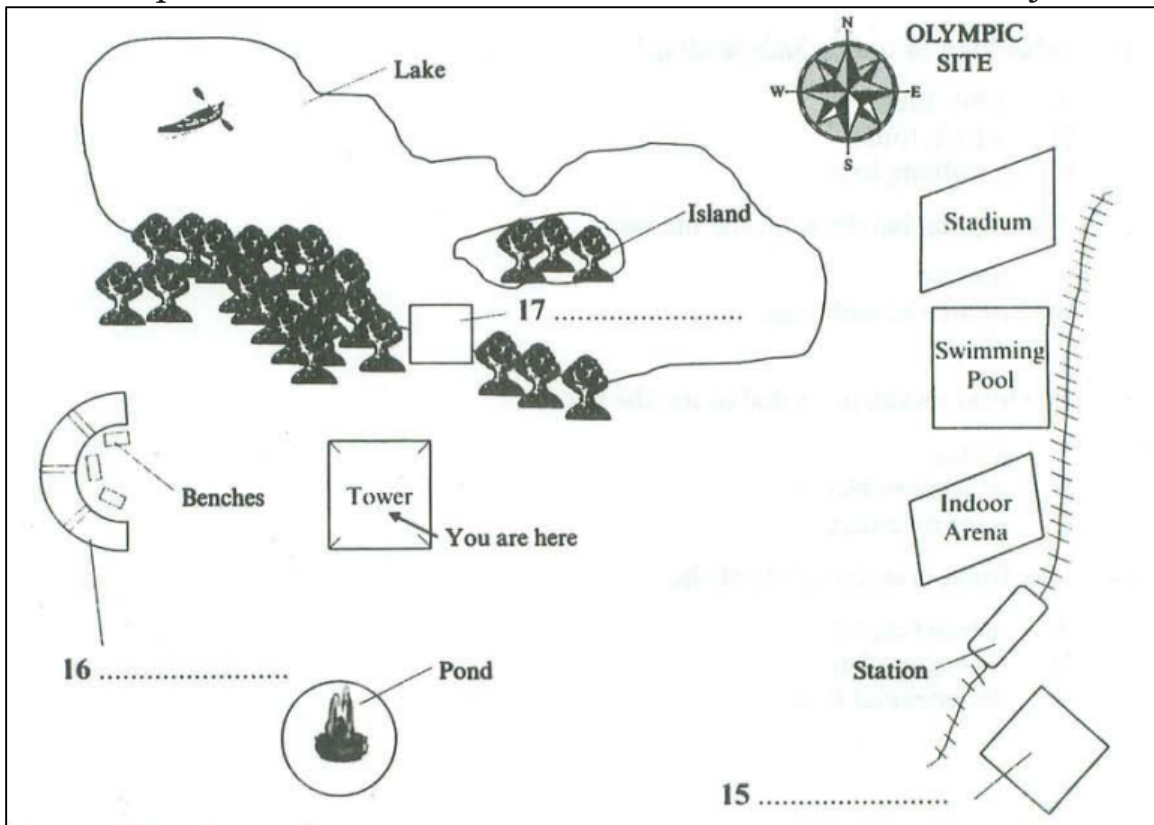
- A leisure.
- B apartment blocks.
- C a sports centre.

14 The Tower is at the centre of the

- A nature reserve.
- B formal gardens.
- C Bicentennial Park.

Questions 15-17

Label the plan below. Write **NO MORE THAN TWO WORDS** for each answer.



Questions 18-20

Complete the table below.

Write **NO MORE THAN TWO WORDS** for each answer.

Nature Reserve

Area	Facility	Activity
The Mangroves	boardwalk	18
Frog Pond	outdoor classroom	19
The Waterbird Refuge	20	bird watching

TEST 17

Questions 11-15

Complete the sentences below.

Write **NO MORE THAN TWO WORDS AND/OR A NUMBER** for each answer.

The Dinosaur Museum

11 The museum close atp.m. on Mondays.

12 The museum is not open on

13 School group are met by tour guides in the

14 The whole visit takes 90 minutes, including..... minutes for the guided tour.

15 There arebehind the museum where students can have lunch.

Question 16-18

Choose **THREE** letters, **A-G**.

Which **THREE** things can students have with them in the museum?

A food

B water

C cameras

D books

E bags

F pens

G worksheets

Questions 19-20

Choose **TWO** letters, **A-E**.

Which **TWO** activities can students do after the tour at present?

A build model dinosaurs

B watch films

C draw dinosaurs

D find dinosaur eggs

E paly computer games

TEST 18

Question 11

Choose the correct letter, **A**, **B** or **C**.

11 According to the speaker, the main purposes of the park are

A education and entertainment.

B research and education.

C research and entertainment

Questions 12-14

Label the plan below.

Write **NO MORE THAN TWO WORDS** for each answer.



Questions 15-20

Choose the correct letter, A, B or C.

15 When are the experimental areas closed to the public?

- A all the year round
- B almost all the year
- C a short time every year

16 How can you move around the park?

- A by tram, walking or bicycle
- B by solar car or bicycle
- C by bicycle, walking or bus

17 The rare breed animals kept in the park include

- A hens and horses.
- B goats and cows.
- C goats and hens.

18 What is the main purpose of having the Rare Breeds Section?

- A to save unusual animals
- B to keep a variety of breeds
- C to educate the public

19 What can you see in the park at the present time?

- A the arrival of wild birds
- B fruit tree blossom
- C a demonstration of fishing

20 The shop contains books about

- A animals.
- B Local traditions.
- C the history of the park.

TEST 19

Questions 11-16

Complete the notes below.

Write **NO MORE THAN TWO WORDS AND/OR A NUMBER** for each answer.

THE NATIONAL ARTS CENTRE

Well known for: **11**.....

complex consists of: concert rooms
 theatres
 cinemas
 art galleries
 public library
 restaurants
 a **12**

Historical background:
 1940-area destroyed by bombs
 1960s-1970s-Centre was **13** and built
 in **14**.....-opened to public

Managed by: the **15**

Open: **16** days per year

Questions 17-20

Complete the table below.

Write **NO MORE THAN THREE WORDS AND/OR A NUMBER** for each answer.

Day	Time	Event	Venue	Ticket price
Monday and Tuesday	7.30 p.m.	'The Magic Flute' (opera by Mozart)	17	from £8.00
Wednesday	8.00 p.m.	18 '.....' (Canadian film)	Cinema 2	19 £
Saturday and Sunday	11 a.m. to 10 p.m.	20 '.....' (art exhibition)	Gallery 1	free

TEST 20

Questions 11-13

Choose the correct letter, **A**, **B** or **C**

Improvements to Red Hill Suburb

11 Community groups are mainly concerned about

A pedestrian safety.

B traffic jams.

C increased pollution.

12 It has been decided that the overhead power lines will be

A extended.

B buried.

C repaired.

13 The expenses related to the power lines will be paid for by

A the council.

