Test 6

Questions 27-31

Complete the table below.

Choose NO MORE THAN TWO WORDS from the passage for each answer.

Write your answers in boxes 27-31 on your answer sheet.

Test	Findings
Observing the 27 of Russian- English bilingual people when asked to select certain objects	Bilingual people engage both languages simultaneously: a mechanism known as 28
A test called the 29, focusing on naming colours	Bilingual people are more able to handle tasks involving a skill called 30
A test involving switching between tasks	When changing strategies, bilingual people have superior 31

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Questions 32-36

Do the following statements agree with the claims of the writer in Reading Passage 3?

In boxes 32-36 on your answer sheet, write

YES if the statement agrees with the claims of the writer
NO if the statement contradicts the claims of the writer
NOT GIVEN if it is impossible to say what the writer thinks about this

- **32** Attitudes towards bilingualism have changed in recent years.
- 33 Bilingual people are better than monolingual people at guessing correctly what words are before they are finished.
- 34 Bilingual people consistently name images faster than monolingual people.
- 35 Bilingual people's brains process single sounds more efficiently than monolingual people in all situations.
- 36 Fewer bilingual people than monolingual people suffer from brain disease in old age.

Questions 37–40

Reading Passage 3 has seven paragraphs, A-G.

Which paragraph contains the following information?

Write the correct letter, A-G, in boxes 37-40 on your answer sheet.

- an example of how bilingual and monolingual people's brains respond differently to a certain type of non-verbal auditory input
- 38 a demonstration of how a bilingual upbringing has benefits even before we learn to speak
- 39 a description of the process by which people identify words that they hear
- 40 reference to some negative consequences of being bilingual