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TEST OF ENGLISH

Listening

Part 1

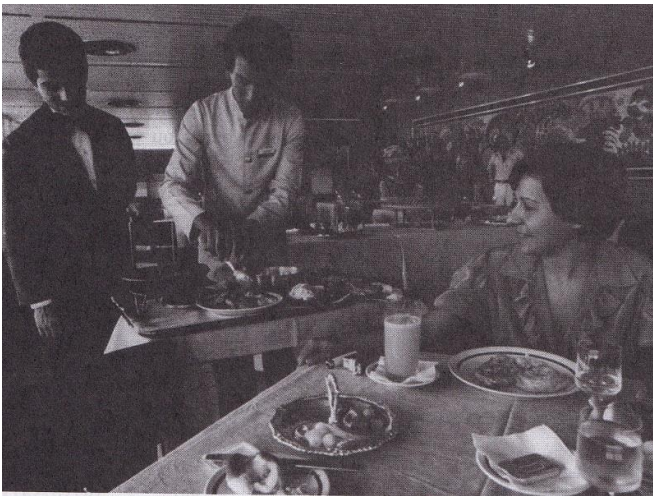
Directions: For each question in this part, you will hear four statements about a picture in your test book. When you hear the statements, you must select the one statement that best describes what you see in the picture. Then find the number of the question on your Answer Sheet and mark your answer.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

EXAMPLE:

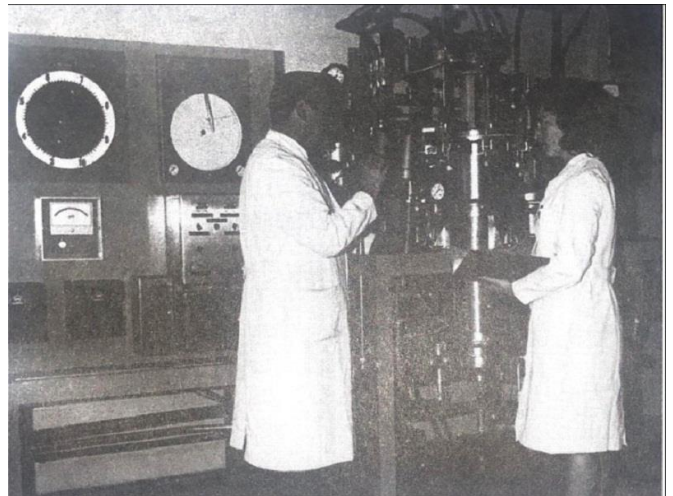


Statement (C), “They’re standing near the table,” is the best description of the picture, so you should select answer (C) and mark it on your Answer Sheet.

