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Time allowed – THREE hours. (Including listening)

Answer ALL the questions. Check the back page.

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Use a blue or black PEN in the spaces provided.

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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 respect and why?
2. Describe a happy memory from your childhood.
3. Give an account of a big mistake.
4. 'Playing online games is better than playing sports.' Discuss.

Title:

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Marks Awarded

Ask for extra paper if required.

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Section W2 (15 marks)

Marks Awarded

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

A new hotel has opened in the mountains but their website is not working yet. You and a friend want to go on a skiing holiday.

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

In your letter, you should:
- give them the details of your booking
- ask them for two pieces of information about what the hotel offers

(You do not need to include the addresses in the letter.)

Task 1

Now go to task 2 to complete this section.

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Section W2 (continued)

Marks Awarded

A new hotel has opened in the mountains but their website is not working yet. You and a friend want to go on a skiing holiday.

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

In your email, you should:
- tell your friend why you're looking forward to the holiday
- explain one thing that is worrying you

From:
Subject:
Message:

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

Marks Awarded

Travelling Pets

In the 1970s, the only animals allowed in the cabin of a passenger plane were fully-trained assistance dogs accompanying their owners. Non-assistance animals had to travel with the luggage in the *hold* as pets were not allowed in the cabin. There was, of course, a fee for this and many owners worried about their pets travelling this way. In 1987, Gayle Martz set out to change this, when she designed the *Sherpa Bag*, a carry-case for pets. However, it wasn't until 1989 that she persuaded several airlines to allow small pets to actually travel in a *Sherpa* under the owner's seat for an additional fee. Pet travel has always been associated with affluent fliers. Now, young people have realised that by posting pictures of their travelling pet on social media, they increase their 'likes' or 'followers' on Facebook or Instagram.

Many airlines now permit pets on board, claiming they are emotional support for passengers scared of flying. This has increased the number of unusual pets travelling, including a pony and kangaroo. In 2018, legal challenges against unusual travelling pets were successful in the USA, since it was decided the owners enjoyed the publicity but had no medical evidence to prove a fear of flying. Nevertheless, two million dogs travelled on US commercial airlines last year, although most Americans opt to leave pets at home in the care of professionals.

It is the 'millennial' generation that is altering public opinion of what counts as a pet, with piglets and goats becoming popular. This change from 'domestic animal' to 'pet' is a logical result of the popularity of vegetarianism among the youth. However, consensus on how to look after these different pets has not been reached and there are ethical issues. It is still the older generations who own most dogs and are experienced with those.

Individual country records reflect demands for pet transportation. Five years ago, 164,836 dogs with passports entered Britain under the Pet Travel Scheme, with 65,080 coming from 128 other nations, mostly transported by car and ferry. Some ferries even fit door sensors at accessible heights so animals can pass freely from one pet area of the ship to another. Fences run around the outside deck, with artificial grass patches for exercise and socialising with other people's pets.

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

1. When were pets first allowed to travel in the cabin of a plane?

2. Give two reasons why travelling with a pet has become more popular recently.

3. Why was the law on pet travel changed in 2018 in the USA?

Marks Awarded

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

4. In the past, pets could travel in the *hold* at no cost.

True ☐ False ☐

5. US citizens are more likely to take their pet on a flight than leave it behind.

True ☐ False ☐

6. How is the 'millennial' generation changing pet ownership?

A They collectively own the most pets of any generation.
B They are changing the idea of what is considered a pet.
C They are greater supporters of ethical pet ownership.

A ☐ B ☐ C ☐

7. What was the situation in the UK five years ago?

A Fewer than 65,080 dogs came from abroad.
B 164,836 UK pet passports were issued.
C Animals arrived from 128 countries.

A ☐ B ☐ C ☐

8. Some ferries provide animals with

A separate indoor spaces for pets to be exercised.
B personal play areas and private space outdoors.
C doors that automatically open for animals.

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:

wealthy (paragraph 1) ☐

agreement (paragraph 3) ☐

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

forbid (paragraph 2) ☐

real (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. Solar farms developed by East Winchfield Council are producing more clean electricity than planned and generating unexpectedly high environmental and financial benefits. According to figures out this month, the solar farms produced 5,267 MW of clean electricity and stopped the harmful release of 1, 843 tonnes of carbon dioxide into the atmosphere.

B. For a decade, the South African private game reserve Londolozi has been converting its petrol vehicles into jeeps run on solar-charged batteries. Today, Kenyan start-up Opibus is launching its own electric vehicles, and will start converting its *matatus* fleet, slowly phasing out the eco-unfriendly buses in the bush and on the streets. It is hoped that fewer, more efficient buses will serve the community more effectively.

C. Criminals broke into a house on Crookhorn Street on Monday 17th November. The thieves ran away when the house alarm went off. No valuables were taken, but the recently-installed solar paneling on the south side of the roof of the building was badly damaged. Anyone who saw anything suspicious, should call Wootston Police on 0168833229.

