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Time allowed – TWO hours. (Including listening)

Answer ALL the questions. Check the back page.

You may use correcting fluid if necessary.

Use a blue or black PEN in the spaces provided.

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Section W1 (20 marks)

*Write a composition of 150–200 words on **ONE** of the following topics:*

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1. If you could meet someone famous, who would it be and why?
2. Describe a person who is important to you.
3. 'When I opened the curtains and looked outside, I saw something I'd never seen before.' Continue the story.
4. Imagine your life with no school or work for a year. What would it be like?

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Section W2 (15 marks)

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You have decided to take part in a writing competition. Write an email to your friend on one of the following topics. You should write about 50-70 words.

Either

1*. Tell your friend about the competition and suggest she/he enters the competition too.*

or

2. *Tell your friend what you are going to write about and explain why you have decided to enter the competition.*

Please tick the email you have chosen. **Email 1** □
Email 2 □

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

Marks Awarded

Khabane Lame

Khabane Lame, who is better known as Khaby Lame, is an Italian social-media personality. He was born in 2000 in Senegal, Africa but moved to the city of Chivasso in Italy when he was just one. Lame's parents sent their three children to local schools but when Lame was fourteen, they decided to send him back to Dakar – the capital of his native country - to finish his education.

After returning to Italy, Lame began his working life in Turin, in a factory making tools. He was happy there because he earned a decent wage, but in March 2020 he lost his job because of the COVID-19 pandemic. Lame missed being busy and as a result, he started to film videos of himself dancing and doing various activities. He says that, 'even though no one was watching them,' he just enjoyed making them.

He then decided to make a new kind of video in response to the many *life-hack* videos found online. These are videos that include clever ideas and complex ways of doing everyday tasks such as cutting a hamburger in half with a special knife. He then films himself responding to these videos by doing the task in the normal, much simpler way. His responses are completely silent – he just uses body language to express himself. His main purpose was to bring comedy into people's lives. After several months he had one million followers.

Because of these videos, by April 2021, he had become the most-followed personality on the social-media platform *TikTok*. He went on to work with the luxury fashion company Hugo Boss, and he also worked as a model with Italy's Juventus football team when they launched their new football shirts. He has rejected all offers of working with alcohol and tobacco brands as he feels a responsibility towards his young followers. People writing in the media say that Lame became famous because he was unlike any other social-media star, and the original, creative nature of his videos attracted people worldwide.

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

1. In which two cities did Lame go to school?

2. Why did Lame start making online videos after losing his job?

3. What kind of companies does he refuse to work with?

Marks Awarded

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

4. In March 2020, he had around one million followers.

True ☐ False ☐

5. Lame helped advertise sports clothing.

True ☐ False ☐

6. In his first job, Lame worked as a

A dancer.
B factory worker.
C film maker.

A ☐ B ☐ C ☐

7. What was the aim of Lame's *life-hack* videos?

A to entertain people and make them laugh
B to teach people how to make videos
C to show people how to prepare food

A ☐ B ☐ C ☐

8. According to journalists, why did Lame become so famous?

A He was fashionable.
B He was unusual.
C He was hardworking.

A ☐ B ☐ C ☐

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

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

low (paragraph 2) ☐

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

presented to the public (paragraph 4) ☐

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Section R2 (7 marks)

Read the five short texts below, which are all about new jobs. Choose from the texts (A to E) and complete the answer grid. The texts may be chosen more than once. One has been done for you as an example.

Marks Awarded

A. I finally started my part-time job as a dog walker last week after a month of waiting. Unfortunately, the dog had a bad leg and has only just got her strength back. Anyway, the dog's name is Bonny – a German shepherd dog, and now she loves going out for walks. I have to walk her every day after school for about an hour – but not on Saturdays and Sundays. I'm enjoying it as I adore being out in the fresh air, as you know.

B. I did my first shift at the café on Saturday. Unfortunately, they were very short-staffed due to illness, so I was really busy all day. Despite this, I enjoyed it and I learnt what to do quickly. A few people got wrong orders - because of me! However, the manager was very kind and helped me sort it out. I'm looking forward to next Saturday.

C. I've started my job cleaning for my next-door neighbour. It was hard work because I had a bad cold and didn't have much energy. Nevertheless, I got everything done and my neighbour seemed pleased. I'm glad I took the job, but I've said I'll just do it once a week even though she's asked me to come twice. I need to put my schoolwork first and it's a lot of work for a low wage.

D. I'm so tired. I was babysitting for my mum's friend last night. I've offered to go every Monday. I thought I was going to have a quiet evening watching a movie. No such luck! The baby woke up almost as soon as his parents had left. He was lovely but didn't want to go back to sleep. I wouldn't have offered to babysit if I'd known what was involved. Maybe it will be easier next time.

