

# TEST FOUR

## p95 Listening Section 1

### Questions 1–4

- 1 C: Listen for the words: *two types of membership/life-time membership*. Be careful about the order of the numbers.
- 2 C: The answer comes fairly closely after number 1. When you hear *ordinary membership*, listen carefully.
- 3 B: You can perhaps predict from the question that there is a discussion about week-day and week-end openings. Listen carefully when you hear the words: *week-days* and *opening times*.
- 4 B: Once the woman asks about the programme, listen for an adjective (extensive) to describe it. A is the opposite of B and C is not mentioned.

### Questions 5–10

- 5 **Rochester**: Be careful with the name spelling, especially the ending.
- 6 **Stone Avenue**: Remember not to write the number as it is in the question. Be careful with the letter 'e' at the end of the words *Avenue* and *Stone*.
- 7 **MA7 4PQ**: Be careful with the numbers.
- 8 **6633**: You will normally hear the numbers in pairs: six six/three three/rather than sixty-six/thirty-three or double six/double three.
- 9 **(monthly) instalments**: Note the plural.
- 10 **fortnight**: Listen when the woman asks about bringing in a friend as a guest.

### Further practice and guidance (p97)

#### Questions 11–20

- 11 ... nothing/won't be charged anything ...
- 12 ... not have to/won't have to pay anything ...
- 13 Beach Shop

- 14 square
- 15 later/will not meet earlier
- 16 not all/most/the majority ...
- 17 ... winners ...; book-tokens/will not receive money ...
- 18 ... (specialist) apparatus/will not pay for specialist technicians
- 19 ... badly-organized/not well organized
- 20 glass and plastic .../... will not be put

## p96 Listening Section 2

### Questions 11 and 12

**B and D** in any order. When the speaker mentions the word *changes*, listen carefully. Listen for the nouns in the list A–E and listen for the adjectives or their synonyms (for the word *free*: *without charge/will not have to pay*).

### Questions 13–15

- 13 **shop**: When the speaker mentions the number of teams, listen for the name of the first which is the Beach Team. Follow through the information in the table. After the speaker mentions the litter, listen carefully.
- 14 **seating**: Immediately the speaker mentions the second team, listen for their purpose: *...will be responsible for setting out seating*.
- 15 **9.30**: The time is given after the meeting point is mentioned.

### Questions 16–20

- 16 **A**: The speaker says: *On the whole, the judges will have had experience of judging before*. So not all the judges, but most of them will have experience. So C is wrong and B is not possible.
- 17 **B**: The winner will be given a cash prize, not vouchers (A). The two runners up will receive book tokens (C).

- 18 **A:** The purpose of the donation is: *to help fund much needed specialist apparatus* (equipment). B and C are not mentioned.
- 19 **B:** The speaker mentions last year's organization: *to help make sure the actual parking is more organized than last year, which was a mess*. This means there was a problem. A and C are not mentioned.
- 20 **C:** The speaker mentions that the bags are only for all the recyclable material, like glass and plastic, not all rubbish (A) and not food (B).
- 28 **listen:** Listen carefully when Adam says: *The test doesn't just assess whether people can talk a lot. It's about ...*
- 29 **team:** The answer comes immediately after number 28.
- 30 **appeal:** When Adam asks about the policy on re-sits, the answer is coming.

### Further practice and guidance (p101)

#### Questions 31–40

- 31 correct
- 32 incorrect: The size is in relation to the world's total ocean area
- 33 correct
- 34 correct
- 35 correct
- 36 correct
- 37 correct
- 38 correct
- 39 correct
- 40 incorrect: The machines have already played their part by processing and collating.

## p98 Listening Section 3

### Questions 21–23

- 21 **B:** When Mary asks about the exam, Adam replies: *Of the seven exams, ...* So A and C are incorrect.
- 22 **A:** Listen when Adam and then Mary mention the two essay papers. Adam says: *I don't think it's a good way of testing our theoretical medical knowledge*. So B is wrong as it mentions *practical* and C is the opposite of A.
- 23 **C:** Mary and Adam have a discussion about multiple-choice questions. Listen carefully when Mary says they disadvantage women. She then says: *Multiple-choice questions benefit men more than women. They are a male construct*. A is wrong because this is not mentioned and B says they benefit females not males.

### Questions 24 and 25

**B and E** in any order. Listen when they start discussing the role-play. Be careful with A (*rest* not *test*). There is no mention of C and D.

### Questions 26–30

- 26 **prioritize/prioritise actions:** With the summary, pick the key words to help you predict when the answer is coming. Listen first for *problem-solving* and then *working in groups of four*.
- 27 **(four/4) examiners:** Listen carefully when Adam asks if Mary felt comfortable with 'four examiners' watching.

## p99–100 Listening Section 4

### Questions 31–33

- 31 **A:** The speaker says: *the Indian Ocean is different from the two larger oceans in that it is landlocked to the north*. She does not say it is warmer (B) nor does she say it does not extend into cold regions (C).
- 32 **B:** Listen carefully when the speaker starts talking about figures. She says: *... the ocean constitutes approximately one-seventh of the earth's surface and about 20 per cent of the world's total ocean area*. The word one-seventh relates to the proportion of the total earth's total surface (seven in A). C is incorrect.

- 33 **C:** The speaker says: *Madagascar (and Sri Lanka)... structurally parts of the continents of Africa and Asia*. The Seychelles are mentioned in relation to submerged ridges (A). Mauritius and Reunion are volcanic cones (B).

### Questions 34 and 35

- 34 **acidity:** Listen for the words *oceanographers* and *meteorologists*.
- 35 **habitats, peoples:** Listen for the words *assessment* and *impact*.

### Questions 36–40

- 36 **observing ice packs:** When the speaker starts talking about the ship and the buoys, she is beginning to talk about the data collection and processing. Immediately after she mentions the number of buoys, she gives the answer.
- 37 **size:** Listen for the word *satellite*.
- 38 **raw:** When you hear the phrase: *here at the Institute*, listen for the type of data that is received.
- 39 **bank:** Listen for the phrase *constantly processed* shortly after the answer for number 38.
- 40 **experts/centres:** Both answers are correct. Listen for the word *collated* and then *analysis*.