

PRACTICE TEST 9**LISTENING****SECTION 1** **Questions 1 – 10****Questions 1 – 5**

Complete Sarah's People Central form below.

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

People Central New Potential Staff	
Example	Answer
Type of Job Desired:	<u>Accountancy</u>
Name:	Mark (1) _____
Address:	13 Wellington Street South Brisbane Queensland
Postcode:	4101
Date of Birth:	(2) _____ May 1988
Email Address:	markc@(3) _____now.com
Telephone: Home:	07 3554 7671
Cell:	046 9153 (4) _____
Preferred Work Area:	The Brisbane area Within a drive of approx. (5) _____ from home

Questions 6 – 10

Complete the sentences below.

Use **NO MORE THAN TWO WORDS** from the listening for each answer.

- 6 Mark will send _____ of his professional certificates to Sarah.
- 7 Mark could happily travel to Gold Coast Printing by _____ as well as by car.
- 8 The _____ nature of the job at the import export company is a problem for Mark.
- 9 Mark is worried about _____ at a smaller company like the fishing company, Barracuda.
- 10 Mark will not need to pay a _____ for any job placement.

SECTION 2**Questions 11 – 20****Questions 11 – 17**

Complete the notes below on the Sway Road Health Centre.

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

Sway Road Health Centre

Six full-time doctors

Just over (11) _____ patients

2 centres - Sway Road and Church Road

Registering - come during opening hours; bring a (12) _____, proof of address (dated within 3 months of application) and medical card (or fill out a registration form). Staff will ask for your medical history and organise a (13) _____ to be taken.

Appointments - contact only by phone and not by (14) _____. Call only during opening hours.

Opening Hours

(15) _____ a.m. - 1 p.m. and 2 p.m. - 7 p.m. Monday to Friday

(call only between 1 p.m. & 2 p.m. in an emergency)

(closed weekends and (16) _____)

The best option for emergencies is to go to hospital or call an ambulance.

Medical Students - consultations with doctors or nurses may have a student present; there is no obligation to have a student present.

Travel Service - lots of vaccinations available. Complete a (17) _____ at reception - available from reception or the website. The nurse will make vaccination recommendations. Get a vaccination card. Vaccinations to be paid for on the day of vaccination.

Questions 18 – 20

Answer the questions below. Use **NO MORE THAN THREE WORDS** from the listening for each answer.

18 Where is the suggestion box found at the health centre?

19 Who will deal with any complaints made?

20 What area is closed off during the open morning?

SECTION 3 Questions 21 – 30**Questions 21 – 25**

Match Kevin's level of satisfaction (**A - C**) with the things related to his training days (questions **21 - 25**).

- 21** The hotel accommodation
- 22** Directions to the training
- 23** The trainer
- 24** Conference centre facilities
- 25** The other trainees

- A** Not satisfied
- B** Quite satisfied
- C** Very satisfied

Questions 26 – 30

Match Kevin's problems over the weekend (**A - J**) with the solutions to the problems (questions **26 - 30**).

- 26** Kevin had to spend some of his off-work time at the office.
- 27** The office systems were out of date.
- 28** The office systems initially wouldn't accept the new software.
- 29** A bug got into the company's computer systems.
- 30** The burglar alarm went off in the offices.

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| A Kevin bought replacement computers | F Kevin received some extra holiday time |
| B More antivirus protection was needed | G Kevin hired a consultant |
| C Fixed by the company's antivirus protection | H Kevin ran an update |
| D Kevin gave a password to the security firm | I Kevin called a friend from the training |
| E Kevin's boss sorted the problem out | J Kevin was paid a good bonus |

