



Practice Test 27

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Section 1

You will hear a number of different recordings and you have to answer questions based on what you hear. There will be time for you to read the instructions and questions and you will have a chance to check your work.

All the recordings will be played once only. The test is in 4 Sections. At the end of the test, you will be given 10 minutes to transfer your answers to an answer sheet.

Questions 1-10

Complete the notes. Use **NO MORE THAN THREE WORDS** for each answer.

KATE

Her first impressions of the town

Type of accommodation

Her feelings about the accommodation

Her feelings about the other students

Name of course

Difficulties experienced on the course

Suggestions for improving the course

LUKI

First type of accommodation

Problems with the first accommodation

Second type of accommodation

Name of course

Comments about the course

Suggestions for improving the course

Example : quiet

1 _____

2 _____

3 _____

Environmental studies

4 _____

5 _____

6 _____

7 _____

8 _____

9 _____

Computer room busy

10 _____

Section 2

Q. 11-20

Complete the notes below. Use **NO MORE THAN THREE WORDS** for each answer

There are many kinds of bicycles available:



- racing
- touring
- **11** _____
- ordinary

They vary in price and **12** _____

Prices range from \$50.00 to **13** _____

Single speed cycles are suitable for **14** _____

Three speed cycles are suitable for **15** _____

Five and ten speed cycles are suitable for longer distances, hills and **16** _____

Ten speed bikes are better because they are **17** _____ in price
but **18** _____

Buying a cycle is like **19** _____

The size of the bicycle is determined by the size of the **20** _____

Section 3

Questions 21-32

Q. 21-24

Choose the correct answers A-D and write them next to 21-24 on your answer sheet.

21 At first, Fiona thinks that Martin's tutorial topic is

A inappropriate

B dull

C interesting

D fascinating

22 According to Martin, the banana

A has only recently been cultivated

B is economical to grow



C is good for your health

D is his favourite food

23 Fiona listens to Martin because she

A wants to know more about bananas

B has nothing else to do today

C is interested in the economy of Australia

D wants to help Martin

24 According to Martin, bananas were introduced into Australia from

A India

B England

C China

D Africa

Q. 25-30

Complete Martin's notes Use **NO MORE THAN THREE WORDS** for each answer.

Commercially grown banana plant:

Each banana tree produces **25** _____ of bananas.

On modern plantations in tropical conditions, a tree can bear fruit after **26** _____

Banana trees prefer to grow **27** _____ and they require rich soil and **28** _____. The fruit is often protected by **29** _____

Ripe bananas emit a gas which helps other **30** _____

Q. 31 and 32

Circle the **TWO** correct boxes.

Section 4

Questions 33-41



Q. 33-35

Choose the correct answers A-D and write them next to 33-35 on your answer sheet.

According to the first speaker:

33 The focus of the lecture series is on

- A organising work and study
- B maintaining a healthy lifestyle
- C coping with homesickness
- D settling in at university

34 The lecture will be given by

- A the president of the Union
- B the campus doctor
- C a sports celebrity
- D a health expert

35 This week's lecture is on

- A campus food
- B dieting
- C sensible eating
- D saving money

Q. 36-39

Complete the notes. Write **NO MORE THAN THREE WORDS** for each answer.

A balanced diet:

A balanced diet will give you enough vitamins for normal daily living.

Vitamins in food can be lost through **36** _____



Types of vitamins:

(a) Fat soluble vitamins are stored by the body.

(b) Water soluble vitamins – not stored, so you need a **37**_____

Getting enough vitamins

Eat **38** _____ of foods.

Buy plenty of vegetables and store them in **39**_____

Q. 40-41

Complete the diagram by writing **NO MORE THAN THREE WORDS** in the boxes provided.

Answers

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Section 1

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| 1. | student accommodation/ hostel |
| 2. | awful food |
| 3. | not friendly/ kept to themselves |
| 4. | lecturers (too) busy |
| 5. | regular meetings/ meetings with lecturers/
fortnightly meetings |
| 6. | family/ homestay |
| 7. | lot of noise/ children made noise/ difficult to
study |
| 8. | student house |
| 9. | (Bachelor of) Computing |
| 10. | reserve computer time |

Section 2

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| 11. | mountain |
| 12. | quality |
| 13. | \$2,000 |
| 14. | short/casual rides |
| 15. | town riding/ shopping |
| 16. | serious touring |
| 17. | similar/ almost the same |
| 18. | better quality (components) |
| 19. | buying clothes |
| 20. | frame |

Section 3

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| 21. | B |
| 22. | C |
| 23. | D |
| 24. | B |
| 25. | one bunch |
| 26. | 15 months |
| 27. | uphill/ on hillsides |
| 28. | lots of/plenty of water |
| 29. | plastic bags |
| 30. | bananas (to) ripen/ ones (to) ripen |
| 31 & 32 | C, D (in either order) |

Section 4

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| 33. | B |
| 34. | D |
| 35. | C |
| 36. | cooking |
| 37. | (regular) daily intake |
| 38. | (a) variety |
| 39. | the dark/ the fridge/ a cool place/ a dark place |
| 40. | eat in moderation/ not too much |
| 41. | eat lots/ eat most |

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