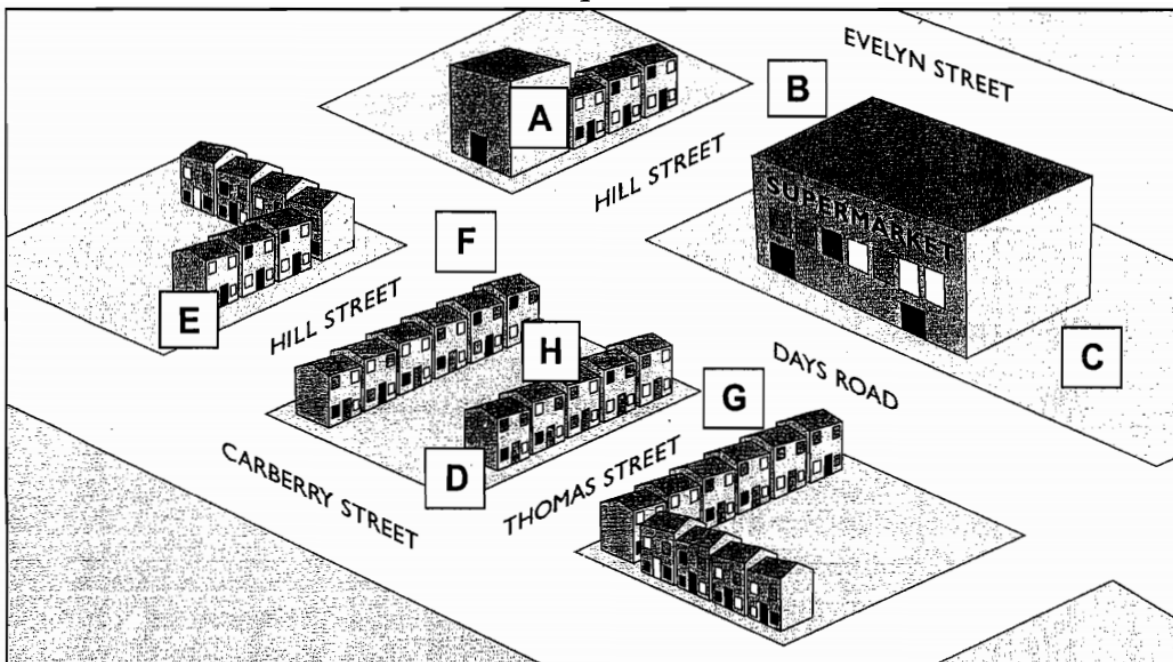
B the power company.

C local businesses.

Questions 14-20

Label the map below.

Write the correct letter, **A-H**, next to questions 14-20



14 trees

15 wider footpaths

16 coloured road surface

17 new sign

18 traffic lights

19 artwork

20 children's playground

TEST 21

Questions 11-16

Complete the notes below.

Write **ONE WORD AND/OR A NUMBER** for each answer.

SPORTS WORLD

a new **11** of an international sports goods company
I located in the shopping centre to the **12** of Bradcaster
I has sports **13** and equipment on floors 1–3
I can get you any item within **14** days
I shop specialises in equipment for **15**
I has a special section which just sells **16**

Questions 17 and 18

Choose the correct letter, A, B or C.

17 A champion athlete will be in the shop

- A on Saturday morning only.
- B all day Saturday.
- C for the whole weekend.

18 The first person to answer 20 quiz questions correctly will win

- A gym membership.
- B a video.
- C a calendar.

Questions 19 and 20

Choose **TWO** letters, A-E.

Which **TWO** pieces of information does the speaker give about the fitness test?

- A You need to reserve a place.
- B It is free to account holders.
- C You get advice on how to improve your health.
- D It takes place in a special clinic.
- E It is cheaper this month.

TEST 22

Questions 11-13

Complete the table below.

Write **NO MORE THAN THREE WORDS** for each answer.

Parks and open spaces

Name of place	Of particular interest	Open
Halland Common	Source of River Ouse	24 hours
Holt Island	many different 11 _____	between 12 _____ and _____
Longfield Country Park	reconstruction of a 2,000-year-old 13 _____ with activities for children	daylight hours

Questions 14-16

Choose the correct letter, **A**, **B** or **C**.

Longfield Park

14 As part of Monday's activity, visitors will

- A** prepare food with herbs.
- B** meet a well-known herbalist.
- C** dye cloth with herbs.

15 For the activity on Wednesday,

- A** only group bookings are accepted.
- B** visitors should book in advance.
- C** attendance is free.

16 For the activity on Saturday, visitors should

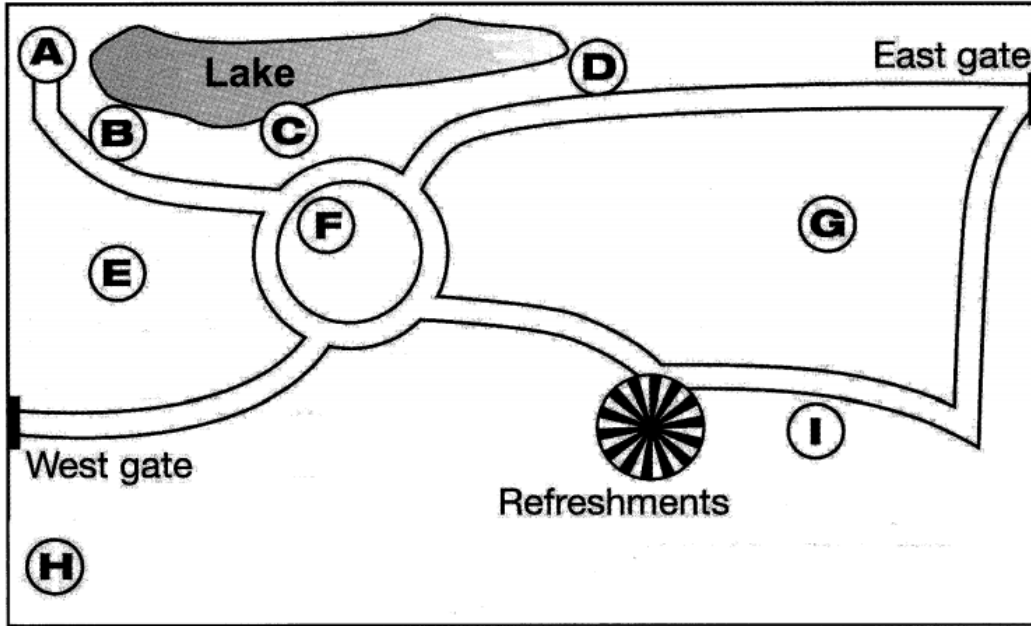
- A** come in suitable clothing.
- B** make sure they are able to stay for the whole day.
- C** tell the rangers before the event what they wish to do.

Questions 17-20

Label the map below.

Write the correct letter, **A-I**, next to questions 17-20.

Hinchingsbrooke Park



- 17 bird hide _____
- 18 dog-walking area _____
- 19 flower garden _____
- 20 wooded area _____

TEST 23

Questions 11-13

Choose the correct letter A, B or C.

Win-ridge Forest Railway Park

11. Simon's idea for a theme park came from

- A his childhood hobby.
- B his interest in landscape design.
- C his visit to another park.

12. When they started, the family decided to open the park only when

- A the weather was expected to be good.
- B the children weren't at school.
- C there were fewer farming commitments.

13. Since opening, the park has had

- A 50.000 visitors.
- B 1.000.000 visitors.
- C 1,500.000 visitors.

Questions 14-18

What is currently the main area of work of each of the following people?

Choose FIVE answers from the box and write the correct letter A-H. next to questions 14-18.

Area of work

- A advertising
- B animal care
- C building
- D educational links
- E engine maintenance
- F food and drink
- G sales
- H staffing

People

- 14. Simon (the speaker)
- 15. Liz
- 16. Sarah
- 17. Duncan
- 18. Judith,.....,.....

