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ESOL International

Pre-Intermediate Level

Paper Number: DD120

Candidate Instructions:

Make sure you have the correct candidate label in the box above.

Answer ALL the questions. Check the back page.

Use a blue or black PEN in the spaces provided.

Time allowed – TWO hours. (Including listening)

You may use correcting fluid if necessary.

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Section W1 (20 marks)
Write a composition of 120–150 words on ONE of the following topics:

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1. The best holiday of my life
2. My country
3. A day in the life of a prisoner
4. A local festival

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Section W2 (10 marks)

You are on holiday at the beach. It is summer. Write a message to a friend. Tell him/her about your holiday. Write about 50 words.

Marks Awarded

Hi,

A__

T__

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

Marks Awarded

A Marathon Swim

Ross Edgley has always enjoyed a challenge and in 2018, he became the first person to swim 2,883 kilometres around Great Britain. He set off on June 1st, planning to finish in 100 days. Many people did not expect him to finish at all as he would experience so many difficulties on his way. However, after 157 days of swimming 12 hours a day, Edgley crossed the finish line.

One of his greatest problems was jellyfish. He was stung so many times that his support team advised him to grow a beard to protect his face. He met friendly marine life as well. A group of seals were very interested in him. Dolphins swam with him and played. A small whale even guided him across a dangerous piece of open water. Often seagulls flew around his head.

When he wasn't swimming, Edgley slept and ate on a support boat. His meals were carefully planned as he had to eat 15,000 calories a day, six times more than the average male. When he finished, Edgley said he was looking forward to eating some different, healthy food. 'I've been eating the same food for five months.' He explained, 'I always started with a breakfast of two pizzas and for dinner I ate enormous bowls of pasta. It wasn't very exciting.'

This wasn't Edgley's first project. He has climbed mountains and completed a marathon while pulling a tree. When he was asked why he does such unusual challenges, he replied, 'My number one reason is to inspire people to get out there and challenge themselves - find something that you didn't think you could do and prove yourself wrong.'

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

1. How long did it take Edgley to complete his challenge?

2. Why was he told to grow a beard?

3. What other challenges has Edgley completed?

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Marks Awarded

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

4. Edgley's challenge took longer than expected.

True ☐ False ☐

5. Edgley often ate pizza for dinner.

True ☐ False ☐

6. Which animal helped Edgley?

A a seal
B a dolphin
C a whale

A ☐ B ☐ C ☐

7. During the challenge, Edgley's diet was

A varied.
B healthy.
C boring.

A ☐ B ☐ C ☐

8. What is the main reason Edgley does these activities?

A to break world records
B to encourage others to take a challenge
C to prove others wrong

A ☐ B ☐ C ☐

Write the words in the box. (1 mark each)

9. Find the word in the passage which means the **OPPOSITE** of:

normal *(paragraph 4)* ☐

10. Find the word in the passage which means the **SAME** as:

very large *(paragraph 3)* ☐

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Section R2 (7 marks)

Read the three advertisements for running clubs and answer the questions. For each question, choose the correct running club, A, B or C. You might need to choose each running club more than once.

Marks Awarded

A

Andy's Running Club

Running since 2012
Meet every Tuesday at 6 pm in West Park Sports Hall.
Beginners and experienced runners welcome
Free to join us
£5 fee for any competition entry
Water provided
Large free car park behind the hall
No booking necessary – just come along

For further information,
contact: www.andysclub.com

B

Betty's Joggers

Started in 2010
Meet Wednesday and Saturday at 10 am at East Beach.
No experience needed

£4 a session (includes tea/coffee after running)
Plenty of parking – £2 per hour
Booking not essential

For further information, please contact Betty on
049473 483023.

C

Charlie's Chariots

Formed in 2015

Run every Thursday at 6.30 pm.
Meet in The Wavy Line supermarket car park.
A club for experienced runners
£30 per year

Please bring your own water.
Free parking for up to 2 hours – then £1.50 per hour

To reserve your place, please call
Charlie on 0223 672912.
charlieschariots@bing.com

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Marks Awarded

Which club,

Andy's	**(A)**
Betty's	**(B)**
Charlie's	**(C)**

.... is the oldest?	**example**	**B**
.... meets twice a week?	1	
.... meets indoors?	2	
.... is only for runners with experience?	3	
.... does not cost anything to go to the club?	4	
.... provides hot drinks?	5	
.... has the most expensive parking?	6	
.... asks people to book?	7	

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Section R3 (20 marks)
Choose the correct answer and tick the box.

