

TEST 4

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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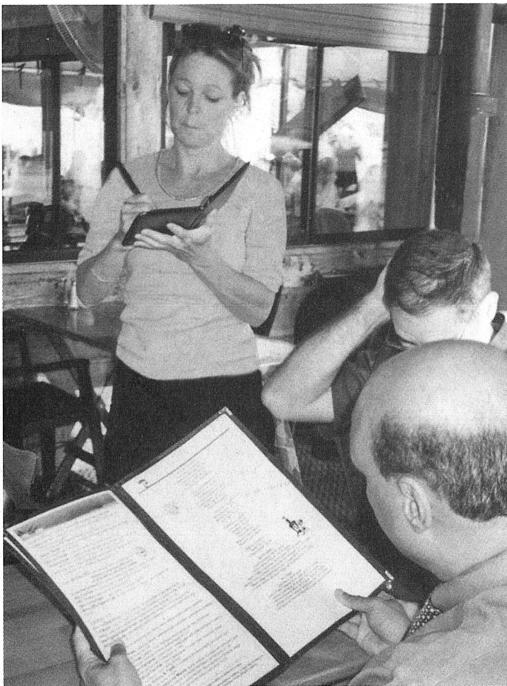
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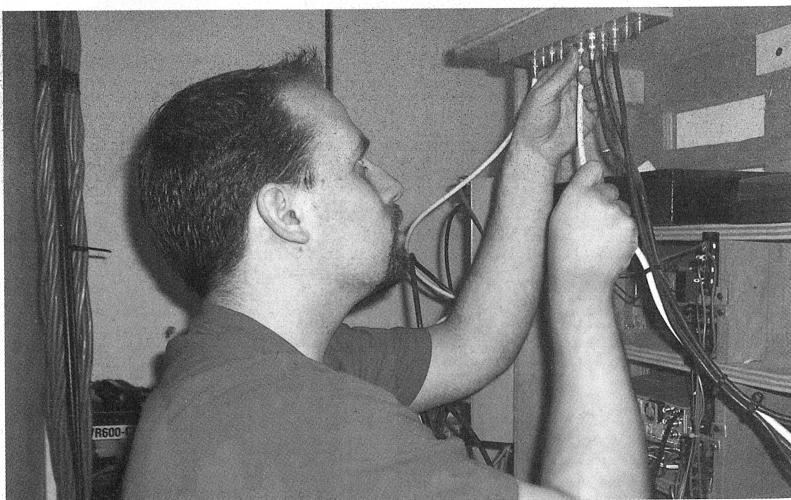
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PART 2

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 does the man want to do?

- (A) Buy a newspaper
- (B) Have a car repaired
- (C) Advertise a business
- (D) Start a new business

42. What does the woman suggest?

- (A) Buying a new car
- (B) Reading a newspaper
- (C) Surprising a friend
- (D) Creating a Web site

43. Who does the man plan to contact?

- (A) A friend
- (B) A car repair shop
- (C) A newspaper office
- (D) A government agency

44. Where does the woman want to work?

- (A) At a restaurant
- (B) At a beach
- (C) At a health club
- (D) At a resort

45. What kind of employment experience has the woman had?

- (A) Fitness instructor
- (B) Lifeguard
- (C) Gardener
- (D) Restaurant server

46. What is the woman asked to bring to her interview?

- (A) A résumé
- (B) An application
- (C) Proof of certification
- (D) Proof of insurance

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47. What is the general topic of the conversation?
- (A) Housing
(B) Employment
(C) Entertainment
(D) Transportation
48. What does the man say about living in the city?
- (A) There is too much traffic.
(B) It is too expensive.
(C) It is easy to find a job.
(D) There are many apartments for rent.
49. What does the woman suggest that the man do?
- (A) Look for a roommate
(B) Find a new job
(C) Check the newspaper
(D) Sign a contract
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50. Who is the man shopping for?
- (A) A coworker
(B) A friend
(C) His child
(D) His wife
51. What time does the store close?
- (A) At 5:00
(B) At 6:00
(C) At 7:00
(D) At 8:00
52. What does the customer ask the salesperson to do?
- (A) Return a phone call
(B) Reserve an item at the store
(C) Keep the store open late
(D) Provide a cash refund
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53. What does the woman want?
- (A) Some bread
(B) A larger table
(C) Something to drink
(D) A dessert
54. What does the man offer to do?
- (A) Get some water
(B) Go to a store
(C) Bring a menu
(D) Find a waiter
55. How long has the woman been waiting?
- (A) 2 minutes
(B) 5 minutes
(C) 10 minutes
(D) 15 minutes
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56. What type of business do the speakers probably work for?
- (A) A construction company
(B) A shipping company
(C) A delivery service
(D) A supply store
57. What problem are the workers discussing?
- (A) Some wood is damaged.
(B) Some roads are closed.
(C) Some workers will be late.
(D) Some supplies will not arrive today.
58. What will the workers probably do next?
- (A) Hold a meeting
(B) Work on a different project
(C) Call the lumber company
(D) Deliver a shipment
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59. Where does this conversation most likely take place?

- (A) At an office
- (B) At a bakery
- (C) At a newsstand
- (D) At a restaurant

60. How did the man get to work?

- (A) By car
- (B) By bus
- (C) By train
- (D) On foot

61. When is the meeting scheduled to begin?

- (A) In 5 minutes
- (B) In 10 minutes
- (C) In 20 minutes
- (D) In 30 minutes

62. Who is the woman?

- (A) A chef
- (B) A server
- (C) A restaurant owner
- (D) A restaurant cashier

63. What does the woman say about the restaurant?

- (A) It is expensive.
- (B) It is busy at lunchtime.
- (C) It is located in a hotel.
- (D) It has a few open positions.