Questions 19 and 20

Complete the table below

Write ONE WORD AND/OR NUMBERS for each answer

Feature	Size	Biggest challenge	Target age group
Railway	1.2 km	Making tunnels	
Go-Kart arena	19m	Removing mounds on the track	20 year-olds

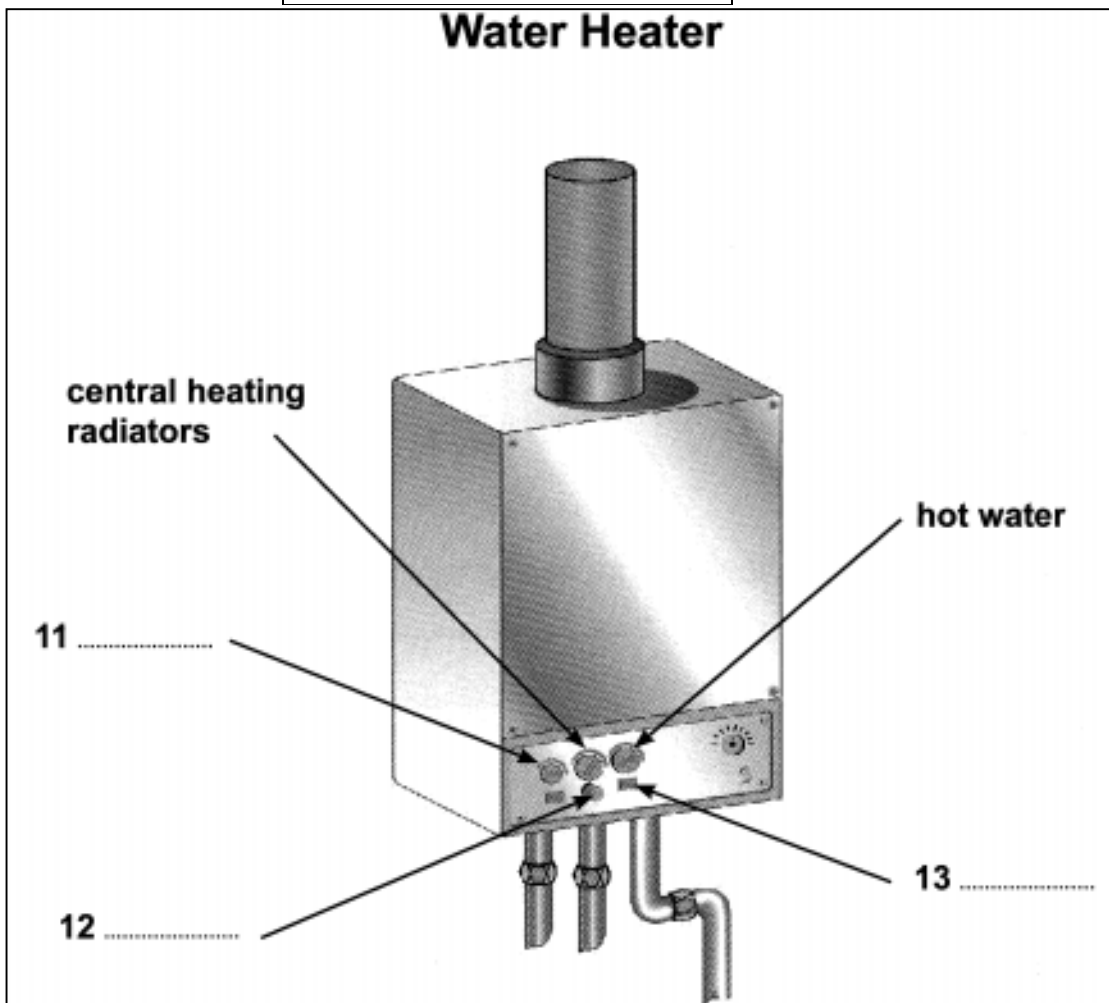
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Questions 11-13

Label the diagram below

Choose **THREE** answers from the box and write the correct letter A-E, next to questions 11-13.

- A electricity indicator
- B on/off switch
- C reset button
- D time control
- E warning indicator



Questions 14-18

Where can each of the following items be found?

Choose FIVE answers from the box and write the correct letter: A-G. next to questions 14-18.

Locations

- A. in box on washing machine
- B. in cupboard on landing
- C. in chest of drawers
- D. next to window in living room
- E. on shelf by back door
- F. on top of television
- G. under kitchen sink

14. pillows

15. washing powder ,.....

16. key

17. light bulbs

18. map,.....

Questions 19 and 20

Complete the notes below.

Write **ONE WORD AND/OR A NUMBER** for each answer

The best place to park in town – next to the station

Phone number for takeaway pizzas – **19**

Railway museum closed on **20**,

TEST 25

Questions 11–12

Choose **TWO** letters **A–E**.

Which **TWO** facilities at the leisure club have recently been improved?

A the gym

B the tracks

C the indoor pool

D the outdoor pool

E the sports training for children

Questions 13–20

Complete the notes below.

Write NO MORE THAN TWO WORDS for each answer.

Joining the leisure club

Personal Assessment

- New members should describe any **13**.....
 - The **14**..... will be explained to you before you use the equipment.
 - You will be given a six-week **15**.....

Types of membership

- There is a compulsory ?90 **16**.....fee for members.
- Gold members are given **17**..... to all the LP clubs.
- Premier members are given priority during **18**..... hours.
- Premier members can bring some **19**..... every month.
- Members should always take their **20**.....with them.

TEST 26

Questions 11-14

Choose the correct letter, **A**, **B** or **C**.

New city developments

- 11** The idea for the two new developments in the city came from
A local people.
B the City Council.
C the SWRDC.
- 12** What is unusual about Brackenside pool?
A its architectural style
B its heating system
C its method of water treatment
- 13** Local newspapers have raised worries about
A the late opening date.
B the cost of the project.
C the size of the facilities.
- 14** What decision has not yet been made about the pool?
A whose statue will be at the door
B the exact opening times
C who will open

Questions 15-20

Which feature is related to each of the following areas of the world represented in the playground?

Choose **SIX** answers from the box and write the correct letter, **A-I**, next to questions **15-20**.

Features

- A** ancient forts
- B** waterways
- C** ice and snow
- D** jewels
- E** local animals
- F** mountains
- G** music and film
- H** space travel
- I** volcanoes

Areas of the world

- 15** Asia
- 16** Antarctica
- 17** South America
- 18** North America
- 19** Europe
- 20** Africa

TEST 27

Questions **11** and **12**

Choose **TWO** letters, **A-E**.

Which **TWO** things does Alice say about the Dolphin Conservation Trust?

- A** Children make up most of the membership
- B** It's the country's largest conservation organisation
- C** It helps finance campaigns for changes in fishing practices
- D** It employs several dolphin experts full-time
- E** Volunteers help in various ways

Questions **13-15**

Choose the correct letter, **A, B, or C**

13 Why is Alice so pleased the Trust has won the Charity Commission award?

- A** It has brought in extra money
- B** It made the work of the trust better known
- C** It has attracted more members

14 Alice says oil exploration causes problems to dolphins because of ...

- A** noise
- B** oil leaks
- C** movement of ships

15 Alice became interested in dolphins when

- A** she saw one swimming near her home
- B** she heard a speaker at her school
- C** she read a book about them

Questions **16-20**

Which dolphin does Alice make each of the following comments about?

Write the correct letter, **A, B, C or D**, next to questions **16-20**.

Dolphins

- A** Moon dancer
- B** Echo
- C** Kiwi
- D** Samson

Comments

- 16** It has not been seen this year
- 17** It is photographed more than the others
- 18** It is always very energetic
- 19** It is the newest one in the scheme
- 20** It has an unusual shape

TEST 28

Questions 11-15

Choose the correct letter, A, B or C.

