



Listening TEST

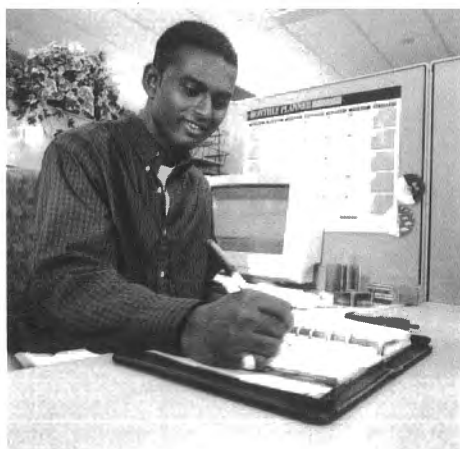
In the Listening test, you will be asked to demonstrate how well you understand spoken English. The entire Listening test will last approximately 45 minutes. There are four parts, and directions are given for each part. You must mark your answers on the separate answer sheet. Do not write your answers in the test book.

Part 1

Directions: For each question in this part, you will hear four statements about a picture in your test book. When you hear the statements, you must select the one statement that best describes what you see in the picture. Then find the number of the question on your answer sheet and mark your answer. The statements will not be printed in your test book and will be spoken only one time.

Example

Sample Answer



(A) (B) (C) (D)

Statement (C), "He is writing in a notebook," is the best description of the picture, so you should select answer (C) and mark it on your answer sheet.

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Part 2

Directions: You will hear a question or statement and three responses spoken in English. They will be spoken only one time and will not be printed in your test book. Select the best response to the question or statement and mark the letter (A), (B), or (C) on your answer sheet.

Example

Sample Answer

You will hear: Where did you buy your tie?

(A) ● (C)

You will also hear: (A) Next time we'll do better.
 (B) At the downtown shopping center.
 (C) We'll move to a new building soon.

The best response to the question "Where did you buy your tie?" is choice (B), "At the downtown shopping center," so (B) is the correct answer. You should mark answer (B) on your answer sheet.

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Part 3

Directions: You will hear some conversations between two people. You will be asked to answer three questions about what the speakers say in each conversation. Select the best response to each question and mark the letter (A), (B), (C), or (D) on your answer sheet. The conversations will be spoken only one time and will not be printed in your test book.

41. Where are the speakers most likely?
(A) At a shopping mall
(B) At a convention center
(C) At a local hotel
(D) At a company warehouse
42. What will the woman give Mr. Dyson?
(A) An information package
(B) A guest list
(C) A name tag
(D) An operating manual
43. What does Mr. Dyson inquire about?
(A) The name of the conference
(B) The number of guests
(C) The location of an event
(D) The dates of the seminar
44. Who is the man speaking with?
(A) A telephone operator
(B) A hotel manager
(C) A city tour guide
(D) A company client
45. What is the man unsure of?
(A) The name of his tour guide
(B) The hotel's address
(C) The name of the hotel
(D) The date he will be visiting
46. What will the woman most likely do next?
(A) Look for other local hotels
(B) Check the hotel's facilities
(C) Make a reservation
(D) Connect the call



