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King Mongkut's University of Technology Thonburi  
Final Examination Semester 2/2015

LNG 101: General English

Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> May, 2016

9.00-11.00

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Department..... Group..... Lecturer.....

**Descriptions**

1. The exam paper consists of **8 pages** (excluding this page).
2. The time allowed for doing the exam is **2 hours**.
3. Course documents, handouts and dictionaries (paper-based and electronic) are **not allowed** in the exam room.
4. Write your answers on **the answer sheet** provided on **page 8**.
5. Do not take the exam paper out of the exam room.

Part	Mark	Out of
Part I: Expressions		20
Part II: Vocabulary		
Part 2 A		10
Part 2 B		10
Part III: Reading Comprehension		20
Total		60 (30%)

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This is to certify that the exam paper has already been approved by the academic committee of the Department of Language Studies, School of Liberal Arts.

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**Situation 4:** While Suda and Peter are walking back to the KMUTT Dormitory after eating at the Pizza Hut, they are talking about the restaurant and Peter's family.

Peter: 12) \_\_\_\_\_ at the Pizza Hut?  
 Suda: **I thought the service was pretty good. What was the price like?**  
 Peter: I thought 13) \_\_\_\_\_.  
 Suda: I agree. Do you have a sister or brother?  
 Peter: I have one brother.  
 Suda: 14) \_\_\_\_\_?  
 Peter: **He is tall and a little heavy.**  
 Suda: Does he have red hair like you?  
 Peter: No, he has brown hair.  
 Suda: 15) \_\_\_\_\_?  
 Peter: **He is hardworking, creative, but sometimes forgetful.**

**Situation 5:** Peter is planning his trip to Chiang Mai.

Peter: I need to decide on my trip to Chiang Mai.  
 Suda: Maybe I can help. 16) \_\_\_\_\_?  
 Peter: **I prefer travelling alone. I love freedom.**  
 Suda: **And which would you prefer—travelling by bus or by train?**  
 Peter: 17) I would \_\_\_\_\_ train. I have already bought a round trip ticket to Chiang Mai.  
 Suda: Oh, good. 18) \_\_\_\_\_?  
 Peter: **It was 2,500 baht. I think it's reasonable.**  
 Suda: 19) \_\_\_\_\_?  
 Peter: **It takes about 8 hours.**  
 Suda: 20) \_\_\_\_\_?  
 Peter: **It leaves on May 12<sup>th</sup> at 6 p.m.**  
 Suda: So you should be at the station early. The station gets more crowded in the evening.

## **PART 2: Vocabulary (20 Marks)**

**A. Instructions:** 1. Complete the following conversations with the most appropriate words.  
 2. Write your answers (only the letter a, b, c or d) on the answer sheet provided (10 marks).

1. Susan: Hi, Sam. How's it \_\_\_\_\_?  
 Sam: Pretty good. It's a wonderful day.

a. outgoing  
 c. fine  
 b. going  
 d. happening

2. Jacky: Excuse me. I'm looking for my sister. She is short and thin.  
 Clerk: What's she \_\_\_\_\_?  
 Jacky: A black skirt and a white blouse.  
 Clerk: Is that her by the door?  
 Jacky: Oh, yes. Thank you.

a. wearing  
 c. looking  
 b. using  
 d. introducing





17. Annie: Teresa, I'm going to Chiang Rai. Would you like to go with me?  
 Teresa: Sounds interesting. When will you go there?  
 Annie: Next month. Is it ok for you? How would you prefer travelling?  
 Teresa: Yeah, next month is fine. A plane is quite good. It's fast, so we have more time to visit more places in Chiang Rai. Is there any interesting food?  
 Annie: I would rather try \_\_\_\_\_ food. I love grilled pork, and sticky rice.  
 Teresa: Sounds perfect. Let's buy a ticket.
18. Annie: How much is a \_\_\_\_\_ ticket to Chiang Rai?  
 Agent: It's 1,500 baht. Are you leaving today?  
 Teresa: No. We need two tickets for June 24<sup>th</sup>.  
 Agent: Here you are. The plane is leaving at 6 p.m.
19. Teresa: What \_\_\_\_\_ will the flight to Chiang Rai depart from?  
 Agent: Um.... That's a month away. I suggest you check the board that day.  
 Teresa: Thank you.
20. Annie: Have you already checked your documents?  
 Teresa: Yes. I hope I didn't forget anything.  
 Annie: Great! This is Thailand. It's not our country. You must take your \_\_\_\_\_! We're not allowed to travel without it.  
 Teresa: Oh, of course.

### PART 3: Reading Comprehension (20 Marks)

- Instructions:** 1. Read the four following passages and write short answers for each question.  
 2. Write your answers **on the answer sheet** provided.