MANHAM PORT

11 Why did a port originally develop at Manham?

- A It was safe from enemy attack.
- B It was convenient for river transport.
- C It had a good position on the sea coast.

12 What caused Manham's sudden expansion during the Industrial Revolution?

- A the improvement in mining techniques
- B the increase in demand for metals
- C the discovery of tin in the area

13 Why did rocks have to be sent away from Manham to be processed?

- A shortage of fuel
- B poor transport systems
- C lack of skills among local people

14 What happened when the port declined in the twentieth century?

- A The workers went away.
- B Traditional skills were lost.
- C Buildings were used for new purposes.

15 What did the Manham Trust hope to do?

- A discover the location of the original port
- B provide jobs for the unemployed
- C rebuild the port complex

Questions 16-20

Write **NO MORE THAN TWO WORDS** for each answer.

Complete the table below.

Tourist attractions in Manham		
Place	Features and activities	Advice
copper mine	Specially adapted miners' 16 _____ take visitors into the mountain	the mine is 17 _____ and enclosed – unsuitable for children and animals
village school	classrooms and a special exhibition of 18 _____	a 19 _____ is recommended
“The George” (old sailing ship)	the ship's wheel (was lost but has now been restored)	children shouldn't use the 20 _____

TEST 29

Questions 11-14

Complete the notes below.

Write **ONE WORD** for each answer.

Fiddy Working Heritage Farm

Advice about visiting the farm

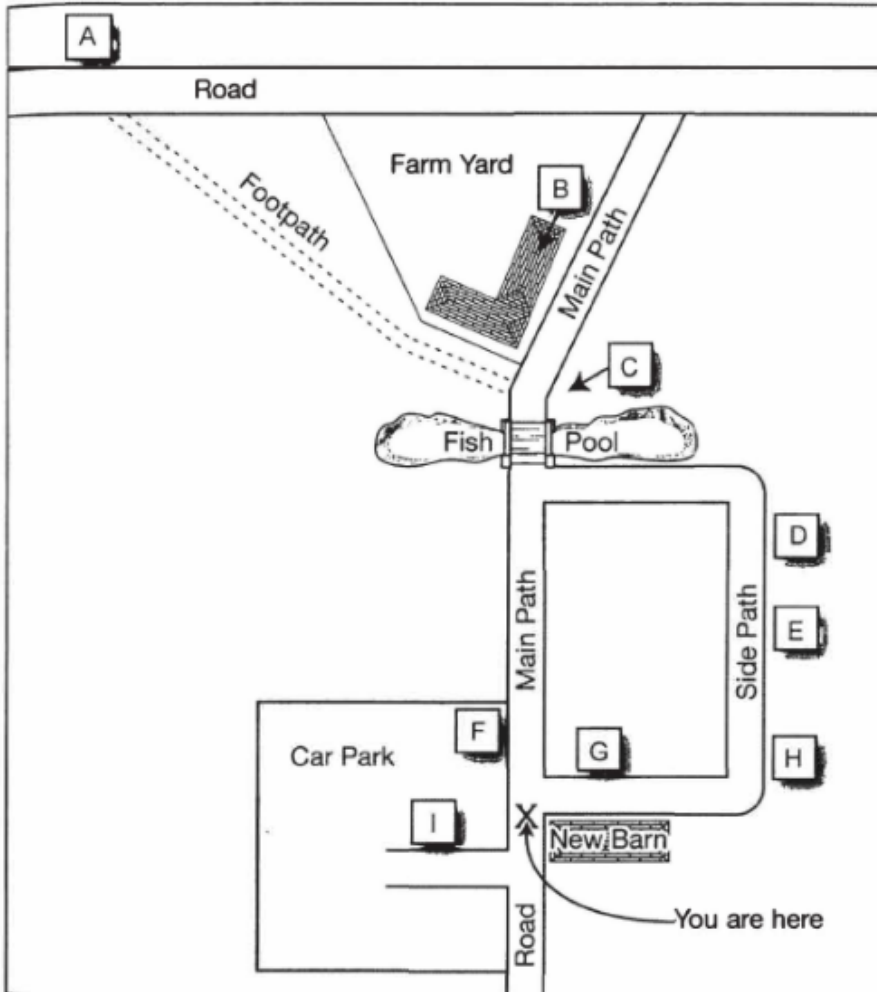
Visitors should

- take care not to harm any **11**
- not touch any **12**
- wear **13**
- not bring **14** into the farm, with certain exceptions

Questions 15-20

Label the map below.

Write the correct letter **A-I**, next to Questions 15-20.



- 15** Scarecrow
- 16** Maze
- 17** Café
- 18** Black Barn
- 19** Covered picnic area
- 20** Fiddy House

TEST 30

Questions 11-20

New staff at theater

Questions 11 and 12

Choose **TWO** letters, **A-E**.

*Which **TWO** changes have been made so far during the refurbishment of the theatre?*

- A** Some rooms now have a different use.
- B** A different type of seating has been installed.
- C** An elevator has been installed.
- D** The outside of the building has been repaired.
- E** Extra seats have been added.

Questions 13 and 14

Choose **TWO** letters, **A-E**.

*Which **TWO** facilities does the theater currently offer to the public?*

- A** rooms for hire
- B** backstage tours
- C** hire of costumes
- D** a bookshop
- E** a cafe

Questions 15 and 16

Choose **TWO** letters, **A-E**.

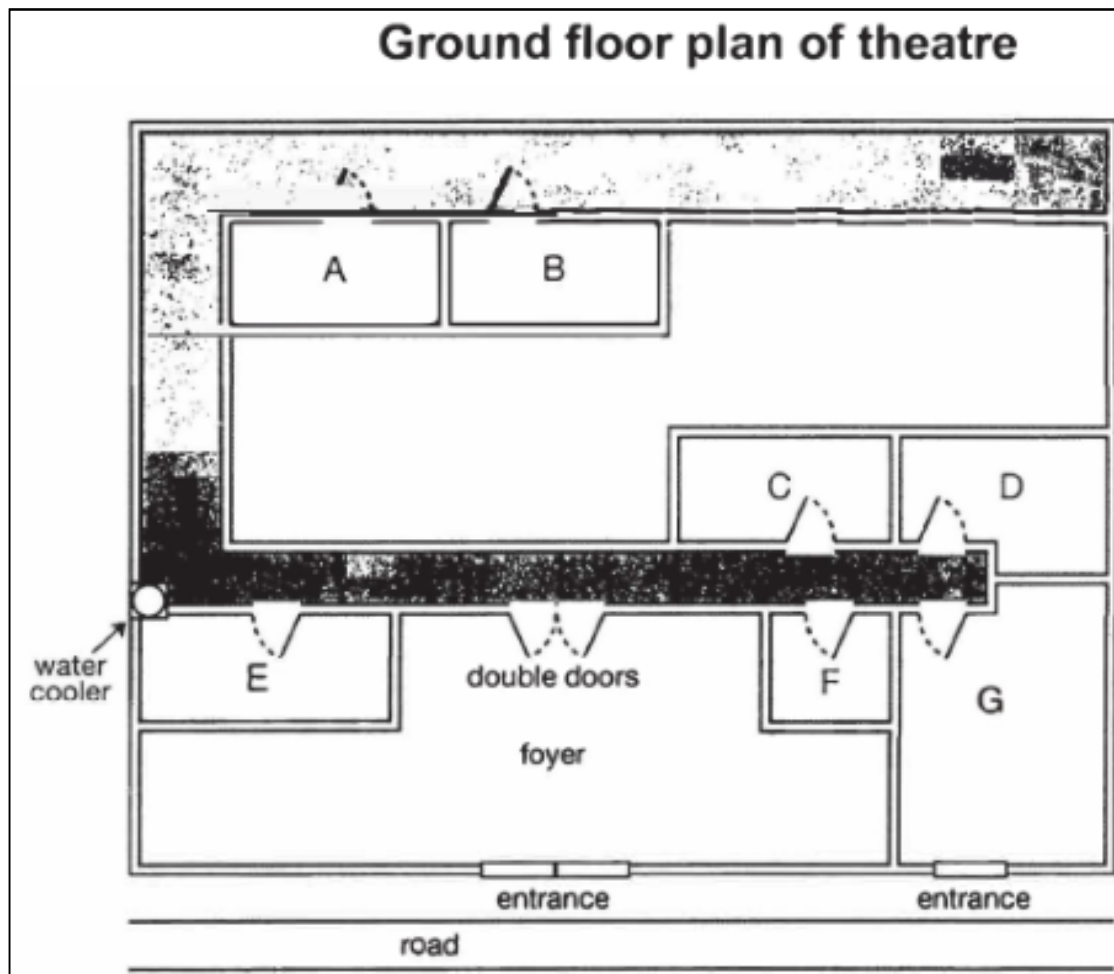
*Which **TWO** workshops does the theatre currently offer?*

