

TEST 7

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 your 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

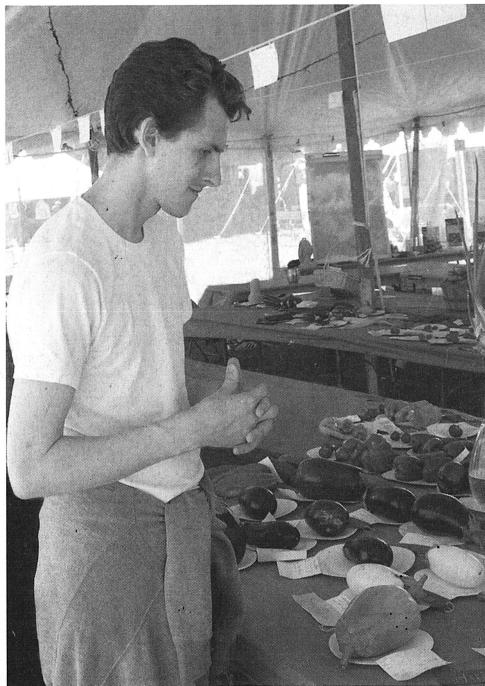
Sample Answer

- (A) (B) ● (D)

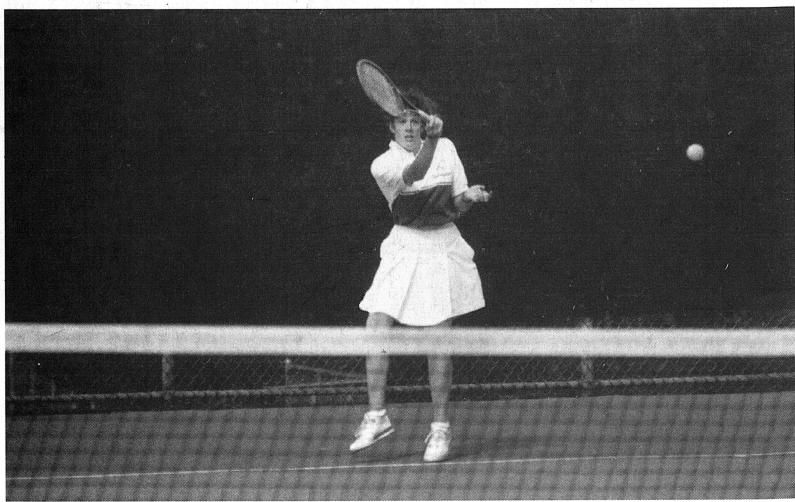


Statement (C), "They're standing near the table," is the best description of the picture, so you should select answer (C) and mark it on your answer sheet.

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PART 2

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

Example

Sample Answer

(A) ● (C)

You will hear: Where is the meeting room?

You will also hear: (A) To meet the new director.

(B) It's the first room on the right.

(C) Yes, at two o'clock.

The best response to the question “Where is the meeting room?” is choice (B), “It's the first room on the right,” 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 not be printed in your test book and will be spoken only one time.

41. What event are the speakers preparing for?
(A) A film opening
(B) An art exhibition
(C) A concert
(D) A theater performance
42. What does the woman say there is a problem with?
(A) A recent purchase
(B) An employee schedule
(C) The guest list
(D) The lighting
43. What does the woman say she will do?
(A) Get a ladder
(B) Work extra hours
(C) Buy some supplies
(D) Organize a closet
44. What does the woman tell the customer about?
(A) A discount on meals
(B) A problem with a beverage order
(C) An addition to the menu
(D) A wait time
45. What does the man want to do?
(A) Make a substitution to a menu item
(B) Change his seating location
(C) See a list of ingredients
(D) Take his order home with him
46. What will the woman do next?
(A) Cancel the man's order
(B) Bring the man's bill
(C) Consult the chef
(D) Find more menus

47. What happened yesterday?

- (A) Computers were upgraded.
- (B) Staff completed a training course.
- (C) A remodeling project began.
- (D) A new product was launched.