- 47. What did Allie bring?**
(A) Grilled vegetables
(B) Sandwiches
(C) Beef kebabs
(D) Fruit
- 48. What does Jim compliment Allie on?**
(A) Her pretty living room
(B) Her lovely attire
(C) Her delicious food
(D) Her kindness
- 49. What is Jim doing?**
(A) Grilling beef
(B) Cutting up fruit
(C) Preparing cocktail drinks
(D) Making dessert
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- 50. Where is Mario now?**
(A) At a client's office
(B) At Kensington Market
(C) At the post office
(D) At the downtown office
- 51. What issue is Mario dealing with?**
(A) An office renovation
(B) A new contract
(C) A delivery mistake
(D) A printing error
- 52. How does the woman suggest getting in contact with Mario?**
(A) By going downtown
(B) By writing him an e-mail
(C) By sending him a fax
(D) By calling his mobile phone
- 53. What are the speakers talking about?**
(A) A mobile phone bill
(B) A gas invoice
(C) An electricity payment
(D) A broken heating system
- 54. Why does the man want to make a call?**
(A) To request maintenance staff
(B) To inquire about gas rates
(C) To discuss setting up a new account
(D) To ask for an additional invoice copy
- 55. What would the woman like the man to do?**
(A) Discuss with her what he finds out
(B) Talk to the company about getting a discount
(C) Help her with the cost of her gas bill
(D) Ask for better customer service
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- 56. What is the woman's problem?**
(A) She is late for an important meeting.
(B) Her e-mail account is not working.
(C) She misplaced an important file.
(D) She wasn't able to finish the proposal.
- 57. What will the woman do at 1 o'clock tomorrow?**
(A) Talk to her supervisor
(B) Host a presentation
(C) Meet with a client
(D) Contact the technical support team
- 58. What will Bill most likely do next?**
(A) Order some office supplies
(B) Negotiate a new contract
(C) Delay a meeting
(D) Make a phone call

59. Why are the speakers going to Toronto?

- (A) To attend a conference
- (B) To go to a trade show
- (C) To take a vacation
- (D) To speak with some investors

60. How long will Sue stay in Toronto?

- (A) For one night
- (B) For two nights
- (C) For three nights
- (D) For four nights

61. What does Sue suggest the man do?

- (A) Go to the trade show on Thursday
- (B) Rest before the presentation
- (C) Speak with his travel agency
- (D) Make a reservation soon

62. What time are dinner reservations?

- (A) 7:45
- (B) 8:00
- (C) 8:15
- (D) 8:30

63. What does the man say about Frank?

- (A) He's away on vacation.
- (B) He's unable to make it.
- (C) He's meeting them for dinner.
- (D) He's working late.

64. Why will the woman come late to the meeting?

- (A) She has to wait for a delivery.
- (B) She has to park her car.
- (C) She has to make a phone call.
- (D) She has to finish her work.

65. Where does the woman work?

- (A) At a university
- (B) At a hospital
- (C) At a stationary store
- (D) At a recruiting firm

66. Who does the woman want to speak to?

- (A) Store manager
- (B) Sales representative
- (C) Vice-president
- (D) Secretary

67. What will the woman probably do?

- (A) Leave a message on Luke Newberry's phone
- (B) Complain to the store manager
- (C) Order the business cards somewhere else
- (D) Speak to another sales representative

68. Who most likely are the speakers?

- (A) Business partners
- (B) Contractors
- (C) Repair workers
- (D) Neighbors

69. What problem do Tim's neighbors have?

- (A) They have no electricity.
- (B) Their car was stolen.
- (C) Their air conditioner has stopped working.
- (D) Their house is on fire.

70. What needs to be repaired?

- (A) The driveway
- (B) The window
- (C) The power lines
- (D) The fireplace

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Part 4

Directions: You will hear some short talks given by a single speaker. You will be asked to answer three questions about what the speaker says in each short talk. Select the best response to each question and mark the letter (A), (B), (C), or (D) on your answer sheet. The talks will be spoken only one time and will not be printed in your test book.

- 71. Who is the message most likely directed at?**
(A) Website designers
(B) Professional accountants
(C) Irish students
(D) Bank customers
- 72. What is inferred about the organization's employees?**
(A) They are currently on lunch break.
(B) They are attending to other customers.
(C) They are presently not working.
(D) They are working at another branch office.
- 73. What information can customers obtain from the website?**
(A) A list of new available products
(B) A list of company employees
(C) Cost of the company's products
(D) The branch location and address
- 74. What is the purpose of this radio announcement?**
(A) To inform people of a city event
(B) To advertise a new project
(C) To announce the closure of a park
(D) To arrange a city council conference
- 75. From when will St. Paul Street be closed to vehicles?**
(A) November 9
(B) November 10
(C) November 12
(D) Next weekend
- 76. What should people do if they have questions?**
(A) Send an e-mail to the mayor
(B) Fax the city council
(C) Call the tourism office
(D) E-mail their local police department

77. What type of event is being held?

- (A) A sporting event
- (B) A theatrical performance
- (C) A concert
- (D) An awards ceremony

78. What will guests be doing at next month's charity event?

- (A) Listening to an orchestra
- (B) Dancing
- (C) Singing
- (D) Making speeches

79. What will happen immediately after lunch?

- (A) Award winners will be announced.
- (B) A dance performance will take place.
- (C) Speeches are scheduled to begin.
- (D) Photographs will be taken.