- A** sound
- B** acting
- C** making puppets
- D** make-up
- E** lighting

Questions 17-20

Label the plan below.

Write the correct letter, **A-G**, next to Questions 17-20.



- 17 box office
- 18 theatre manager's office
- 19 lighting box
- 20 artistic director's office

TEST 31

Questions 11-15

Choose the correct letter, **A, B or C.**

Changes in Barford over the last 50 years

11. In Shona's opinion, why do fewer people use buses in Barford these days?

- A The buses are old and uncomfortable.
- B Fares have gone up too much.
- C There are not so many bus routes.

12. What change in the road network is known to have benefited the town most?

- A the construction of a bypass
- B the development of cycle paths
- C the banning of cars from certain streets

13. What is the problem affecting shopping in the town centre?

- A lack of parking spaces
- B lack of major retailers
- C lack of restaurants and cafes

14. What does Shona say about medical facilities in Barford?

- A There is no hospital.
- B New medical practices are planned.
- C The number of dentists is too low.

15. The largest number of people are employed in

- A manufacturing.
- B services.
- C education.

Questions 16-20

What is planned for each of the following facilities?

*Choose **FIVE** answers from the box and write the correct letter, **A-G**, next to Questions 16-20.*

Plans

- A It will move to a new location.
- B It will have its opening hours extended.
- C It will be refurbished.
- D It will be used for a different purpose.
- E It will have its opening hours reduced
- F It will have new management.
- G It will be expanded.

Facilities

- 16. railway station car park
- 17. cinema
- 18. indoor market
- 19. library
- 20. nature reserve

TEST 32

Questions 11 – 16

What does the speaker say about each of the following collections?

Choose **SIX** answers from the box and write the correct letter, **A-G**, next to Questions 11-16.

Comments

A was given by one person

B was recently publicised in the media

C includes some items given by members of the public

D includes some items given by the artists

E includes the most popular exhibits in the museum

F is the largest of its kind in the country

G has had some of its contents relocated

Collections

11 20th- and 21st-century paintings

12 19th-century paintings

13 Sculptures

14 'Around the world' exhibition

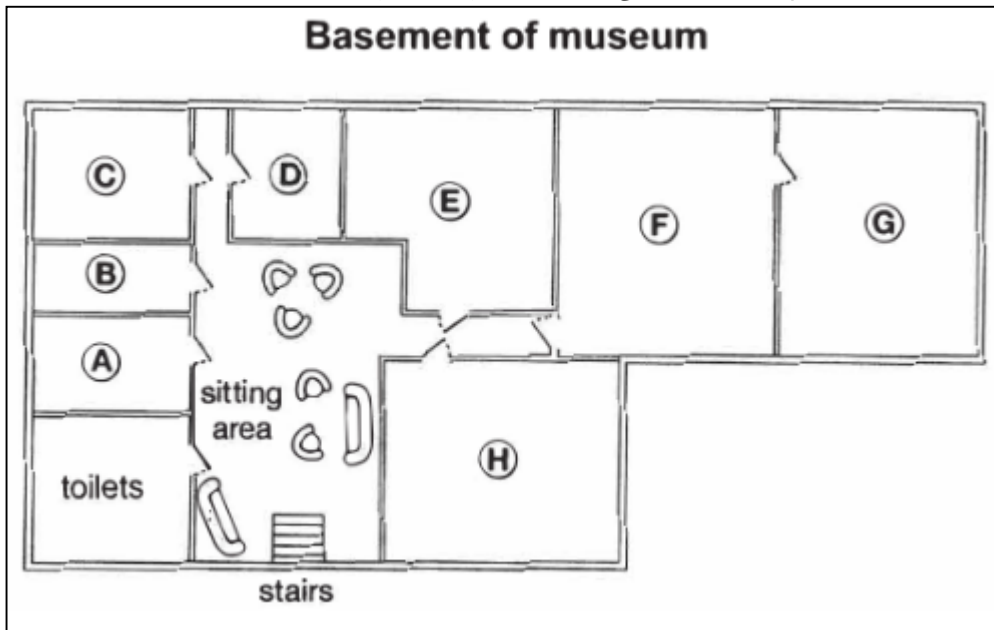
15 Coins

16 Porcelain and glass

Questions 17- 20

Label the plan below.

Write the correct letter, **A-H**, next to Questions 17-20.



17 restaurant

18 café

19 baby-changing facilities

20 cloakroom

TEST 33

Talk to new kitchen assistants

11 According to the manager, what do most people like about the job of kitchen assistant?

- A the variety of work.
- B the friendly atmosphere.
- C the opportunities for promotion.

12 The manager is concerned about some of the new staff's

- A jewellery.
- B hair styles.
- C shoes.

13 The manager says that the day is likely to be busy for kitchen staff because

- A it is a public holiday.
- B the head chef is absent.
- C the restaurant is almost fully booked.

14 Only kitchen staff who are 18 or older are allowed to use

- A the waste disposal unit.
- B the electric mixer.
- C the meat slicer.

Questions 15-16

Choose **TWO** letters, **A-E**.

According to the manager, which **TWO** things can make the job of kitchen assistant stressful?

- A They have to follow orders immediately.
- B The kitchen gets very hot.
- C They may not be able to take a break.
- D They have to do overtime.
- E The work is physically demanding.

Questions 17-20

What is the responsibility of each of the following restaurant staff?

Choose **FOUR** answers from the box and write the correct letter, **A-F**, next to Questions 7-10.

	Responsibilities
A	training courses
B	food stocks
C	first aid
D	breakages
E	staff discounts
F	timetables

Restaurant staff	
17	Joy Parkins
18	David Field
19	Dexter Wills
20	Mike Smith

TEST 34

Questions 11-15

Choose the correct letter, **A**, **B** or **C**.

Theater trip to Munich

11 When the group meet at the airport they will have

- A breakfast.
- B coffee.
- C lunch.

12 The group will be met at Munich Airport by

- A an employee at the National Theatre.
- B a theatre manager.
- C a tour operator.

