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English Language Certification

LEVEL

C1

on the scale set by the Council of Europe

MODULE

3

Listening comprehension

Period

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ATTENTION

- Do not open this booklet until the exam begins.
- Mark your answers on Answer Sheet 3 [ΑΠΑΝΤΗΤΙΚΟ ΕΝΤΥΠΟ 3].
- Provide only one answer for each item.
- This part of the exam lasts **25 minutes**.

ACTIVITY 1

Listen to three instances of talk. After each listening, choose the best answer (A, B, or C) for items 1-6.

A.
<p>Read item 1. Listen and respond.</p> <p>1. This recording is mainly about</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> A. car accidents. B. road safety. C. long traffic lines.
<p>Read item 2. Listen again and respond.</p> <p>2. The word “squeeze” here means</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> A. to drive with great ease and confidence. B. to drive very close to other vehicles. C. to drive in the wrong lane or on the wrong side of the road.
B.
<p>Read item 3. Listen and respond.</p> <p>3. This recording is mainly about</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> A. Saint Patrick’s Day. B. driving techniques. C. irresponsible drinking.
<p>Read item 4. Listen again and respond.</p> <p>4. A basic aim of the ad is to</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> A. remind listeners that it’s dangerous to drink and drive. B. scare drivers off the roads. C. warn listeners against reckless driving.
C.
<p>Read item 5. Listen and respond.</p> <p>5. The purpose of this recording is to</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> A. advertise something. B. direct attention to something. C. argue against something.
<p>Read item 6. Listen again and respond.</p> <p>6. This recording is primarily addressed to people who work</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> A. in small cities. B. in industrial areas. C. in rural areas.

ACTIVITY 2

2.1 Read items 7-8. Listen and choose the best answer (A, B, or C) for each item.

7. This radio program would mostly interest
 - A. scientists.
 - B. the general public.
 - C. astronomers.
8. The speaker talks about
 - A. the discovery of the planet Saturn.
 - B. frozen surface water found on Earth.
 - C. possible conditions for life on Saturn's moon.

Listen again and check your answers.

2.2 Read items 9-10. Listen and choose the best answer (A, B, or C) for each item.

9. Marketers tell us that bottled water
 - A. is healthier than tap water.
 - B. is relatively cheap.
 - C. lasts longer than tap water.
10. The speaker believes that bottled water
 - A. is a wasteful luxury.
 - B. is a healthier choice.
 - C. is inexpensive.

Listen again and check your answers.

2.3 Read items 11-12. Listen and choose the best answer (A, B, or C) for each item.

11. The speaker proposes
 - A. the banning of bottled water.
 - B. a charge to the price of bottled water.
 - C. a price reduction in tap water.
12. The speaker believes her proposition may benefit
 - A. people in need and the environment.
 - B. local store owners.
 - C. low income families.

Listen again and check your answers.

ACTIVITY 3**3.1** Read items 13-15. Listen and choose the best answer (A, B, or C) for each item.

13. We are listening to two people talking about
 A. a completed task. B. work in progress. C. a new job.
14. These people are probably
 A. strangers. B. acquaintances. C. close friends.
15. Maria
 A. is still working. B. is looking for a job. C. has resigned.

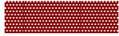









3.2 Read items 16-20. Listen and choose the best answer (A, B, or C) for each item.

16. Maria's plan for Christmas is
 A. to travel abroad. B. to take time off. C. to publish her book.
17. What Maria is currently working on requires
 A. time. B. self-control. C. patience.
18. What Maria is currently working on is something
 A. she always wanted to do. B. she really detests doing. C. she never planned for.
19. Regarding the final outcome of her project, Maria tends to be
 A. quite confident. B. a bit skeptical. C. pessimistic.
20. Maria writes about something that is
 A. mostly fiction. B. suitable for children. C. based on real life.

Listen again to the whole conversation and check all your answers.

ACTIVITY 4

Read items 21-25. Listen to five people talking and decide what profession they are describing (e.g., doctor, lawyer, engineer). Fill in each gap with ONE appropriate word.

21.  
22.  
23.  
24.  
25.  

Listen again and check your answers.

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