D. English environmentalist Dr Louise McNaught spent a day at Littlemore Primary School. Dr McNaught spoke about the many gains to be made by businesses choosing to 'go green'. She worked on her research throughout her time at a Spanish environmental agency, which she recently completed before she returned home. Her talk showed the young listeners the benefits of buying from environmentally-friendly companies. It is hoped that her words will be remembered when they grow up and begin their careers.

E. Reghill is one of the first publicly-owned solar farms in the Legham area to be built using large on-site batteries. These store extra electricity, which is fed into the system when needed. Councillor Stephan James says the council hopes to increase renewable energy capacity even further next year through investment with local companies.

F. Local building firm J&A Harding has seen a dramatic increase in the demand for solar panelling over the past year. Its new contract with the local education authority will see the transformation of 80 schools in the area. The installations will reduce emissions by 1,300 tonnes and provide average savings of £2,000 off each institution's annual energy bill.

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

making transport greener?	**e.g.**	**B**
teaching the future workforce?	**1**	
a rise in orders?	**2**	
a request for information?	**3**	
a reduction in vehicle numbers?	**4**	
financial gains for schools?	**5**	
someone who has worked in another country?	**6**	
better results than anticipated?	**7**	

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Sample

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

Marks Awarded

Example:

She's tired as she ___*isn't used*___ to getting up so early.

☐ **A wouldn't use** ☐ **B wasn't used** ☑ **C isn't used** ☐ **D didn't use**

1. He can't _____ that presentation properly. It was terrible.

☐ A been preparing ☐ B to prepare ☐ C have prepared ☐ D be prepared

2. We'd better _____ while it's still light.

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

3. Sami usually avoids _____ in the city centre.

☐ A driving ☐ B to drive ☐ C driven ☐ D be driving

4. If Tom _____ her present sooner, it would have arrived in time for her birthday.

☐ A will order ☐ B has ordered ☐ C had ordered ☐ D was ordering

5. The family is _____ plans to meet next summer.

☐ A having ☐ B doing ☐ C getting ☐ D making

6. If Hazel lost her phone, she _____ very upset.

☐ A will be ☐ B has been ☐ C is being ☐ D would be

7. Please take my spare key in case I _____ mine.

☐ A will lose ☐ B lose ☐ C had lost ☐ D lost

8. Beth had no idea William _____ the piano.

☐ A play ☐ B played ☐ C is playing ☐ D to play

9. It's high time Barry _____ that wall. He's been talking about it for months.

☐ A paint ☐ B is painting ☐ C will paint ☐ D painted

10. All papers should _____ to the main office before the deadline.

☐ A be sent ☐ B been sent ☐ C have sent ☐ D be sending

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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, making all the necessary changes.

Marks Awarded

Example:

Perhaps Andrea left her glasses upstairs.

Andrea might have left her glasses upstairs.

1. Please don't spend hours playing computer games.

I'd rather

2. 'I've taken the rubbish out, Anna,' said Paul.

Paul told

3. About a hundred students usually take that course every year.

That course

4. It was only when Melissa arrived at the gym that she realised it was closed.

Not until

5. Jim noticed the fire early so the building didn't burn down.

If Jim

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Sample

Section R4 (10 marks)

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

Marks Awarded

Example:

Are you fond ***__of__*** *cooking*?

1. Michael enjoys cooking _____ much that he has decided to study to become a chef.

2. He started to experiment in the kitchen with his mother _____ the age of just four years old.

3. His mother used to let him help her _____ she was preparing dinner.

4. Soon, he began experimenting with flavours and creating _____ own recipes.

5. Michael's friends were very impressed when they tried his dishes and asked him to share his ideas _____ them.

6. Not _____ was Michael an excellent chef, but he was also good at cleaning up afterwards, as the kitchen was always spotless.

7. Michael wishes he _____ enough money to be able to go to *culinary* or cookery school, but the two-year course is expensive.

8. At the moment Michael has no money so he can't _____ the course fees.

9. He'll therefore _____ six months doing other jobs so he can save enough money in order to go to culinary school.

10. Hopefully, his dream _____ becoming a chef will soon be realised!

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

Example:

Susie was proud of her sister's great ___achievement___. **(achieve)**

1. Douglas has always been a very _____ tennis player. (compete)

2. That was an _____ performance by the band. (amaze)

3. There are too many _____ of nature and animals in the novel. (describe)

4. The _____ was very long and my seat was uncomfortable so I was glad when we finally landed. (fly)

5. Philip asked for his teacher's _____ to leave the class early. (permit)

6. No-one knows. The problem is still _____. (solve)

7. Sophie is a very good _____ and always does her best. (work)

8. Charles spoke _____ and with great passion to the assembled crowd. (power)

9. She will be remembered for her acts of _____ and for her bravery. (kind)

10. Neil can't have heard my message _____ or he wouldn't have arrived so late. (correct)

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