13 How much will they pay per night for a double room at the hotel?

- A 110 euros
- B 120 euros
- C 150 euros

14 What type of restaurant will they go to on Tuesday evening?

- A an Italian restaurant
- B a Lebanese restaurant
- C a typical restaurant of the region

15 Who will they meet on Wednesday afternoon?

- A an actor
- B a playwright
- C a theater director

Questions 16-20

What does the man say about the play on each of the following days?

Choose **FIVE** answers from the box and write the correct letter, **A-G**, next to Questions 16-20.

	Comments
A	The playwright will be present.
B	The play was written to celebrate an anniversary.
C	The play will be performed inside a historic building.
D	The play will be accompanied by live music.
E	The play will be performed outdoors.
F	The play will be performed for the first time.
G	The performance will be attended by officials from the town.

Days

- 16** Wednesday
- 17** Thursday
- 18** Friday
- 19** Saturday
- 20** Monday

TEST 35

(BC TRAVAIL)

Questions 11 and 12 Choose TWO letters, A-E.

Which TWO age groups are taking increasing numbers of holidays with BC Travel?

- A 16-30 years
- B 31-42 years
- C 43-54 years
- D 55-64 years
- E over 65 years

Questions 13 and 14 Choose TWO letters, A-E.

Which TWO are the main reasons given for the popularity of activity holidays?

- A Clients make new friends.
- B Clients learn a useful skill.
- C Clients learn about a different culture.
- D Clients are excited by the risk involved.
- E Clients find them good value for money.

Questions 15–17 Choose the correct letter, A, B or C.

15 How does BC Travel plan to expand the painting holidays?

- A by adding to the number of locations
- B by increasing the range of levels
- C by employing more teachers

16 Why are BC Travel's cooking holidays unusual?

- A They only use organic foods.
- B They have an international focus.
- C They mainly involve vegetarian dishes.

17 What does the speaker say about the photography holidays?

- A Clients receive individual tuition.
- B The tutors are also trained guides.
- C Advice is given on selling photographs.

Questions 18–20 Complete the table below. Write ONE WORD ONLY for each answer.

Fitness Holidays

Location	Main focus	Other comments
Ireland and Italy	general fitness	personally designed programme also reduces ___18_____
Greece	___19_____ control	includes exercise on the beach
Morocco	mountain biking	wide variety of levels one holiday that is specially designed for ___20_____

TEST 36

Questions 11-14

Choose the correct letter, A, B or C.

Visiting the Sheepmarket area

11 Which is the most rapidly-growing group of residents in the Sheepmarket area?

A young professional people

B students from the university

C employees in the local market

12 The speaker recommends the side streets in the Sheepmarket for their

A international restaurants.

B historical buildings.

C arts and crafts.

13 Clothes designed by entrants for the Young Fashion competition must

A be modelled by the designers themselves.

B be inspired by aspects of contemporary culture.

C be made from locally produced materials.

14 Car parking is free in some car parks if you

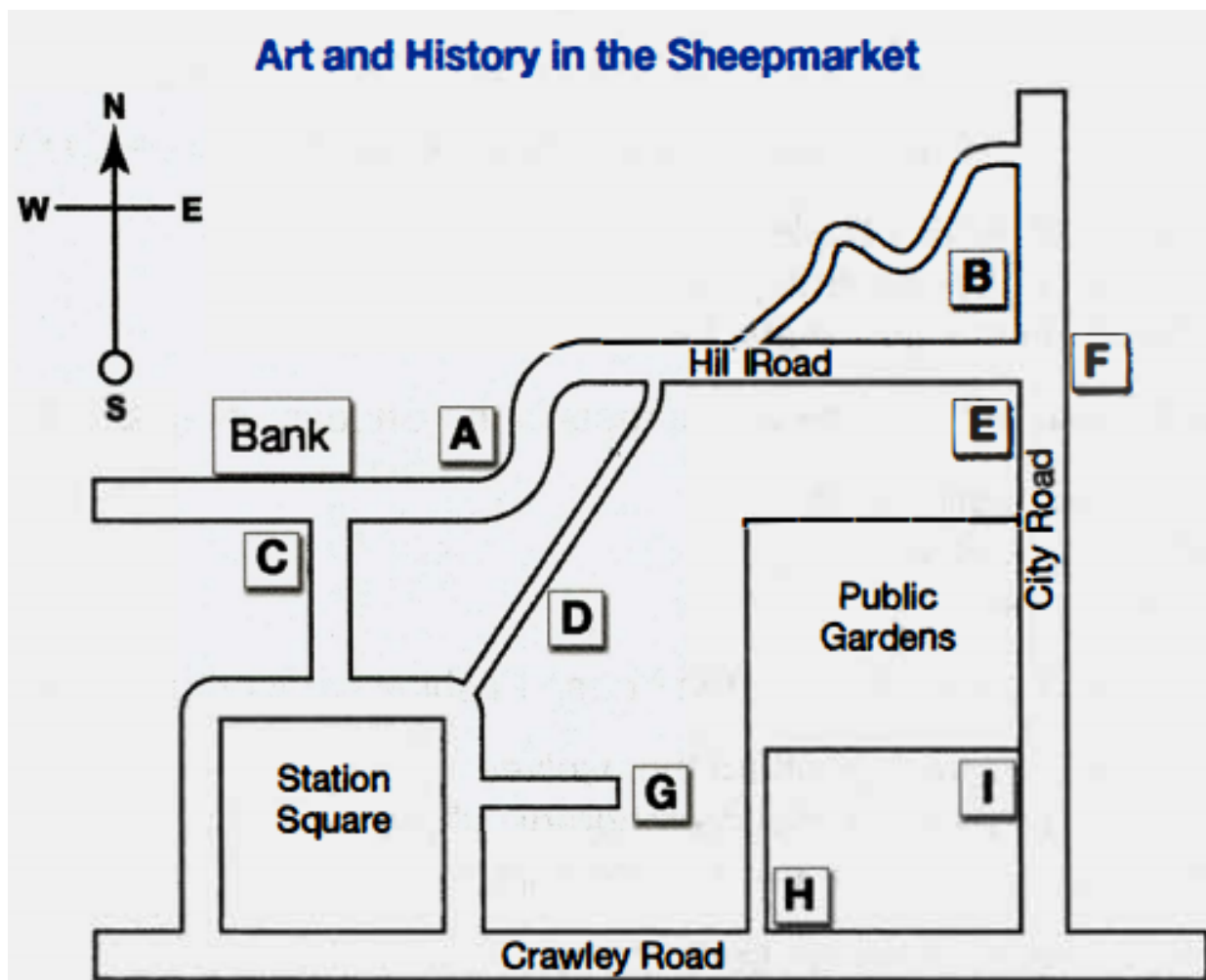
A stay for less than an hour.

B buy something in the shops.

C park in the evenings or at weekends.

Questions 15-20

Label the map below. Write the correct letter, A–I, next to Questions 15–20.



15. The Renolds House
16. The Thumb
17. The Museum
18. The Contemporary Art Galley
19. The Warner Gallery
20. Nucleus

TEST 37

Questions 11-12

Choose **TWO** letters, **A-E**.

Which TWO things will employees need to do during their first week in their new office space?

- A** find out about safety procedures
 - B** collect a new form of identification
 - C** move boxes containing documents
 - D** make a note of any problem that occurs
 - E** learn about new company technology
- Questions 13-14

Choose **TWO** letters, **A-E**.

Which TWO steps have the company taken to improve the physical environmental of employees' offices?