80. What is suggested about Thompson's wristwatches?

- (A) They are inexpensive.
- (B) They are manufactured in China.
- (C) They are stylish.
- (D) They can be ordered online.

81. What gift is being offered?

- (A) A set of pens
- (B) A new pair of shoes
- (C) A leather briefcase
- (D) A pair of sunglasses

82. What should people do to receive a gift?

- (A) Make a phone call
- (B) Contact a store manager
- (C) Visit the company website
- (D) Write a letter

83. What is the announcement about?

- (A) Vacant positions in a company
- (B) A new financial report
- (C) Hiring a new employee
- (D) Ways to enhance global marketing

84. How long did Ms. Reynolds work at The Optic Group?

- (A) 3 years
- (B) 4 years
- (C) 5 years
- (D) 6 years

85. Where is the main office of Jones & Burwell Consulting?

- (A) Madrid
- (B) London
- (C) Los Angeles
- (D) Seattle

86. Why did the speaker leave a message?

- (A) To give directions to a new restaurant
- (B) To talk to her boss about the new clients
- (C) To inform her colleagues that she will be late
- (D) To tell her coworkers about a new contract

87. What was scheduled for one o'clock?

- (A) A lunch meeting
- (B) A musical performance
- (C) A client's presentation
- (D) A meeting among coworkers

88. Where is the speaker calling from?

- (A) The office
- (B) A restaurant
- (C) Her home
- (D) A hospital

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- 89.** What did the speaker decide at a young age?
(A) What profession he wanted to work in
(B) What university he wanted to attend
(C) What city he wanted to live in
(D) What kind of friends he liked
- 90.** What did the speaker do at age twenty-five?
(A) He taught politics at a university.
(B) He became school president.
(C) He met a famous politician.
(D) He started playing sports.
- 91.** How many regulations did the speaker introduce?
(A) Twenty
(B) Twenty-five
(C) Thirty
(D) Forty
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- 92.** Who most likely is the speaker addressing?
(A) College professors
(B) New employees
(C) Technical support staff
(D) Department managers
- 93.** Why are not many employees taking courses?
(A) They believe that they are too expensive.
(B) They think that the courses are boring.
(C) They see no advantages in taking them.
(D) They are unaware that the courses are offered.
- 94.** What has the speaker suggested the company do?
(A) Hold the courses in the company offices
(B) Make the classes mandatory for all staff
(C) Hire more professional staff
(D) Implement a technical support team
- 95.** Who most likely is the speaker?
(A) A travel agent
(B) A hotel clerk
(C) An airline pilot
(D) A sales representative
- 96.** What city has been added to Barbara's itinerary?
(A) Calgary
(B) Honolulu
(C) Los Angeles
(D) Chicago
- 97.** Why would the speaker like Barbara to contact him?
(A) To discuss the difference in the ticket price
(B) To arrange transportation to the airport
(C) To confirm the location of a meeting
(D) To talk about a hotel booking
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- 98.** Where most likely is the talk taking place?
(A) In a hotel lobby
(B) In a convention hall
(C) In a manufacturing facility
(D) In a radio studio
- 99.** What topic is Ms. Dupont speaking about?
(A) Healthy lifestyle
(B) Training doctors
(C) Traveling in France
(D) Presentation skills
- 100.** What has Ms. Dupont been invited to do?
(A) Write a medical journal article
(B) Design a new training program
(C) Join a medical professional group
(D) Open her own practice

This is the end of the Listening test.