48. What is the man unable to do?

- (A) Locate some instructions
- (B) Contact a colleague
- (C) View an item online
- (D) Listen to audio files

49. What does the woman suggest?

- (A) Changing a password
- (B) Checking some cables
- (C) Speaking to a manager
- (D) Reading a manual

50. Why is the man calling?

- (A) There is an error on his bill.
- (B) Room service has not arrived.
- (C) He is expecting a package.
- (D) He wants to extend his stay.

51. What does the man say he can bring to the front desk?

- (A) A business card
- (B) A photo identification
- (C) A credit card
- (D) An airplane ticket

52. What does the woman offer to do?

- (A) Print some directions
 - (B) Confirm a time
 - (C) Inform a supervisor
 - (D) Arrange for transportation
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53. What are the speakers mainly discussing?

- (A) The results of a meeting
- (B) A visit from some colleagues
- (C) Internship applications
- (D) Details of an engineering project

54. What is the man concerned about?

- (A) A busy schedule
- (B) A missing diagram
- (C) An unfinished budget
- (D) A meeting location

55. What will the woman probably do?

- (A) Lead a planning session
 - (B) Give advice to a colleague
 - (C) Replace a team member
 - (D) Invite interns to a lunch
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56. What are the speakers waiting for?

- (A) Some design sketches
- (B) An e-mail confirmation
- (C) A clothing shipment
- (D) A signed contract

57. What was scheduled to happen on Monday?

- (A) A photography session
- (B) An editorial meeting
- (C) A press conference
- (D) A fashion show

58. What will the man probably do next?

- (A) Check his calendar
 - (B) Make a phone call
 - (C) Rearrange a display
 - (D) Go to the post office
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59. What is the man interested in doing?

- (A) Joining a fitness center
- (B) Interviewing for a job
- (C) Registering for a workshop
- (D) Buying some sports equipment

60. What does the woman offer to do?

- (A) Send the man a brochure
- (B) Test some equipment
- (C) Review some references
- (D) Give the man a tour

61. When does the woman suggest the man return?

- (A) At lunch time
- (B) This evening
- (C) Tomorrow morning
- (D) In one week

62. What information does the woman request?

- (A) Pay rates
- (B) Sales forecasts
- (C) Delivery dates
- (D) Production totals

63. What problem does the man mention?

- (A) A product design is flawed.
- (B) Another company has lowered its prices.
- (C) There is a shortage of skilled workers.
- (D) There has been a decrease in orders.

64. What does the woman propose?

- (A) Changing a procedure
- (B) Reducing costs
- (C) Expanding a facility
- (D) Providing training

65. Who most likely is the man?

- (A) A hiring manager
- (B) A marketing professional
- (C) A graphic artist
- (D) A travel writer

66. What was the man's most recent project?

- (A) Creating a television commercial
- (B) Redesigning a Web site
- (C) Editing a book
- (D) Developing a mentoring program

67. What does the man say about the Milfort Company?

- (A) It offers a competitive salary.
- (B) It is located near his home.
- (C) It has an excellent reputation.
- (D) It has international offices.

68. What is the man calling to check on?

- (A) An equipment installation
- (B) An inventory process
- (C) A safety drill
- (D) A production schedule

69. What is the problem?

- (A) A forklift has broken down.
- (B) Railings have not been properly installed.
- (C) A conveyor belt has stopped working.
- (D) An electrical supply is not adequate.

70. What does the man ask the woman to do?

- (A) Review a document
- (B) Contact a company
- (C) Bring some supplies
- (D) Approve an expense

PART 4

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

71. What will the weather be like this afternoon?
- (A) Rainy
(B) Hot
(C) Windy
(D) Snowy
72. What event will take place this weekend?
- (A) A football match
(B) A picnic
(C) A parade
(D) An outdoor market
73. What does the speaker recommend taking to the event?
- (A) A warm coat
(B) An umbrella
(C) A bottle of water
(D) A snack
74. Where most likely does the speaker work?
- (A) At a stationery store
(B) At a toy store
(C) At a print shop
(D) At a clothing shop
75. Who is the speaker calling?
- (A) An employee
(B) A supplier
(C) A customer
(D) A delivery service
76. According to the speaker, what will happen next week?
- (A) An item will be ordered.
(B) A sale will be held.
(C) A business will be closed.
(D) A catalog will be mailed.

