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Time allowed – THREE hours. (Including listening)

Answer ALL the questions. Check the back page.

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Section W1 (25 marks)
*Write a composition of 200-250 words on **ONE** of the following topics:*

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1. Which famous person do you most admire and why?
2. Describe what you hope your life will be like in 10 years' time.
3. Give an account of a time you got into trouble.
4. 'Fast food restaurants should be banned.' Discuss.

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Ask for extra paper if required.

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Section W2 (15 marks)

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You must do both Task 1 *and* Task 2
They both relate to the situation below:

You are having a birthday party. You want to hire a room in a hotel.

Task 1- Write a formal letter of 80–100 words to the venue.

In your letter, you should:
- ask about hiring the room
- explain what you need for your party

(Include the addresses in the letter but do not include them in the number of words.)

Task 1
Now go to task 2 to complete this section. Extra space on page 4

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Section W2 (continued)

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You are having a birthday party. You want to hire a room in a hotel.

Task 2- Write an informal email of about 50 words to a friend.

In your email, you should:
- invite your friend to your birthday party
- ask your friend if he/she will help you organise it

From:
Subject:
Message:

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Section R1 (13 marks)
Read the following passage and answer all the questions.

Marks Awarded

A New Kind of Clothing

At Finland's Independence Day celebrations on December 6th, the President's wife, Jenni Haukio, made an eco-friendly statement with her clothes. She deliberately brought attention to *Ioncell*, a new sustainable way of making clothes from birch trees. After seeing President Macron of France wearing an *Ioncell* scarf, she requested a dress made using the same process and wore it to the event.

In Finland, there has been a huge financial investment in *Ioncell*, which is much more environmentally-friendly than cotton production but can be costly. The process involves machines cutting down birch trees. The wood is shredded into small pieces and turned into liquid in special tanks. Some activists have expressed concern that this means cutting down large areas of trees. However, they admit that, as birch is a fast-growing tree, it is favourable compared to the process of making jeans from cotton, which requires 7,000 litres of water for every pair.

Clothes made using wood pulp might not sound comfortable, but the process is so sophisticated that *Ioncell* clothing is very high quality. In fact, so far it has only been used to make high-fashion clothing. The science was developed by chemists at Aalto and Helsinki universities, who were researching how to recycle old clothing. Researchers realised that the same chemicals could be used to make pulp into fabric. They commissioned high-profile designers to make clothes from the material, including, shirts, coats and dresses. They want to increase public interest before the clothing becomes available to the general public.

Ana Portela is one such designer. She says consumers will only be persuaded to try sustainable fashion if it is worn by influential people. The fashion industry is responsible for 10% of global *emissions*, or pollution, and many have stopped buying certain fashion brands. Portela, however, wants the industry to change from the inside and for sustainable clothes to become mainstream. She used to encourage people to buy fewer clothes, but this is difficult as fashion companies produce a new range every season. She now believes customers should campaign for companies to invest in sustainable technologies like *Ioncell*. If they do, and research continues, you could be wearing fashionable and sustainable *Ioncell* clothing by 2025.

For questions 1-3, please answer in complete sentences. (2 marks each)

1. What item of clothing did Jenni Haukio wear to the event in Finland?

2. What criticism has been made of the *Ioncell* process?

3. Why does Ana Portela think famous people should wear *Ioncell* clothes?

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Marks Awarded

For questions 4-8, tick (✓) the box. (1 mark each)

4. The *Ioncell* process has been used to make different kinds of clothes.

   True ☐ False ☐

5. *Ioncell* clothes are currently available for the public to buy.

   True ☐ False ☐

6. Who discovered that *Ioncell* material could be used to make clothes?

   A chemists
   B designers
   C researchers

   A ☐ B ☐ C ☐

7. Compared to cotton production, the *Ioncell* process requires far less

   A money.
   B water.
   C machinery.

   A ☐ B ☐ C ☐

8. Ana Portela is currently urging people to

   A buy fewer clothes.
   B stop buying certain fashion brands.
   C demand changes in the fashion industry.

   A ☐ B ☐ C ☐

Write the words in the box. (½ a mark each)

9. Find the word or phrase in the passage which means the **SAME** as:

   asked for (paragraph 1) ☐

   expensive (paragraph 2) ☐

10. Find the word or phrase in the passage which means the **OPPOSITE** of:

    deny (paragraph 2) ☐

    unusual (paragraph 4) ☐

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Marks Awarded

Section R2 (7 marks)

Read the six short news stories below. Choose from the articles (A to F) and complete the answer grid. The articles may be chosen more than once. ***One*** *article should* ***not*** *be chosen at all. One question has been done for you as an example.*

A. Scientists have successfully begun to turn seabirds into 'activity trackers' for the sea. As seabirds drift, their bodies rise and fall with the tides, waves and currents. By attaching tracking devices to them, they can map the motion of the sea. The discovery is a new way to measure currents and tides, information that is very important to the marine renewable energy industry.

B. More than 5,000 people were stung by bluebottle jellyfish on Queensland's Gold and Sunshine coasts in Australia over the weekend, as tides drove a wall of jellyfish towards the shore. Conditions eased on Monday but many jellyfish still dot the beaches and more than 200 people were treated for stings, mostly on the Sunshine Coast. Authorities have advised against swimming there.