1. server
waiter/ customer C, the woman is watching the server

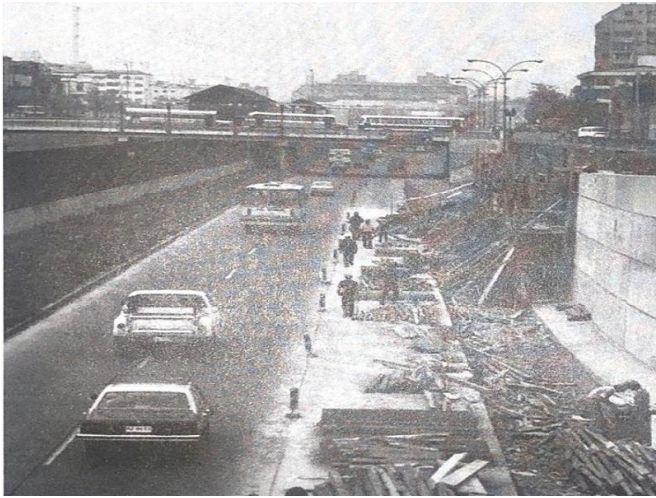


2. D. they tanding
man and women wear coat /machine/



near/ next
to/ by

3. road/ construction site/ some car
A. the outside .. the trafic



6. industrial/ field
C. the field is in front of factory



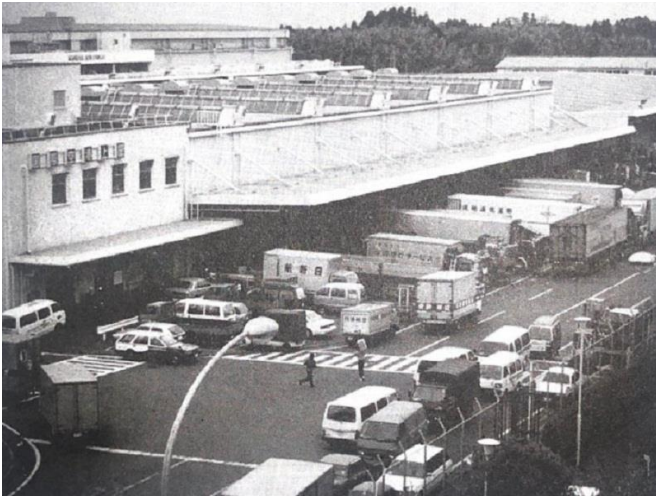
4. train station B. the passengers are ready to board
passengers/ board



7. D. they are setting the table
set the table



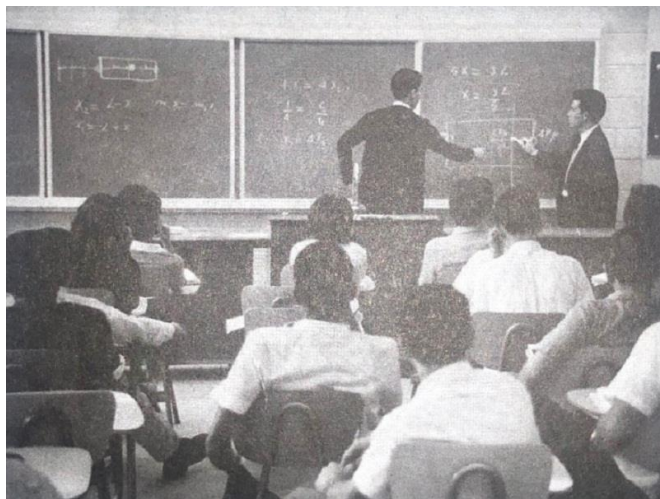
5. B. the trucks are
trucks/ depot/dock



8. meeting/conference A. he's addressing the audience



9. C.the man are by the blackboard



10. B, the highway pass over one another



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:

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.

11. how hungry are u. >A. not very, i had a late lunch
 11. Mark you answer on the Answer Sheet.
 12. do U play basketball? > C. Actually, swimming is my sport
 12. Mark you answer on the Answer Sheet.
 13. This coffe is cold. >C. let me make U a fresh cup
 13. Mark you answer on the Answer Sheet.
 14. how far the museum from here? >B: it's about a ten minute walk
 14. Mark you answer on the Answer Sheet.
 15. when did U buy a house? >A: when we got married
 15. Mark you answer on the Answer Sheet.
 16. what is the book a bout? >C, it's a war story
 16. Mark you answer on the Answer Sheet.
 17. the museum is closed on sunday >A, then let's go on saturday
 17. Mark you answer on the Answer Sheet.
 18. which train shold we take >C. let's take the express
 18. Mark you answer on the Answer Sheet.
 19. why aren't these coppies ready yet >A. the coppies is out of paper
 19. Mark you answer on the Answer Sheet.
 20. he's expected at the noon >C: no, around 2p.m
 20. Mark you answer on the Answer Sheet.
 21. how much was your hotel bill? > C: just under 500\$
 21. Mark you answer on the Answer Sheet.
 22. the rent is going up again next month. >B: ma
 22. Mark you answer on the Answer Sheet.
 23. why U always on time. > B. i hate to be late
 23. Mark you answer on the Answer Sheet.
 24. the meeting is about to start. >C: i'l be these in a minute
 24. Mark you answer on the Answer Sheet.
 25. who won the tennis match? >C: the game was cancelled
 25. Mark you answer on the Answer Sheet.