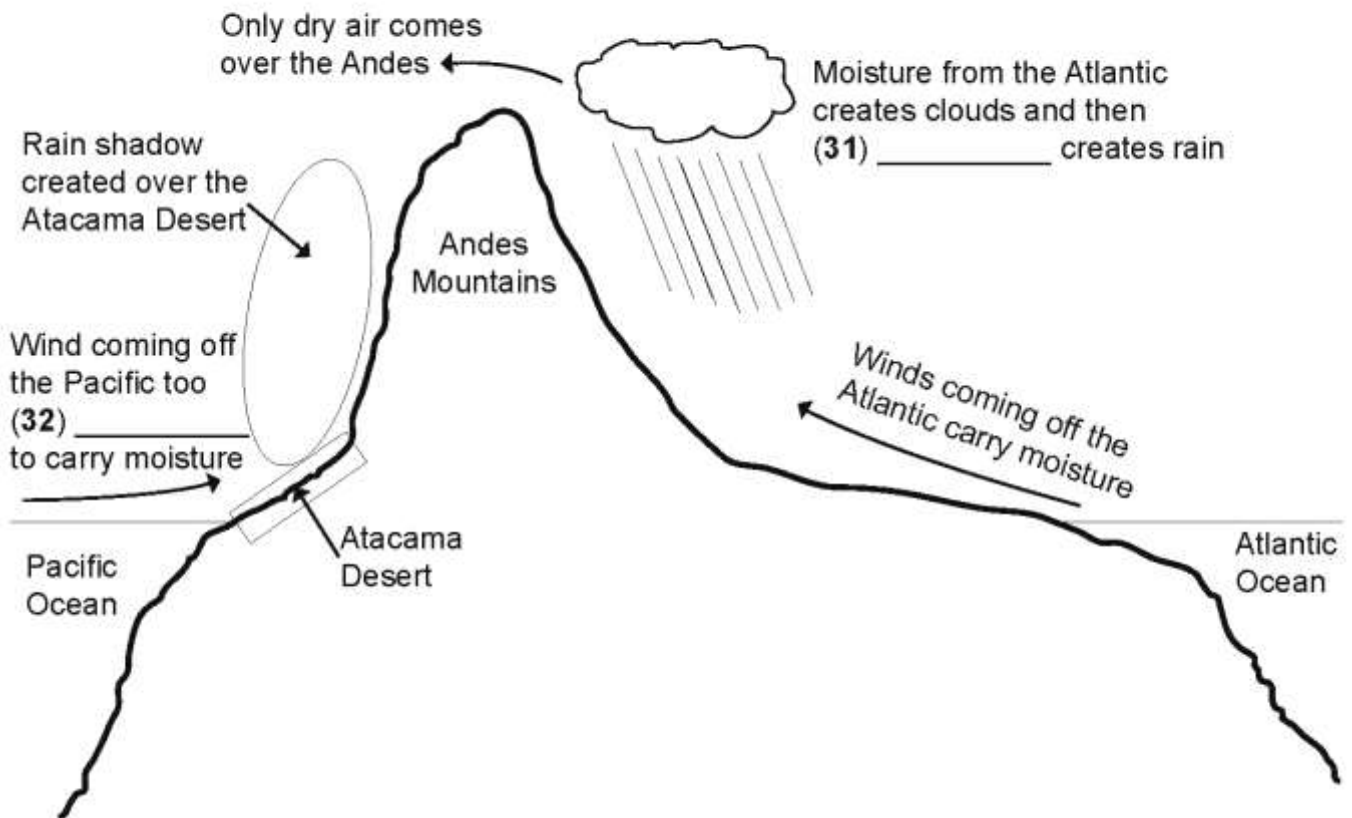
SECTION 4 Questions 31 – 40

Questions 31 and 32

Complete the diagram below on the rain shadow over the Atacama Desert.

Write **NO MORE THAN ONE WORD** from the listening for each answer.

The Atacama Desert and its Rain Shadow



Questions 33 – 40

Complete the notes below on the rest of the lecture on the Atacama Desert.

Write **NO MORE THAN TWO WORDS** from the listening for each answer.

The Atacama DesertThe Atacama Large Millimetre Array

Because the Atacama Desert is so high and the sky overhead so clear, the Atacama Large Millimetre Array (ALMA) has been placed there. Made up of 66 antennas, its high resolution images will allow study of the earliest galaxies and the (33) _____ of our galaxy's planets. The ALMA is 100 times more powerful than previous similar telescopes.

The Atacama Desert

Northern $\frac{1}{3}$ of Chile - 1000 km up to the border of Peru.
Barrier of (34) _____ in the west and the Andes in the east.
Average elevation is 4000m (the highest desert in the world).
Temperatures average between 0 and -25°C.

Flora and Fauna

Some life exists - local populations use some plants for (35) _____.
Animal life is rare, but there are some reptiles, mice and foxes.

Natural Resources and Agriculture

The Atacama was Chile's main source of income pre-World War 1.
Chile possessed a (36) _____ on the nitrate trade. Mines abandoned after synthetic nitrate was invented in Germany.
Other minerals are mined in the Atacama - 30% of world's (37) _____ is mined in the Atacama and sulphur is also extracted; these resources caused conflict with Bolivia.
Very little agriculture because of the lack of water. Some lemons, potatoes and alfalfa.

Tourism

Now a major income source.
Volcanoes, geysers, lagoons etc. attract holiday-makers and (38) _____.
Visitors need education to understand the (39) _____ of the environment.
Urbanisation and mining have caused problems.
Some farming of natural plants of the Atacama is done, interrupting their (40) _____.