From: Martin.Ruiz@commcolled  
 Subject: English E-mail Buddies  
 Date: August 25, 2013  
 To: Amir.Aloub@schoolabroad.ed

Hi Amir,

I'm glad we are going to be e-mail buddies. It's a fun way to practice English. It's nice to "meet" you. Where are you from? I'm from Mexico. I live in a small city and go to university there. I like to play soccer. I also play a lot of video games. My friends and I go to the beach when the weather is nice. We also like to go out and listen to music. I live with my family right now - my parents, and brother and sister. My father has a small store, and my mother is a teacher. My brother and sister go to school. Sometimes they bother me a little, but in general we get along. I went to England this summer. It was a great trip. I met a lot of interesting people. Do you like to travel? Did you go on any interesting trips last year? What is your home life like? What interests do you have? I hope to hear from you soon.

Martin

1. What is the fun way to practice English? \_\_\_\_\_
2. Where does Martin go to university? \_\_\_\_\_
3. What do Martin and his friends like to do? \_\_\_\_\_
4. What are Martin's brother and sister? \_\_\_\_\_
5. How was Martin's trip to England? \_\_\_\_\_

### **Don't I know you?**

When Greg Harper was 18, he went to college. He liked his classes and met a lot of people. One day, he went to a soccer game. One of his friends from high school was there with a young woman. "This is Anna. She's in my biology class," his friend said. "Anna, this is Greg. We went to high school together." Anna looked at Greg. "Don't I know you?" she asked. "But your name is Gary."

Everyone was confused. Anna knew another student named Gary. Like Greg, Gary was tall and had dark hair. He wore glasses. He was young, and Anna thought he was handsome. "In fact," Anna said. "You two look like twins." It turns out they are twins! Both Greg and Gary were adopted as babies. They didn't know they had a twin. Greg and Gary still go to the same college. And they are both studying history.

6. Who did Greg meet at the soccer game? \_\_\_\_\_
7. Did Greg's friend study with him in high school or in college? \_\_\_\_\_
8. Who did Anna think Greg was? \_\_\_\_\_
9. What did Gary look like? \_\_\_\_\_
10. Did Greg and Gary know that they were twins? \_\_\_\_\_

### **How college students spend their time**

It's August, and soon students will be going back to school. Some students are going to college for the first time. Many first-time college students (and their parents) worry. Will school be too stressful? Will they work too hard? Can they handle the pressure? Don't worry. According to a recent study, most students aren't working too hard. How are they spending their time? Well, almost all are getting enough sleep. College students sleep more than 8 hours a day. And yes, they do go to class (3.6 hours). But they do free-time activities and sports almost as much (3.5 hours). The average college student works almost 3 hours a day, and travels about an hour and a half. That leaves eating (1 hour), personal care (0.8 of an hour) and everything else (2.3 hours). So relax. College isn't that hard after all!

11. What do students and their parents worry about? \_\_\_\_\_
12. Do most students get enough sleep? \_\_\_\_\_
13. How many hours do students go to class? \_\_\_\_\_
14. How long does the average student work and travel a day? \_\_\_\_\_
15. What does the writer think of life in college? \_\_\_\_\_

### **Study abroad in Spain**

If you plan to study abroad in Spain next year, you must follow the guidelines below.

**Passport.** You must have a passport. It cannot expire until after you return home. It can take six weeks to get a passport, so start your process soon.

**Visa.** You'll need a visa if you're going to stay more than 90 days. Some programs last only 85 days. You don't need a visa if you return when the program ends.

**Flights.** Some group flights are less expensive. Talk to a travel agent. You must be on time for the start of your program.

**Packing.** Don't bring too many clothes. You need some clothes for cool weather (a jacket, sweaters, etc.). People don't wear shorts and T-shirts very often in Spain. You should have casual but nice clothing.

**Food and drink.** The water is usually safe to drink in major cities. In smaller towns, buy bottled water just to be safe. You have to try the food in Spain - it is delicious. People do not eat quickly in Spain. They enjoy their food. Many restaurants are closed on Sundays.

16. How long does it take to get a passport? \_\_\_\_\_
17. Do you need a visa to Spain if you take an 85-day program? \_\_\_\_\_
18. If you don't want to pay a lot of money, what kind of flights do you take?  
\_\_\_\_\_
19. What should you wear in Spain? \_\_\_\_\_
20. What kind of water should you drink in small towns in Spain? \_\_\_\_\_

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**Answer Sheet****LNG 101 General English**

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**PART 1: Expressions (20 marks)**

1. _____ name?	11. _____?
2. _____ from?	12. _____ at
3. _____ a bus tour?	the Pizza Hut?
4. _____ the weather?	13. _____.
5. _____.	14. _____?
6. _____ for	15. _____?
Saturday afternoon?	16. _____?
7. _____?	17. I would _____ train.
8. _____ to meet?	18. _____?
9. _____ to order?	19. _____?
10. _____ drink?	20. _____?

**PART 2: Vocabulary (20 marks)**

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20

**Part 3: Reading Comprehension (20 marks)**

1. _____	11. _____
2. _____	12. _____
3. _____	13. _____
4. _____	14. _____
5. _____	15. _____
6. _____	16. _____
7. _____	17. _____
8. _____	18. _____
9. _____	19. _____
10. _____	20. _____