77. Where is the announcement being made?
- (A) In a school
(B) In a library
(C) In a movie theater
(D) In a concert hall
78. What can listeners do at the service desk?
- (A) Check out materials
(B) Sign up to use computers
(C) Purchase tickets
(D) Pick up a schedule
79. When will *Life in Tuscany* be shown?
- (A) In 30 minutes
(B) Tomorrow morning
(C) Tomorrow evening
(D) Next week
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80. What is the speaker mainly discussing?
- (A) A travel documentary
(B) A novel
(C) A magazine article
(D) A play
81. What does the speaker say about Ann Nolan?
- (A) She will be signing books.
(B) She will give a lecture.
(C) She is a local resident.
(D) She attended school in New Mexico.
82. What will listeners hear next?
- (A) An interview
(B) A commercial
(C) A music review
(D) A news update
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83. Where does the speaker work?
- (A) At a car dealership
(B) At an advertising firm
(C) At an electronics manufacturer
(D) At a television station
84. Why is Jessica Brenner being recognized?
- (A) She had the top sales figures in the company.
(B) She received the best ratings for customer service.
(C) She developed a successful advertising campaign.
(D) She has done volunteer work in the community.
85. What will Jessica Brenner receive?
- (A) An engraved trophy
(B) An extra vacation day
(C) A job promotion
(D) A gift certificate
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86. Who is the conference intended for?
- (A) Advertising professionals
(B) Software developers
(C) Physicians
(D) Journalists
87. What does the speaker say has changed?
- (A) The title of a presentation
(B) The starting time of a session
(C) The location of dining facilities
(D) The keynote speaker
88. According to the speaker, where is more information available?
- (A) On a Web site
(B) In a brochure
(C) On a notice board
(D) At a registration desk

89. What is being advertised?

- (A) A health food shop
- (B) A recycling company
- (C) A cleaning service
- (D) An office supply store

90. What does the speaker emphasize about the business?

- (A) It is environmentally friendly.
- (B) It is in a convenient location.
- (C) It has the lowest prices in the area.
- (D) Its customers are large corporations.

91. What is available on the Web site?

- (A) A discount coupon
 - (B) A newsletter
 - (C) Product information
 - (D) Customer recommendations
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92. Why is the speaker pleased about the deal with Yamaguchi Distributors?

- (A) The deal took many months to complete.
- (B) Yamaguchi Distributors offers many services.
- (C) It is an opportunity to enter a new market.
- (D) Production costs will be reduced.

93. What did Yamaguchi Distributors like about the bicycles?

- (A) The materials used
- (B) The price
- (C) The weight
- (D) The design

94. What is the company going to do before starting production?

- (A) Open a branch office
 - (B) Invest in new technology
 - (C) Conduct a survey
 - (D) Hire more employees
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95. Who most likely are the listeners?

- (A) Maintenance workers
- (B) Conference planners
- (C) Cafeteria employees
- (D) Company directors

96. What change has been made to the construction plans?

- (A) An auditorium has been redesigned.
- (B) A parking area has been expanded.
- (C) A cafeteria has been added.
- (D) A storage area has been enlarged.

97. According to the speaker, what does the construction firm require as a result of the change?

- (A) A larger deposit
 - (B) Additional time
 - (C) New blueprints
 - (D) A revised contract
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98. What type of company events is the speaker discussing?

- (A) Board meetings
- (B) Social functions
- (C) Training sessions
- (D) Client presentations

99. What does the speaker emphasize about the new forms?

- (A) They are due this week.
- (B) They should be filled out carefully.
- (C) Copies should be kept on file.
- (D) A manager's signature is required.

100. How often does the budget committee meet?

- (A) Every week
 - (B) Once a month
 - (C) Twice a year
 - (D) Once a year
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