- A** provided comfortable seating
- B** installed a new heating system
- C** used attractive materials
- D** enlarged people's working space
- E** replaced the old type of lights

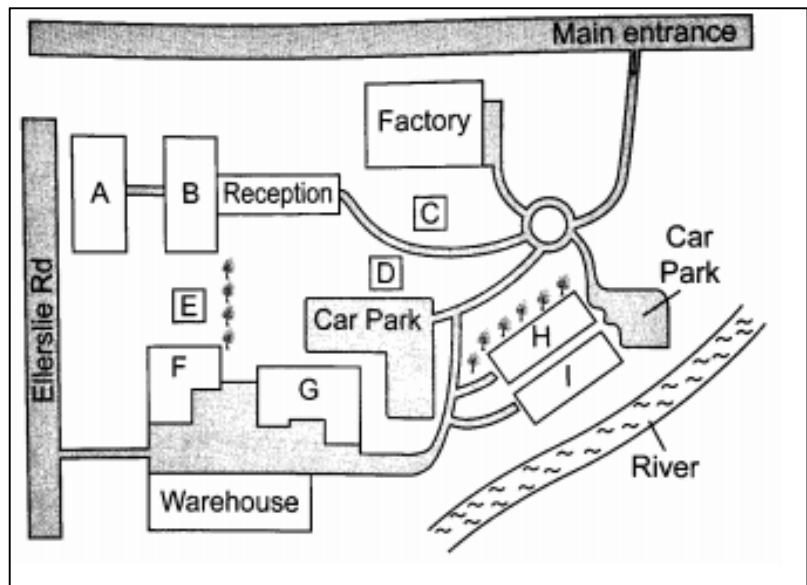
Questions 15-20

Label the plan below.

Write the correct letter, **A-I**, next to **Questions 15-20**

Plan of the renovated factory complex

- 15** Conference center
- 16** New office space
- 17** Stores
- 18** Finance
- 19** Café
- 20** IT Department



TEST 38

Questions 11 -1 5

Choose the correct letter, **A**, **B**, or **C**

- 11** What is new about the Writer's Festival this year?
A more international guests
B extra time for questions
C additional locations for events
- 12** Tickets for the Wearable Art even
A are selling out quickly.
B have been reduced in price.
C must be booked in advance.
- 13** Ocean Times at Bright's Beach is
A a sporting competition for adults.
B an educational event for all ages.
C a play day for young children.
- 14** People going to Artscape Exhibition
A should wear appropriate clothing.
B must keep to the proper path.
C need to arrive at a certain time.
- 15** Tours of the Civil Theatre
A do not happen often.
B have never happened before.
C may happen more regularly in future

Questions 16-20

What comment does the speaker make about each of the following events?

Write the correct letter, **A**, **B** or **C**, next to questions 16-20.

You may use any letter more than once.

Comments	
A	the location has changed
B	transport will be a problem
C	the event might be crowded

- 16.** Night Market
17. Buskers Festival
18. Stand Up for Kids
19. Sunday Unplugged
20. Ignite Dance Finals

TEST 39

Questions 11-12

Choose **TWO** letters, **A-E**.

Which **TWO** tasks will volunteers be required to do at Eskdale Wood?

- A fix fences
- B remove branches
- C collect litter
- D build bird boxes
- E cut down trees

Questions 13-14

Choose **TWO** letters, **A-E**.

Which **TWO** things must volunteers bring with them?

- A gloves
- B tools
- C snacks
- D sunscreen
- E boots

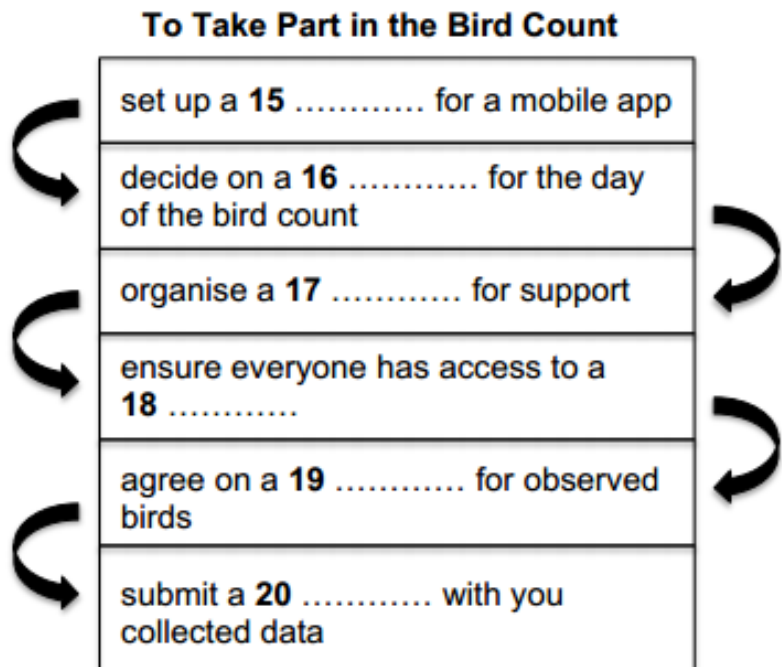
Questions 15-20

Complete the flow-chart below.

Choose **SIX** answers from the box and write the correct letter, **A-H**, next to

Questions 15-20

- | |
|---------------------|
| A clear photograph |
| B rough estimate |
| C new account |
| D suitable location |
| E council permit |
| F basic competition |
| G good team |
| H visual guide |



TEST 40

Questions 11-15

Choose the correct letter, **A**, **B**, or **C**.

The Community Garden

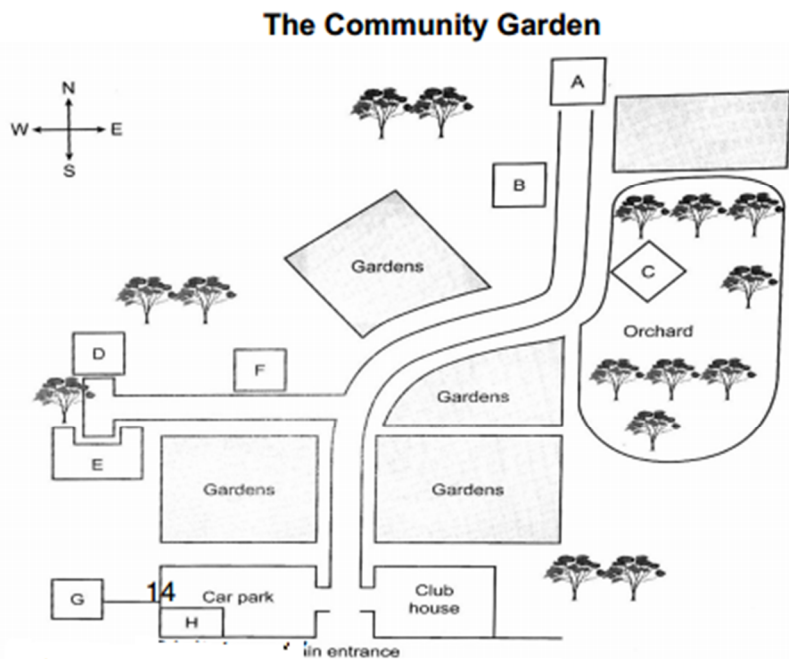
- 11 What was recently discovered at this site?
A a written text about the area
B various tools used for farming
C some drawings showing the garden
- 12 This location is good for gardening because
A the weather is warm.
B there is enough water.
C it is protected from the wind.
- 13 In 1860, what was built on this site?
A a medical centre
B a type of factory
C a base for soldiers
- 14 Today, the fruit and vegetables from the gardens
A are sold to businesses in the area.
B are given to certain local people.
C are used by those who work in the garden.
- 15 The local college now uses the gardens
A as a location for scientific research.
B for educating the wider community.
C to teach its students gardening skills.