C. An underwater tent has been invented that lets scuba divers camp under the sea. With a limited air supply in their tanks, divers only have a couple of hours that they can spend underwater, and when they are extemely deep, it can be exhausting work. This tent looks like a real tent and supplies hours of oxygen. It could revolutionise undersea study.

D. Many believe that scientists frequently find new species in the ocean, swimming around freely. However, that is rarely the case. A never-before-seen shark species was brought to a fish market in Kochi, a city on the coast of India. The fishermen who brought in this odd-looking species were fishing for sharks from the deep sea in the Indian Ocean. Researchers were called to the fish market where it was being sold and took it for observation.

E. A study has found evidence of a historical tsunami on the coastline of western India. The researchers have identified a 250-kilometre-long sand sheet deposit dating back a thousand years - an indicator of an underwater earthquake and a tsunami. The researchers think that the event could have occurred in 1008 AD, wiping out thousands of people.

F. A search is underway in the Antarctic to find Ernest Shackleton's lost ship. Shackleton was a British explorer whose steam-yacht, the Endurance, was crushed in sea ice and sank in November 1915. A team has now set out to investigate an ice shelf and the continent's biggest iceberg, which are near the last recorded position of the famous vessel. Shackleton escaped with his crew onto the ice and there is still considerable interest in finding the wreck.

Which article, A, B, C, D, E or F talks about

a disappearance?	**e.g.**	**F**
a problem for swimmers?	**1**	
an ancient discovery?	**2**	
staying longer underwater?	**3**	
a new way of learning about the sea?	**4**	
a historical expedition?	**5**	
an official warning?	**6**	
an exciting possibility for scientists studying marine life?	**7**	

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Section R3 (10 marks)
Choose the correct answer in each sentence and tick the box.

Marks Awarded

Example:

I hope ___*to hear*___ from them soon.

☐ **A hears** ☐ **B hearing** ☑ **C to hear** ☐ **D hear**

1. Butter must be _____ in the fridge.
   ☐ A kept ☐ B keep ☐ C keeps ☐ D keeping

2. I'd rather you _____ something less dangerous.
   ☐ A to try ☐ B trying ☐ C tried ☐ D will try

3. If he hadn't invited me, I _____ not have gone.
   ☐ A will ☐ B would ☐ C should ☐ D can

4. I had no idea she _____ so much about history.
   ☐ A knowing ☐ B to know ☐ C knew ☐ D know

5. Charlie was in London so it can't _____ him that you saw in Paris.
   ☐ A have been ☐ B to be ☐ C had been ☐ D was being

6. Many Europeans _____ at least two languages.
   ☐ A talk ☐ B tell ☐ C say ☐ D speak

7. Robert _____ an appointment to see the doctor.
   ☐ A let ☐ B put ☐ C made ☐ D did

8. I won't _____ up with his behaviour any more.
   ☐ A set ☐ B take ☐ C look ☐ D put

9. I'd better _____ the house before they arrive.
   ☐ A clean ☐ B cleaning ☐ C to clean ☐ D cleaned

10. I avoid _____ at the weekend.
    ☐ A be shopping ☐ B shopping ☐ C to shop ☐ D shop

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Section W3 (10 marks)
Rewrite the sentences to give the same meaning as the original. Rewrite all direct speech as reported speech.

Marks Awarded

Example:

I don't think you read the instructions properly.

You can't have read the instructions properly.

1. Rachel needs to get off the sofa and do some exercise.

It's high time

2. I only knew about the party because my friend told me about it.

If my friend

3. I hardly ever get the chance to play video games.

Rarely

4. 'Do you want anything from the shop, Mark?' Joey asked.

Joey asked

5. The students are preparing the hall for the school disco.

The hall

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Section R4 (10 marks)

Marks Awarded

Read the following sentences. They make a story. Write ONE missing word in each space.

Example:

Have you ever had a day when everything ***went*** wrong?

1. On Monday 27th, the day started badly for Fred, when he overslept after _____ to set his alarm clock.

2. He jumped out of bed as _____ as he saw the time, and got dressed as quickly as he could.

3. As he was running towards the door, he _____ over his sports bag, which he'd left on the floor, banging his head against the wall.

4. He hit his head _____ hard that he had to put a big bandage on his head to stop the bleeding.

5. He decided to call the office to tell them that he _____ be late, but he couldn't even do that!

6. Not only _____ the battery in his phone dead, but he couldn't find his charger either.

7. In a panic, he grabbed his keys and his jacket, jumped into the car and drove _____.

8. Immediately he realised that he didn't have _____ petrol left in the car. He hoped there was enough to get him there.

9. Fortunately, the roads weren't busy that day, and he _____ to get to the office in very good time.

10. It wasn't _____ he pulled into the car park that he remembered that Monday 27th was a national holiday and the office was closed.

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Section R5 (10 marks)
Complete the sentences with the correct form of the words in brackets.

Example:

His work was <u>acceptable</u> to the teacher. **(accept)**

1. The boy was _____ when he received his present. (delight)

2. Molly's _____ TV show is on at 6 pm. (favour)

3. They have decided to do it _____ next time. (differ)

4. Sophie became the _____ of the project. (lead)

5. The _____ payment was far too high. (month)

6. The _____ of this table is 150 centimetres. (wide)

7. The athlete was _____ for cheating. (qualify)

8. Don't eat those berries - they're _____! (poison)

9. The _____ of people love sugar. (major)

10. Carlos remained _____ that he would get the job. (hope)

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