

# Listening Test

**There are three parts to this listening test.**

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| <b>Part 1</b> | <b>Dialogues:</b> 1 question each | Multiple-choice |
| <b>Part 2</b> | <b>Passages:</b> 2 questions each | Multiple-choice |
| <b>Part 3</b> | <b>Real-Life:</b> 1 question each | Multiple-choice |

※ Listen carefully to the instructions.

## Part 1

- No. 1**
- 1** To invite her to go running.
  - 2** To tell her the party is canceled.
  - 3** Because she quit the rowing team.
  - 4** Because he heard she had the flu.
- No. 2**
- 1** The garden will be worth the effort.
  - 2** They should have hired someone.
  - 3** The flower garden will be hard to design.
  - 4** They still have a lot more digging to do.
- No. 3**
- 1** They moved without telling her.
  - 2** Mike told her that they are both sick.
  - 3** They did not go to Mike's Christmas party.
  - 4** They have not been in touch recently.
- No. 4**
- 1** He will have little free time.
  - 2** He will have to find a roommate.
  - 3** He will need a part-time job.
  - 4** He will live with Mary's cousin.

- No. 5**
- 1** Simplify the remodeling plans.
  - 2** Pay extra for the work.
  - 3** Hold the reception elsewhere.
  - 4** Postpone the wedding party.
- No. 6**
- 1** She is a difficult customer.
  - 2** She is too aggressive.
  - 3** She is popular with the staff.
  - 4** She is not polite to the customers.
- No. 7**
- 1** Start practicing for his speech.
  - 2** Calculate how long the presentation will take.
  - 3** Finish preparing the materials for their talk.
  - 4** Present the budget proposal.
- No. 8**
- 1** Confirm the couple's reservation.
  - 2** Cancel the couple's reservation.
  - 3** Ask the headwaiter for a better table.
  - 4** Offer money to the headwaiter.

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- No. 9**
- 1** The store would not give him a replacement camera.
  - 2** The manufacturer did not repair his camera properly.
  - 3** The store did not have the same camera in stock.
  - 4** The warranty on his camera did not cover the repairs.
- No. 10**
- 1** His policy has already expired.
  - 2** He will have to pay more to keep the same policy.
  - 3** His policy has been renewed by his company.
  - 4** He should ask his company for a cheaper option.
- No. 11**
- 1** The Beijing post office will be closed on Monday.
  - 2** The delivery fee is too high.
  - 3** The letter will not arrive on time.
  - 4** The website's information is incorrect.
- No. 12**
- 1** Gradually replace their light bulbs.
  - 2** Wait for further price reductions.
  - 3** Cut electricity costs another way.
  - 4** Shop online for LED bulbs.

## Part 2

- (A) *No. 13*
- 1 Students can actually teach each other well.
  - 2 Teaching ability affects student performance.
  - 3 Charisma is more important than teaching experience.
  - 4 Teachers are satisfied with their salaries.

- No. 14*
- 1 Sending them on overseas training programs.
  - 2 Giving them plenty of in-class practice.
  - 3 Having them study in graduate programs.
  - 4 Getting them evaluated by their students.

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- (B) *No. 15*
- 1 Few runners complete the race.
  - 2 It now takes place in many states.
  - 3 Runners must compete in teams.
  - 4 It was designed to keep prisoners fit.

- No. 16*
- 1 By making runners collect pages from books.
  - 2 By asking volunteers to monitor runners.
  - 3 By having runners report on each other.
  - 4 By changing the route regularly.

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**(C)** *No. 17*

- 1** Find ways to get feedback from the public.
- 2** Modify the content of existing shows.
- 3** Predict which shows audiences would like.
- 4** Hire people to perform in new shows.

*No. 18*

- 1** Executives listen carefully to audiences' opinions.
- 2** Executives are strongly influenced by creators' opinions.
- 3** Audiences' tastes change regularly.
- 4** Creators are better at judging the ideas of others.

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**(D)** *No. 19*

- 1** It had little impact on Sri Lanka.
- 2** It badly affects arabica coffee.
- 3** It has recently begun to affect other plants.
- 4** It was first discovered in Colombia.

*No. 20*

- 1** They were difficult to grow.
- 2** They were expensive to produce.
- 3** Their taste and smell were not good enough.
- 4** Their resistance did not last.

- (E)**    **No. 21**
- 1** By changing the appearance of their products.
  - 2** By selling the same products to adults and children.
  - 3** By frequently changing their products' names.
  - 4** By reducing the price of their products.

- No. 22**
- 1** They come in more color choices.
  - 2** They are made with lower-quality materials.
  - 3** They help female skiers compete with men.
  - 4** They are not popular among high-level female skiers.

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- (F)**    **No. 23**
- 1** He found a way to grow penicillin on fruit.
  - 2** He tested penicillin on human patients.
  - 3** He recommended using penicillin for cleaning.
  - 4** He sold equipment for producing penicillin.

- No. 24**
- 1** Penicillin was produced in large amounts.
  - 2** People understood the dangers of bacteria.
  - 3** A new kind of disease was cured.
  - 4** Other antibiotic drugs were developed.

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**Part 3**

**(G)** No. 25

**Situation:** You are applying for a university teaching position. You have only published one article. The interviewer gives you the following advice.

**Question:** What should you do first?

- 1 Make a small change to your résumé.
- 2 Request to meet with the head of the department.
- 3 Provide a copy of your unfinished article.
- 4 Contact the textbook publisher.

**(H)** No. 26

**Situation:** You must fly to Dublin, Ireland, urgently and return to Los Angeles by July 22. You can only spend \$2,000. A travel agent tells you the following.

**Question:** Which option should you choose?

- 1 The direct flight with Cloverleaf Airways.
- 2 The EuroAm flight with a connection in London.
- 3 The direct flight with AirDream.
- 4 The Blue Stream and Sungate flights.

**(I) No. 27** *Situation:* You bought a coat eight days ago. Today, the same store is advertising it for a lower price online. You call the store to ask about a refund of the difference.

*Question:* What should you do next?

- 1 Wait to be called back.
- 2 Go to the store this afternoon.
- 3 Speak directly to the manager.
- 4 Apply for a credit card.

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**(J) No. 28** *Situation:* You are talking to a salesperson about trading in your car for another one. You can afford \$300 in monthly payments but do not want to make a down payment.

*Question:* Which vehicle should you choose?

- 1 The hybrid sedan.
- 2 The SUV.
- 3 The minivan.
- 4 The station wagon.

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**(K) No. 29** *Situation:* You are an international student in your first semester of college. A curriculum coordinator is explaining the English requirements. Your placement-test score was 74.

*Question:* Which English class should you register for now?

- 1 English I.
- 2 English II.
- 3 English Plus.
- 4 English Academic.