



## Practice Test 39

In Listening Test 39, you will hear 4 audio recordings and answer questions 1-40.

**Section 1** is a conversation about different options for travelling to France.

**Section 2** is a monologue by a guide talking about an architectural development in the city of Birmingham.

**Section 3** is a conversation among 4 students talking about their tutor.

**Section 4** is a lecture on the illness Tuberculosis.

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### Section 1

#### Questions 1-10

Complete the notes below.

Write **NO MORE THAN TWO WORDS AND/OR A NUMBER** for each answer.

**NOTES: travelling to France**

Example

Answer

Time of travel

September

Advantages of travelling by train:



1 \_\_\_\_\_

2 \_\_\_\_\_

3 take as much \_\_\_\_\_ as you need

The Eurostar:

Runs on schedule 4 \_\_\_\_\_ of the time

Can reach speeds of 5 \_\_\_\_\_ miles per hour

Two options from Paris to Nice:

Catch the TGV train at 6 \_\_\_\_\_

Catch the TGV train at 7 \_\_\_\_\_ and travel 8 \_\_\_\_\_

Single tickets cost approximately 9 \_\_\_\_\_ the return fare.

Flying from London to Nice takes 10 \_\_\_\_\_

## Section 2

### Questions 11-20

#### Q. 11-15

Complete the table below.

Write **NO MORE THAN THREE WORDS AND/OR A NUMBER** for each answer.

### PROJECT DEVELOPMENT SCHEDULE

Project name:

The Cube

**ACTIVITY**

**TIME FRAME**



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Completion of each floor	<b>12</b> _____
Installation of exterior	Beginning in <b>13</b> _____
Topping out” of frame	Towards the end of <b>14</b> _____
Installation of fretwork screen	Coming together in <b>15</b> _____

**Q. 16-20**

Label the floor plan below.

Write the correct letter A – G next to the questions below.

**16** restaurant with a view

**17** hotel

**18** office space

**19** exclusive shops

**20** Waterside restaurant

## **Section 3**

### **Questions 21-30**

**Q. 21-25**

Choose your answer from the box and write the letters A – D next to questions 21 – 25.

**Which student expresses each of the opinions about their tutor?**

A David

B Thomas

C Sophie



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D Lynn

When things don't make sense I think it's my mistake at first **21** \_\_\_\_\_

I find the tutor's mistakes entertaining. **22** \_\_\_\_\_

I think it's unfortunate when tutors confuse people. **23** \_\_\_\_\_

I don't believe the situation is so serious. **24** \_\_\_\_\_

The professor should be aware of his tutor's abilities. **25** \_\_\_\_\_

**Q. 26-30**

Complete the sentences below.

Write **NO MORE THAN TWO WORDS** for each answer.

**RECOMMENDATIONS FOR SURVIVING THE CONFUSING LAB CLASS**

Remember that English is not Mariena's first language. She doesn't understand when you're joking around, so don't **26** \_\_\_\_\_ her so much.

If you pick on her, you will make her **27** \_\_\_\_\_ that she can't think clearly.

If you need help, make an appointment to meet with her **28** \_\_\_\_\_ and you might see a  
**29** \_\_\_\_\_ of her.

Remember that tutors are not old academics; she is not yet experienced as a **30** \_\_\_\_\_

**SECTION 4**

**Questions 31-40**

Complete the notes below.



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Write **NO MORE THAN THREE WORDS AND/OR A NUMBER** for each answer.

COURSE: epidemiology 101

DATE: 23 May

### **Tuberculosis (also called TB)**

Tuberculosis is closely associated with the **31** \_\_\_\_\_

#### **In the UK:**

common in the 19th century

since then better living conditions, **32** \_\_\_\_\_ immunisation and effective treatments have made it uncommon.

#### **Globally:**

still common in **33** \_\_\_\_\_ and parts of **34** \_\_\_\_\_

cause **35** \_\_\_\_\_ deaths per year; more than any other infectious disease.

overall, **36** \_\_\_\_\_ of the world's population is infected but not everyone gets sick.

#### **Risk factors**

a weakened immune system – due to HIV infection, immune-suppressing treatment, or alcohol or

**37** \_\_\_\_\_ age-babies and the elderly are more likely to become sick.

certain environment – more common among homeless people, among prisoners, and people in

**38** \_\_\_\_\_ and in more impoverished areas.

#### **Treatment**

50 years ago, away **39** \_\_\_\_\_ TB was found.

The most recent form of tuberculosis, XDR-TB, poses a **40** \_\_\_\_\_ to general TB control.

### **Answers**

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## Section 1

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|-----|-----------------|
| 1.  | faster          |
| 2.  | more affordable |
| 3.  | luggage         |
| 4.  | 92.4 per cent   |
| 5.  | 186             |
| 6.  | 11:46           |
| 7.  | 22:25           |
| 8.  | overnight       |
| 9.  | half (of)       |
| 10. | 2 hours         |

## Section 2

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|-----|--------------|
| 11. | 142 weeks    |
| 12. | 2-3 weeks    |
| 13. | February     |
| 14. | summer       |
| 15. | early autumn |
| 16. | C            |
| 17. | E            |
| 18. | F            |
| 19. | B            |
| 20. | A            |

## Section 3

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| 21. | D              |
| 22. | B              |
| 23. | C              |
| 24. | A              |
| 25. | D              |
| 26. | tease          |
| 27. | so nervous     |
| 28. | individually   |
| 29. | different side |
| 30. | teacher        |



## Section 4

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| 31. | AIDS epidemic        |
| 32. | better nutrition     |
| 33. | developing countries |
| 34. | Eastern Europe       |
| 35. | three million        |
| 36. | one third            |
| 37. | drug addiction       |
| 38. | large cities         |
| 39. | to cure              |
| 40. | (serious) threat     |

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