26. what was the purpose of his visit? >B: he just wanted say hello
 26. Mark you answer on the Answer Sheet.
 27. wich season is my favorite? Spring. Isn't it you? > Summer is my favorite
 27. Mark you answer on the Answer Sheet.
 28. I saw Jim at the party last night? > really, how's he doing
 28. Mark you answer on the Answer Sheet.
 29. when does the mail come? >A: every morning at eleven (11)
 29. Mark you answer on the Answer Sheet.
 30. where's the bank? > it's across from the post office
 30. Mark you answer on the Answer Sheet.
 31. it's going to rain to day. >C. i don't thinks so, the sky is clear
 31. Mark you answer on the Answer Sheet.
 32. how much should i tip the waiter. > B. 15% is sufficient
 32. Mark you answer on the Answer Sheet.
 33. who designed your house? >A. the same architectne did our office building
 33. Mark you answer on the Answer Sheet.
 34. when did U arrive? > C: i got in early last night
 34. Mark you answer on the Answer Sheet.
 35. what it this shirt make of? > it's is make of cotton
 35. Mark you answer on the Answer Sheet.
 36. why don't this caculator work? >A maybe the batery is dead
 36. Mark you answer on the Answer Sheet.
 37. where you study english? >B: i studied it at school
 37. Mark you answer on the Answer Sheet.
 38. wich sweater fits me is better? > C. the wool one fits U is perfectly
 38. Mark you answer on the Answer Sheet.
 39. what time do you have? A. sorry, I don't have a watch
 39. Mark you answer on the Answer Sheet.
 40. would U close window, pls? > A. of course, are u cold
 40. Mark you answer on the Answer Sheet.

Part 3

Directions: You will hear conversations with two speakers. Then you will answer three questions about each conversation. Listen and select the best response to each question. Mark the corresponding letter (A), (B), (C), or (D) on the Answer Sheet.

41. What do the speakers want to do?

- (A) Play in the snow
- (B) Go to the theater
- ☒ (C) See an art show
- (D) Run in the park

42. Why can't they go after work?

- ☒ (A) It will be dark. *close in the dark*
- (B) There's nowhere to park.
- (C) They have to catch a plane.
- (D) They don't have warm clothes.

43. When will they go?

- (A) Saturday
- ☒ (B) Sunday
- (C) Monday
- (D) Tuesday

44. What is the appointment for?

- (A) A medical checkup *khám tổng quát*
- (B) A sales meeting
- (C) A possible presentation
- ☒ (D) A job interview

45. What time is the appointment for?

- ☒ (A) 8:30
- (B) 9:00
- (C) 10:00
- (D) 10:30

46. Where will the appointment take place?

- (A) In the man's office
- (B) In the waiting room
- (C) In the meeting room
- ☒ (D) In the woman's office

47. Where does this conversation take place?

- ☒ (A) In a hotel
- (B) In a elevator
- (C) In a newsstand
- (D) In an office building

48. What is the woman's room number?

- (A) 15
- (B) 50
- ☒ (C) 215 *two fifteen*
- (D) 250

49. What will be delivered to the woman tomorrow?

- (A) A room key
- ☒ (B) A newspaper
- (C) A directory *danh bạ*
- (D) A box of stationery *văn phòng phẩm*

50. Why do they need Mr. Chung?

- (A) To address some letters
- ☒ (B) To speak at a meeting *he's due to address a meeting this morning*
- (C) To announce the date
- (D) To show a film

51. Why is Mr. Chung late?

- (A) He lost the address.
- ☒ (B) He's stuck in traffic.
- (C) His car broke down.
- (D) He's making a phone call.