64. What happened last week?

- (A) The woman hired a new employee.
- (B) The restaurant moved to another location.
- (C) The man went to Italy.
- (D) The man started a new job.

65. What are the speakers discussing?

- (A) A movie
- (B) A mountain hike
- (C) A letter of recommendation
- (D) A job opening

66. What does the man say he will do on Friday?

- (A) Call the human resource office
- (B) Set up a meeting with Martha
- (C) Buy a book about Colorado
- (D) Go to see a film

67. What does the woman say about the man?

- (A) He is the best candidate for a job.
- (B) He enjoys the outdoors.
- (C) He should go to Colorado.
- (D) He should take an extra day off.

68. Where does this conversation probably take place?

- (A) At a coffee shop
- (B) At a train station
- (C) At a theater
- (D) At a hotel

69. What does the man suggest they do?

- (A) Eat a meal
- (B) Buy a program
- (C) Make some copies
- (D) Review the schedule

70. When does the woman say she will meet the man?

- (A) In 2 minutes
- (B) In 5 minutes
- (C) In 10 minutes
- (D) In 30 minutes

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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 is the purpose of the announcement?
- (A) To report a schedule change
(B) To give directions to an event
(C) To ask for volunteers
(D) To introduce a performer
72. Where is the announcement probably being made?
- (A) In a movie theater
(B) In a shopping center
(C) In an amusement park
(D) In a sports arena
73. When will the event begin?
- (A) At 1:00 P.M.
(B) At 1:30 P.M.
(C) At 6:00 P.M.
(D) At 6:30 P.M.
74. What is the purpose of the call?
- (A) To offer a product
(B) To cancel an order
(C) To provide an address
(D) To request an address
75. What does the caller say about Ms. Stockton?
- (A) She has a digital camera.
(B) She receives many calls.
(C) She participated in a survey.
(D) She is a frequent customer.
76. What does the caller say he will do?
- (A) Send a catalog
(B) Call again later
(C) Repair a computer
(D) Ship a new monitor
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77. Who is the speaker?

- (A) A travel agent
- (B) An architect
- (C) A museum tour guide
- (D) A librarian

78. What does the speaker say about the building?

- (A) It is located in the center of town.
- (B) It has an advanced security system.
- (C) It was originally a one-story building.
- (D) It has only one entrance.

79. Where are the oldest pieces kept?

- (A) In storage
 - (B) On the top floor
 - (C) Near the rear entrance
 - (D) On the ground floor
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80. What is the news report about?

- (A) New traffic lights
- (B) A loss of power
- (C) Long lines at a store
- (D) The city parade

81. What caused a problem?

- (A) A fallen tree
- (B) A thunderstorm
- (C) Road construction
- (D) Old electrical equipment

82. What did the police do?

- (A) They closed some area businesses.
 - (B) They asked people to stay indoors.
 - (C) They moved the parade to a new location.
 - (D) They directed traffic.
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83. For whom is this talk intended?

- (A) Pilots
- (B) Researchers
- (C) Journalists
- (D) Tour guides

84. How long has the speaker worked in his profession?

- (A) For 10 years
- (B) For 20 years
- (C) For 30 years
- (D) For 40 years

85. What does the speaker say to do when working in foreign countries?

- (A) Take language courses
 - (B) Talk to local colleagues
 - (C) Buy a local newspaper
 - (D) Attend a cultural event
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86. Where does the speaker most likely work?

- (A) In an automobile shop
- (B) In a department store
- (C) In a government office
- (D) In a medical facility

87. When was the work originally scheduled to be completed?

- (A) Two days ago
- (B) Yesterday
- (C) Today
- (D) Tomorrow

88. When will the business close tomorrow?

- (A) 4:00 P.M.
 - (B) 5:00 P.M.
 - (C) 6:00 P.M.
 - (D) 7:00 P.M.
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89. What is the main topic of the business report?
- (A) A new building project
(B) A decrease in a company's profits
(C) An increase in taxes
(D) A new regulation on exports
90. What type of company is Patel Enterprises?
- (A) A construction company
(B) An insurance company
(C) A steel company
(D) An investment company
91. According to the business report, what might happen at Patel Enterprises?
- (A) A move to a new location
(B) A reduction in workers' salaries
(C) A decrease in manufacturing costs
(D) A change in company ownership
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92. What event is being introduced?
- (A) A new employee orientation
(B) A company tour
(C) A board meeting
(D) A luncheon
93. What will the supervisors do?
- (A) Introduce Ms. Wilson to the new employees
(B) Describe the work of their departments
(C) Interview job applicants
(D) Assist with employment forms
94. What will Ms. Wilson talk about?
- (A) Business strategies
(B) Company history
(C) Budget policies
(D) Employment benefits
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95. What is the main subject of this report?
- (A) Selection of a site for a new factory
(B) Population growth in South Valley
(C) The appointment of a plant executive
(D) The construction of new roads
96. According to the report, what is important about South Valley?
- (A) It invests in environmental protection.
(B) It has a good transportation system.
(C) It focuses on the tourism industry.
(D) It has a large population.
97. What did Mr. Davis announce?
- (A) He has a network of contacts.
(B) He intends to build an airport.
(C) He will be moving to the area.
(D) He will hire local residents.
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98. Who most likely is the speaker?
- (A) A café customer
(B) A resort patron
(C) A restaurant owner
(D) A hotel manager
99. What service will be temporarily unavailable to guests?
- (A) The pool
(B) The gymnasium
(C) The tennis courts
(D) The snack shop
100. What is recommended about Aldo's Bistro?
- (A) Making a reservation to eat there
(B) Trying the breakfast food there
(C) Avoiding the business entirely
(D) Sitting in its outdoor garden
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This is the end of the Listening test. Turn to Part 5 in your test book.