E. I've been doing my gardening job for a month now. At first, I was unsure as it was difficult to get everything right, and I found it a challenge physically too. As I go on Saturdays and Sundays, I've become fitter and more familiar with the garden. So, I'm not sorry I took it on. The money comes in useful too as I'm saving up for a new phone, and I get more than I would for a job in a café.

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Which person, A, B, C, D or E

felt unwell at work?	**e.g.**	**C**
is sorry he/she started the job?	**1**	
likes being outdoors?	**2**	
has become stronger from doing the job?	**3**	
made mistakes at work?	**4**	
decided to say no to extra work?	**5**	
is pleased with what he/she earns?	**6**	
doesn't work at the weekend?	**7**	

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Section R3 (20 marks)

Choose the correct answer for each sentence and tick the box.

Marks Awarded

Example:

Mia doesn't enjoy ____playing_____ chess, but her sister loves it.

☐ **A play** ☑ **B playing** ☐ **C to play** ☐ **D played**

1. I managed to win the tennis match _____ not playing my best.

☐ A despite ☐ B unless ☐ C until ☐ D but

2. I looked carefully at the menu online before _____ a table at the restaurant.

☐ A book ☐ B booked ☐ C booking ☐ D to book

3. Georgio is having his eyes _____ this morning.

☐ A tested ☐ B testing ☐ C test ☐ D to test

4. Hamad _____ a detective film when his computer stopped working.

☐ A watch ☐ B watches ☐ C is watching ☐ D was watching

5. If the bus had arrived on time, they _____ been late for school.

☐ A haven't ☐ B wouldn't have ☐ C won't have ☐ D hadn't

6. The police want to speak to the person _____ car this is.

☐ A what ☐ B who ☐ C whose ☐ D where

7. That is the _____ meal I've ever had.

☐ A tastiest ☐ B as tasty ☐ C tastier ☐ D too tasty

8. The swimming competition's going to start at six o'clock, _____

☐ A hasn't it? ☐ B isn't it? ☐ C wasn't it? ☐ D doesn't it?

9. The children were _____ to stay away from the building site.

☐ A telling ☐ B tell ☐ C to tell ☐ D told

10. If Lucy _____ enough money, she would buy a new car.

☐ A has had ☐ B has ☐ C had ☐ D will have

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Section W3 (10 marks)

Marks Awarded

Rewrite the sentences to give the same meaning as the original. The beginning of the sentence has been provided. Also use the word in brackets. Do not change it in any way. Other changes to the sentence will be necessary. Rewrite all direct speech as reported speech.

Example:

Betty reads faster than anyone else in her class. (fastest)

Betty is the fastest reader in her class.

1. The car wasn't small enough to fit into the parking space. (too)

The car

2. The film was so long that I fell asleep halfway through. (such)

It

3. Samir can run faster than Clive. (as)

Clive

4. My uncle is looking after my baby brother. (by)

My baby brother

5. 'I'm driving my sister to London on Saturday,' said Alma. (she)

Alma said

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Section R4 (10 marks)
Complete the sentences with the correct form of the word in brackets.
Write ONE WORD ONLY on the line.

Marks Awarded

Example:

Jan is a ___receptionist___ in a hotel in New York. **(reception)**

1. I _____ the taste of garlic so I never eat it. (like)

2. This song is about _____ and it always makes me smile. (happy)

3. I'm learning a violin piece by a _____ composer. (Spain)

4. My name is difficult to say but you pronounced it _____. Well done. (perfect)

5. Jim has so many good ideas – he should be an _____ when he grows up. (invent)

6. I don't understand the story in this book so I'm going to go back to the _____. (begin)

7. I always listen to music on long train journeys so I don't get _____. (bore)

8. It was a really _____ game and I played it for three hours. (excite)

9. Thanks for lending me your wireless headphones – they'll be really _____ for my trip. (use)

10. I was woken up this morning because the _____ was repairing the roof. (build)

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Section W4 (5 marks)

Marks Awarded

In each sentence, there are two verbs. One of the verbs can be changed for the phrasal verb given in brackets. Rewrite each sentence using the phrasal verb given. Change the form of the phrasal verb where necessary. There are two examples.

Example 1:

Jan feels really tired because she's recovering from a bad cold. (get over)

Jan feels really tired because she's getting over a bad cold.

Example 2:

If Ted leaves now, he'll arrive at the campsite before lunch. (set off)

If Ted sets off now, he'll arrive at the campsite before lunch.

1. Fahad found his football shirt when he was tidying his bedroom. (come across)

2. The passengers were waiting on the plane for an hour before it finally left for Paris. (take off)

3. Greta is feeling excited about her holiday next week and she's booking her train ticket today. (look forward to)

4. The meeting started at ten o'clock but the manager arrived fifteen minutes late. (turn up)

5. The police are investigating the burglary which happened at the shopping centre. (look into)

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This section is for notes and will not be marked.

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