52. When will the meeting start?

- (A) When Mr. Chung arrives
- ☒ (B) At the scheduled time
- (C) Ten minutes late
- (D) At ten past nine

53. What was painted?

- (A) The elevator
- (B) The office
- (C) The lobby *I like the way they painted the lobby*
- (D) The door

54. What was wrong with it before?

- (A) It was out of style.
- (B) It was too white. *it never had enough light before*
- (C) It was very light.
- ☒ (D) It was too dark.

55. When will the cafeteria be painted?

- (A) This afternoon
- (B) On Sunday *painting is due to start the week after next*
- (C) Next week
- ☒ (D) After next week

56. What's broken?

- (A) A chair
- ☒ (B) A television
- (C) A telephone
- (D) A computer

57. When did the man talk to the company about repairs?

- ☒ (A) Today
- (B) On Tuesday
- (C) Yesterday afternoon
- (D) Last week

58. How long will the repairs take?

- (A) One week
- (B) Two weeks
- ☒ (C) Three weeks
- (D) Ten weeks

59. Why does the man need a gas station?

- (A) He's out of gas.
- (B) He wants a drink. my tire is flat
- (C) He is tired. -
- ☒ (D) He has a flat tire. -

60. How far away is the gas station?

- (A) Half a mile
- (B) A mile
- ☒ (C) A mile and a half -
- (D) Two miles

the not too far to walk I gess. wm: I'll give U a ride

61. How will the man get to the gas station?

- (A) He will walk. -
- (B) He will take a bus.
- (C) He will drive his car.
- ☒ (D) He will ride with the woman.

65. Where does the man want to go?

- (A) The park
- (B) The post office
- ☒ (C) The history museum -
- (D) The capitol building

66. How far away is this place?

- (A) Two blocks
- ☒ (B) Three blocks -
- (C) Nine Blocks
- (D) Ten blocks

67. When is this place open?

- (A) Tuesday
- ☒ (B) Monday-Friday - During the week: ngày trong tuần
- (C) Wednesday-Monday
- (D) Saturday and Sunday

62. How long is the lunch break?

- (A) Fifteen minutes
- (B) Thirty minutes -
- (C) Forty-five minutes
- ☒ (D) Sixty minutes ←

68. How long is the flight?

- (A) Two hours
- (B) Two and a half hours
- (C) Five hours
- ☒ (D) Five and a half hours -

63. What does the woman do during her lunch break?

- (A) She works. I like to exercise more, but I can't seem to find the time
- (B) She exercises. -
- ☒ (C) She eats lunch. >I always spend my lunch break at the cafeteria having lunch
- (D) She takes a walk.

69. What will happen next?

- (A) The plane will land.
- (B) A movie will be shown. -
- (C) The passengers will eat lunch.
- ☒ (D) The flight attendants will serve drinks. -

64. Where does the man eat lunch?

- (A) At his desk
- (B) In the park - I take 15 minutes to have a pick lunch at my desk
- (C) At the cafeteria
- (D) In the exercise room

70. What does the woman ask for?

- (A) Some magazines
- (B) Some lunch -
- (C) A blanket
- ☒ (D) A pillow i'd like a pillow so i can take a quick nap before fo lunch

Part 4

Directions: You will hear several talks, each with one speaker. Then you will answer three questions about the talk. Listen and select the best response to each question. Mark the corresponding letter (A), (B), (C), or (D) on the Answer Sheet.

71. What is wrong with the number that was dialed?

- (A) It is the wrong number. ✓
- ☒ (B) It is not working. *it not in service*
- (C) It has an answering machine.
- (D) It has a busy signal.

72. Who will help you if you stay on the line?

- (A) A repair person
- (B) An operator
- ☒ (C) A customer service representative ✓
- (D) A telephone executive

73. How much will you have to pay for help?

- (A) Five cents a minute
- (B) Seventeen cents a minute
- (C) Seventy cents a minute
- ☒ (D) Seventy-five cents a minute —

74. What is wrong with the water supply?

- (A) There is no more water.
- (B) The water tastes bad.
- ☒ (C) The water is contaminated. —
- (D) The water is rusted.

