



Practice Test 15

Listening Test 15

In Listening Test 15, you will hear 4 audio recordings and answer questions 1-40.

Section 1 is a conversation between an official in the lost property office and a man who lost his belongings.

Section 2 is a monologue which gives you details of sending money abroad.

Section 3 is a conversation between two people regarding the features of a lesson plan

Section 4 is a lecture about learning Chinese in schools.

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Section 1

Question 1-10

Q. 1-3

Complete the description of the man's briefcase, using **NO MORE THAN THREE WORDS OR LETTERS** for each gap.

Very light brown briefcase, approx. 50 x 30 cms. Distinctive **1** _____ clasp on the front. Red trimmings. Black **2** _____ Initials
3 _____ on the clasp.

Q. 4-7



Answer the following questions using **NO MORE THAN THREE WORDS AND/OR NUMBERS** for each answer.

4 What is the lost property number given to the man? _____

5 When does the lost property office open? _____

6 How is the man going to the airport next week? _____

7 What is to the left of the lost property office? _____

Q. 8-10

Answer the following questions using **NO MORE THAN THREE WORDS AND/OR NUMBERS** for each answer.

8 What is the shortest time lost items are kept by the office? _____

9 How often does the office sell lost items? _____

10 Where does the money from the December sale go? _____

Section 2

Question 11-20

Q. 11

Choose **THREE** correct answers A-D and write them next to 11-20 on your answer sheet

Decide which method or methods of sending money abroad is/are being described. Write

11 You need a local bank account to use this.

A an international money order.

B bank draft.

C electronic transfer.

D telegraphic transfer.

Q. 12-14

Decide which method or methods of sending money abroad is/are being described. Write



A an international money order.

B bank draft.

C electronic transfer.

D telegraphic transfer.

12 _____ You can avoid a commission fee if you use a local bank and the local currency.

13 _____ Using a local bank and the local currency will allow you to get access to your money sooner.

14 _____ This is the quickest way to send money abroad.

Q. 15-16

Complete the following summary about taking money out of your country.

Your government might **15** _____ of money in and out of your country, so you might need to find out how to **16** _____ to transfer money if there is a limit on transfers and what regulations there are.

Q. 17-20

Complete the following notes about having enough money for your first few days abroad.

Cash	Advantages	Disadvantages
Traveler's cheques	useful for 17 _____ insured against 18 _____ can be 19 _____ in some shops/restaurants	less secure not widely accepted
Credit cards	widely accepted can get cash from bank machines	may involve 20 _____ commission fee being charged

Section 3

Question 21-30

Q. 21-24

Complete the notes on the purposes of a lesson plan, using **NO MORE THAN THREE WORDS** for each gap.



A LESSON PLAN

helps with **21** _____

creates a focus

shows material

clarifies **22** _____

reminders to put aims first

23 _____ student problems

creates opportunities for solutions

brings lesson **24** _____

teacher-student interaction

distribution of time for each activity

reminder of materials

Q. 25-28

Complete the following notes on the example lesson plan.

Student level	25 _____
Time	50 minutes
Class profile	the academic, 3-month study, improve spoken English
Aims elicit	reading comprehension and speaking abilities for storytelling, practice the present simple and the past simple
Teacher's aims	26 _____
Assumptions	students can understand instructions
Anticipated problems	students may not know some extreme sports
Solutions	27 _____
Teaching aids	elicit differences using questions textbook, blackboard, chalk, chalk eraser, pictures of 28 _____ climbing

Q. 29-30

Answer the following questions using **NO MORE THAN TWO WORDS** for each answer.



29 When using books, what should the student definitely write down, apart from the title? _____

30 What does the tutor give the student a list of? _____

Section 4

Question 31-40

Q. 31-34

Answer the following questions using **NO MORE THAN THREE WORDS AND/OR NUMBERS** for each answer.

31 Which three foreign languages are traditionally taught in the USA? _____

32 How old are the youngest schoolchildren learning Chinese? _____

33 How many students are learning the 15 leading languages? _____

34 What percentage of Europeans speak a second language? _____

Q. 35-38

Complete the following sentences using **NO MORE THAN THREE WORDS** for each gap.

35 _____ are secondary to cultural exchange at Potomac Elementary.

36 The young boy finds writing the strokes of Chinese characters in the _____ to be difficult.

37 The lecturer says that children take more interest in learning if _____ do.

38 Apart from Chinese, the NEP focuses on _____

Q. 39-40

Decide which university student or students (**A**, **B** and/or **C**) is being referred to.

Student A

Student B

Student C



39 Who started learning Chinese as an interest?

40 Who are learning Chinese to help with their future career?

Answers

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Section 1

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| 1. | (bright) red |
| 2. | handle |
| 3. | AEJ |
| 4. | EDV 758 |
| 5. | 6 a.m/ 06:00 |
| 6. | (by) underground/subway/tube |
| 7. | (large/electronic) departures board |
| 8. | 3/three months |
| 9. | twice a year |
| 10. | a children's charity |

Section 2

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| 11. | B, C, and D |
| 12. | B |
| 13. | B |
| 14. | D |
| 15. | control the flow |
| 16. | get permission |
| 17. | (covering) small purchases |
| 18. | loss or theft |
| 19. | used like cash |
| 20. | (quite) substantial |

Section 3



- 21. pace and timing
- 22. aims
- 23. highlights potential
- 24. coherence and cohesion
- 25. low- intermediate
- 26. avoid excessive instructions
- 27. vocabulary
- 28. rock and mountain
- 29. pages/ page numbers
- 30. websites

Section 4

- 31. French, Spanish, German (NB in any order)
- 32. 6
- 33. 1.4 million/ 1,400,000
- 34. 52,7%
- 35. Weighty national priorities
- 36. right order
- 37. (their) parents
- 38. Arabic, Korean, Russian (NB in any order)
- 39. A B C
- 40. A B C

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