Marks Awarded

Example

I am ___*going*___ to the cinema at the weekend.

☐	**A go**	☐	**B goes**	☑	**C going**	☐	**D went**

1. The Taj Mahal in India was _____ over 400 years ago.

☐	A build	☐	B building	☐	C built	☐	D builds

2. If we _____ now, we won't miss the bus.

☐	A leave	☐	B leaves	☐	C leaving	☐	D left

3. His mother lets him _____ the car at weekends.

☐	A borrowing	☐	B borrow	☐	C borrowed	☐	D to borrow

4. My brother loved the film and _____.

☐	A so did I	☐	B so was I	☐	C neither was I	☐	D neither did I

5. That's the hotel _____ costs over £500 a night.

☐	A what	☐	B when	☐	C where	☐	D which

6. You had better _____ your room today.

☐	A to tidy	☐	B are tidying	☐	C tidy	☐	D tidied

7. We felt cold after the camp fire went _____.

☐	A in	☐	B out	☐	C up	☐	D over

8. If you _____ taller, you'd be able to see over the wall.

☐	A are	☐	B have been	☐	C will be	☐	D were

9. She was _____ in town when she saw her friend.

☐	A shopping	☐	B shops	☐	C shop	☐	D shopped

10. He was _____ young to understand the story.

☐	A enough	☐	B more	☐	C too	☐	D much

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Section W3 (10 marks)
Change each sentence so that it means the same as the sentence given.
Begin your sentence with the words provided in the box.

Example:

I went to the swimming pool a week ago.

I haven't been to the swimming pool for a week.

1. They will buy the tickets tomorrow.

The tickets

2. She last wore that dress at my birthday party.

She hasn't

3. Farmers in India grow the best tea.

The best tea

4. The last time I ate chocolate was ten days ago.

I haven't

5. Mr Bellows began the film club last year.

The film club

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Section W4 (10 marks)
Write the words in the correct order to make a sentence.

Example:

~~seen~~ / ~~I~~ / ~~since~~ / ~~Tuesday~~ / ~~haven't~~ / ~~you~~

I haven't seen you since Tuesday.

1. grandparents / friend / visits / ~~My~~ / rarely / her

My

2. hardly / go / ~~They~~ / to / ever / restaurants

They

3. brother / always / video / ~~My~~ / playing / games / is

My

4. has / studying / hours / ~~Harry~~ / for / already / been / seven

Harry

5. are / to / big / a / ~~My~~ / have / neighbours / party / going

My

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Section R4 (5 marks)
Choose the correct word and tick the box.

Marks Awarded

Example:

We were _____*lucky*_____ that the weather was fine.

☐ **A luck**	☐ **B luckily**	☑ **C lucky**

1. My sister is _____ in maths and science.

☐ A interest	☐ B interesting	☐ C interested

2. He _____ closed the door.

☐ A noise	☐ B noisily	☐ C noisy

3. She took _____ of the children.

☐ A careful	☐ B carefully	☐ C care

4. The fox looked _____ at the chickens.

☐ A hunger	☐ B hungrily	☐ C hungry

5. Eating well is important for your _____.

☐ A health	☐ B healthily	☐ C healthy

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Section R5 (5 marks)
Choose the words from the box and write them on the lines.
Use some words more than once.

Marks Awarded

off	up	on	away	out	in

Example:

I picked __up__ the rubbish, put it __in__ the bin and closed the lid.

1. They went _____ holiday for two weeks _____ the summer.

2. The school play was put _____ as so many students were _____ because of illness.

3. We looked _____ the phone number of the restaurant _____ the travel guide book.

4. She was looking _____ of the window when the plane took _____.

5. _____ Saturday mornings, we always go _____ for breakfast.

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