75. How can residents make the water safe?

- ☒ (A) Boil it -
- (B) Freeze it
- (C) Put tablets in it
- (D) Let sediment settle before drinking

76. What can people do to get more information?

- (A) Visit an office
- (B) Read a brochure
- (C) Listen to the radio
- ☒ (D) Call a phone number -

77. What kind of training does this school provide?

- ☒ (A) Computer training
- (B) Business management
- (C) Personnel training
- (D) Teacher training

78. How long will the training take?

- (A) Three months
- ☒ (B) Six months -
- (C) Nine months
- (D) One year

79. When are the classes taught?

- (A) Daytime only
- (B) Evenings only
- (C) Daytime and evenings -
- ☒ (D) Evenings and weekends

80. Where is this train going?

- (A) New York and Baltimore
- (B) New York and Wilmington
- (C) New York and Philadelphia
- ☒ (D) New York and Boston

81. Where should New York passengers board the train?

- ☒ (A) At the front
- (B) At the back
- (C) In the middle
- (D) Anywhere

82. When is the train leaving?

- (A) In seven minutes
- ☒ (B) In ten minutes
- (C) In twenty minutes
- (D) In twenty-seven minutes

83. When should you call back?

- (A) In the evenings
- (B) On Saturdays
- ☒ (C) During business hours
- (D) Early in the mornings

84. If you can't call back, how can you contact the company?

- (A) Via e-mail
- ☒ (B) Write them a letter
- (C) Send them a fax
- (D) Go to their office

85. What information should be included in a letter about a product?

- (A) The writer's address
- (B) The store's phone number
- (C) The date of purchase
- ☒ (D) The product serial number

86. How should you apply for these jobs?

- (A) Send a résumé
- ☒ (B) Go to the hotel
- (C) Write a letter
- (D) Make a phone call

87. What do the jobs offer, besides a good wage?

- (A) Benefits
- (B) Free food
- (C) Good hours
- ☒ (D) Possible promotions

88. Which of the following jobs is offered?

- (A) Hotel managers
- (B) Stores clerks
- (C) Trainers
- ☒ (D) Waiters

89. Where can this recording be heard?

- (A) At a movie theater
- ☒ (B) In a parking area
- (C) At an amusement park ride
- (D) In an airport

90. Why should you keep your ticket?

- (A) To gain entrance
- (B) To see if you win
- ☒ (C) To leave
- (D) To identify your possessions

91. How much money does this ticket holder have to pay?

- (A) \$ 2.00
- ☒ (B) \$8.50
- (C) \$8.54
- (D) \$12.00

92. What problem can the city expect?

- (A) An epidemic
- ☒ (B) Extremely hot weather
- (C) Flooding
- (D) Infestation of insects

93. How high are the temperatures expected to be?

- (A) In the seventies
- (B) In the eighties
- (C) In the nineties
- ☒ (D) In the hundreds

94. How can citizens protect themselves?

- (A) Wear dark clothing
- (B) Exercise frequently
- ☒ (C) Drink lots of water
- (D) Swim

95. What advice is given for busy executives?

- (A) Delegate tasks to others
- (B) Keep your secretary busy
- (C) Work overtime
- ☒ (D) Establish a quiet hour

96. How can you ^{stop} others from disturbing you?

- (A) Stay away from your office
- ☒ (B) Close your office door
- (C) Display a DO NOT DISTURB sign
- (D) Refuse to handle emergencies

97. What should you do during this time?

- ☒ (A) Work on difficult tasks
- (B) Return phone calls
- (C) Complete projects that are overdue
- (D) Work closely with staff

98. How often does this ceremony take place?

- (A) Once every five years
- (B) Once every three years
- ☒ (C) Once a year
- (D) Three times a year

99. How many people are receiving awards today?

- ☒ (A) Four
- (B) Five
- (C) Twenty
- (D) Twenty-five

100. What are listeners asked to do?

- (A) Pay their bills
- ☒ (B) Give money
- (D) Teach music
- (C) Practice more

