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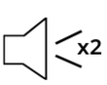
Candidate Instructions:



Listen to the recording and answer the questions.



There will be other pauses to let you think about your answers.



You will hear each part of the recording **twice**.



When you hear the tone, write your answers on the question paper. Write clearly in the spaces provided.



There will be a pause before each part so you can read the questions.



Use a blue or black PEN in the spaces provided.

You must ask any questions now as you cannot speak during the test.

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Listening Total [50]

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Section L1 (24 marks)

You will hear a tour guide talking about Hever Castle in Kent, UK. For questions one to four, listen to the recording and tick (✓) the correct box. For questions five to twelve, fill in the missing information.

Marks Awarded

1. Hever Castle was originally built as

   A an administrative centre for the government. ☐
   B a country house for aristocrats. ☐
   C defence against invaders. ☐

2. Who owned Hever Castle in the 1540s?

   A the king at the time ☐
   B a former queen ☐
   C a politician no longer in favour ☐

3. What shape is the Yew maze?

   A a triangle ☐
   B a circle ☐
   C a square ☐

4. William Waldorf Astor used the same

   A materials and tools as the Tudors. ☐
   B design in each room as the original. ☐
   C workers and designers in each room. ☐

5. Entrance to the new **5** is included in the admission price.

6. Public access to **6** is not permitted.

7. The 38-acre Hever Lake was created about **7** ago.

8. The coach will pick up passengers at 5 pm by the **8**.

Have-A-Go Archery at Hever Castle

9.	**When archery is available [until 31st October]:**	
10.	**Participants must watch:**	
11.	**Cost of arrows:**	**_____ for _____ arrows, or _____ for _____**
12.	**When participants need to book:**	

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Section L2 (16 marks)

Marks Awarded

You are going to hear four speakers talking about careers. For questions one to eight, choose the correct answer, A, B, C or D.

Speaker One

1. The speaker is quitting his job because

A	he is badly treated.	
B	it is inadequately paid.	
C	there is no chance of promotion.	
D	he is concerned about health and safety.	

2. What will he do next?

A	go on a training course	
B	apply for the first job he finds	
C	take a short break from working	
D	find a junior position in his area of experience	

Speaker Two

3. The speaker couldn't decide due to

A	having multiple job offers.	
B	being indecisive by nature.	
C	none of the options suiting her.	
D	being given conflicting advice.	

4. What has she been doing recently?

A	travelling to lots of countries	
B	trying different jobs	
C	focusing on volunteering	
D	setting up her own business	

Speaker Three

5. What is the speaker training to become?

A	an animal trainer	
B	a Pilates instructor	
C	a voice-over artist	
D	a private chef	

6. How did he pay for the course?

A	He was given money.	
B	He won some money.	
C	He saved up.	
D	He got a bank loan.	

Speaker Four

7. What does the speaker worry about?

A	continually acquiring skills	
B	increasing workload	
C	declining wages	
D	job insecurity	

8. What currently gives her job satisfaction?

A	making a difference	
B	making money	
C	learning and development	
D	status and respect	

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Section L3 (10 marks)
You are going to listen to an interview with Sam Davies, who owns a 3D model printing business. Answer all the questions below by marking the correct box with a tick (✓).

1. Why did he start his business?

A	because of his enthusiasm for 3D printing	☐
B	in order to be able to pay the bills	☐
C	so he could become self employed	☐

2. What are his most popular items?

A	masks and helmets	☐
B	action figures and dolls	☐
C	decorations and jewellery	☐

3. How did he learn about 3D printing?

A	through online message boards	☐
B	at a university evening course	☐
C	by getting his friends to show him	☐

4. What other business does he run?

A	selling lizards and fish	☐
B	writing articles for magazines	☐
C	selling items from charity shops	☐

5. What annoys him?

A	the low prices his items go for	☐
B	the amount of income tax he has to pay	☐
C	the exhausting nature of the work	☐

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