

Answer key

**ACADEMIC READING**

Each question correctly answered scores 1 mark. Please note! **CORRECT SPELLING NEEDED IN ALL ANSWERS.**

**Reading Passage 1, Questions 1-13**

- 1 NOT GIVEN // NG
- 2 NO // N
- 3 YES // Y
- 4 YES // Y
- 5 NO // N
- 6 South African
- 7 French
- 8 Spanish
- 9 temperate
- 10 early spring **NOT** spring
- 11 2-5 // two to five
- 12 sub-tropical
- 13 South African tunneling/tunnelling/  
tunneler/tunneller (species)

**Reading Passage 2, Questions 14-28**

- 14 v // Governments and management of the environment
- 15 vii // Farming and food output
- 16 ii // The environmental impact of modern farming
- 17 iv // The effects of government policy in rich countries
- 18 i // The probable effects of the new international trade agreement
- 19 G // Clearing land for cultivation
- 20 C // Increased use of chemical inputs

- 21 F // Soil erosion
- 22 B // Disappearance of old plant varieties
- 23 C // was causing significant damage to 20 per cent of farmland
- 24 B // used twice as much fertiliser as they had in 1960
- 25 D // farm diversification
- 26 C // their policies do not recognise the long term benefit of ending subsidies
- 27 A // encourage more sustainable farming practices in the long term
- 28 A // Environmental management

**Reading Passage 3, Questions 29-40**

- 29 NOT GIVEN // NG
- 30 YES // Y
- 31 YES // Y
- 32 NOT GIVEN // NG
- 33 YES // Y
- 34 NO // N
- 35 NO // N
- 36 role sign
- 37 ritual
- 38 role sign
- 39 role set
- 40 C // a critical study of the importance of role signs in modern society

If you score...		
0-15	16-26	27-40
you are highly unlikely to get	you may get an acceptable	you are likely to get an
an acceptable score under	score under examination	acceptable score under
examination conditions and we	conditions but we recommend	examination conditions but
recommend that you spend a	that you think about having	remember that different
lot of time improving your	more practice or lessons before	institutions will find different
English before you take IELTS.	you take IELTS.	scores acceptable.