Questions 16-20

Label the map below.

Write the correct letter, **A-H**, next to **Questions 16-20**

- 16 worm farms _____
- 17 seed store _____
- 18 machinery shed _____
- 19 compost heaps _____
- 20 drying room _____



Answers

Test 1

11. coal, firewood 12. local craftsmen 13. 160 14. Woodside
15. Ticket Office 16. Gift Shop 17. (main) Workshop 18. Showroom
19. Café 20. cottages

Test 2

11. C 12. B 13. A 14. C 15. B 16. C 17. A 18. B
19. B 20. A

Test 3

11. C 12. A 13. C 14. B 15. lighting/ lights/ light
16. adult/ adults
17. (at) Studio Theatre/ (the) Studio Theatre/ (at) Studio Theater/ (the) Studio Theater
18. the whole family/ all the family/ families
19. (in) City Gardens/ the City Gardens/ outdoors
20. young children/ young children/ children

Test 4

11. B 12. A 13. A 14. A 15. B 16. 180 17. nearest station
18. local history 19. 690 20. walking club/local walking club

Test 5

11. move around/move about 12. brakes 13. fingers 14. satisfactory
15. put (it) together 16. too wide 17. dangerous 18. wheels
19. (the) best/(the) best buy/safe 20. sharp

Test 6

11. C 12. C 13. A 14. C 15. A 16. 75,000 17. computers
18-20 IN ANY ORDER : C, E, F

Test 7

- 11&12 IN EITHER ORDER: C,E 13. references 14. country 15. weather
16. C 17. C 18. A 19. B 20. C

Test 8

11. clubhouse 12. picnic 13. prizes 14. 10 15. Wednesday afternoon(s)
16. 4 17. Sunday afternoon(s) 18. Collect (the) fees/collect (the) money
19. send (out/the) newsletters 20. supervise (the) teams

Test 9

11. B 12. G 13. C 14. A 15. E 16. D
17. (October (the)) 19th 18. 7 19. Monday Thursday 20. 18

Test 10

11. King Street 12. central 13. half hours / 30 minutes 14. refreshments
15. 10.15 16. Advance 17. (seat) reservations 18. C 19. D 20. G

Test 11

- 11-15 C A C H F 16-17 B D 18 field 19 footbridge 20 viewpoint

Test 12

11. D 12. A 13. C 14. tax 15. security 16. ground floor
17. lecture room 311 18. Safety at Work 19. Main Hall 20. team leaders

Test 13

11. B 12. A 13. B 14. C 15. C 16. A
17. C 18. A 19. C 20. B

Test 14

11. City Bridge
12. Newtown
13. 6.30
14. (formal) garden
15. (Tower) Restaurant
16. view(s)
17. history
18. 7 screen
19. every 20 minutes
- 20 (from/the) Central Stadium

Test 15

11. B
12. C
13. A
14. C
15. B
16. A
17. forest
18. temple
19. waterfall
- 20 (village)

Test 16

11. C
12. B
13. A
14. B
- 15 car park| CAR PARK
- 16 rose garden| ROSE GARDEN
- 17café| CAFÉ
18. cycling|CYCLING
19. biology lesson|BIOLOGY LESSON
20. viewing shelter|VIEWING SHELTER

Test 17

- 1.1 1.30 :
12. 25 December :
13. car park / parking lot :
14. 45 :
15. tables :
- 16-18 C,F,G
- 19-20 B,E

Test 18

- 11 B :
- 12 (the) Forest :
- 13 Fish Farm(s) :
- 14 Market Garden :
- 15 C :
- 16 A :
- 17 C :
- 18 B :
- 19 B :
- 20 A :

Test 19

11. classical music/(classical/music) concerts
12. bookshop/bookstore
13. planned
14. 1983/(the) 1980s
15. City Council
16. 363
17. (the) Garden Hall
18. Three Lives
19. 4.50
- 20 Faces of China

Test 20

11. A
12. B
13. B
14. C
15. D
16. G
17. B
18. F
19. A
20. E

Test 21

11. branch
12. west
13. clothing
14. 10
15. running
16. bags
17. A
18. A
19. A
20. E

Test 22

11. trees
12. Friday/Saturday
13. farm
14. C
15. B
16. A
17. A
18. I
19. F
20. E

Test 23

11. C
12. A
13. C
14. E
15. H
16. F
17. C
18. G
19. 120
20. 5 to 12

Test 24

11. B
12. C
13. E
14. B
15. E
16. D
17. A
18. C
19. 732281
20. Thursday/Thursday

Test 25

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|---------------------------|------------------------------|
| 11. A, C- IN EITHER ORDER | 16. joining |
| 12. A, C- IN EITHER ORDER | 17. free entry |
| 13. health problems | 18. peak |
| 14. safety rules | 19. guests |
| 15. plan | 20. photo card / photo cards |

<p>Test 26</p> <p>11. A 12. C 13. C 14. A 15. E 16. F 17. D 18. H 19. A 20. B</p>	<p>Test 27</p> <p>11. IN EITHER ORDER C & E 12. IN EITHER ORDER C & E 13. B 14. A 15. C 16. B 17. C 18. D 19. D 20. A</p>	<p>Test 28</p> <p>11. B 12. B 13. A 14. A 15. C 16. trains 17. dark 18. games 19. guided tour 20. ladder/ladders</p>
<p>Test 29</p> <p>11. animal/animals 12. tool/tools 13. shoes 14. dog/dogs 15. F 16. G 17. D 18. H 19. C 20. A</p>	<p>Test 30</p> <p>11&12 IN EITHER ORDER – A, B 13&14 IN EITHER ORDER – B, D 15&16 IN EITHER ORDER – C, E</p> <p>17. G 18. D 19. B 20. F</p>	<p>Test 31</p> <p>11. C 12. B 13. B 14. A 15. C 16. G 17. A 18. C 19. B 20. F</p>
<p>Test 32</p> <p>11. E 12. D 13. G 14. B 15. C 16. A 17. F 18. H 19. C 20. B</p>	<p>Test 33</p> <p>11. A 12. A 13. C 14. C 15. A, E – in either order 16. A, E – in either order 17. F 18. C 19. D 20. B</p>	<p>Test 34</p> <p>11. B 12. C 13. A 14. B 15. C 16. F 17. B 18. E 19. G 20. C</p>
<p>Test 35</p> <p>11. D, E – in either order 12. D, E – in either order 13. A, C – in either order 14. A, C – in either order 15. C 16. B 17. A 18. stress 19. weight 20. families</p>	<p>Test 36</p> <p>11. A 12. C 13. B 14. B 15. H 16. C 17. F 18. G 19. I 20. B</p>	<p>Test 37</p> <p>11&12. A, E – in ANY order 13&14. A, C – in ANY order 15. I 16. B 17. F 18. C 19. E 20. D</p>

Test 38	Test 39	Test 40
11. C 12. B 13. B 14. A 15. A 16. C 17. A 18. B 19. B 20. C	11&12. A, B – in ANY order 13&14. A, E – in ANY order 15. C 16. D 17. G 18. H 19. B 20. A	11. B 12. B 13. A 14. B 15. C 16. F 17. C 18. G 19. E 20. A

What's next?

Thank you for reading this book. Hopefully, your listening improved.
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What's next?

I think you are master at doing Listening part 2. Probably, you can easily find 10 out of 10!

So, I want you should move to other parts of Listening:

Part 3 and then finally Part 4.

Best wishes. Good Luck!

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