

Practice Test 59

In the Listening Test 59, you will hear 4 audio recordings and answer questions 1-40 based on what you hear.

Section 1 is a conversation between a new student and the student representative about university clubs.

Section 2 is a monologue by an accommodation officer telling students about different halls of residence.

Section 3 is a conversation between two students discussing a Business Studies project they have to do.

Section 4 is a lecture by a media studies tutor about news sources.

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Section 1

Questions 1-10

Questions 1-4

Complete the table below.

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

University Clubs	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday
Name of club	film	climbing	chess
Extra activities	discussions	1_____	2_____
The current number of 3_____ members	40		55



Questions 5-10

Complete the notes below.

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

5 meets _____

6 excursion to France in the _____

7 subscriptions paid _____

Benefits:

8 discounts on _____

9 annual _____

10 free entrance to climbing _____ in Cardiff

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Section 2

Questions 11-20

Questions 11-15

Choose **FIVE** answers and write the correct letter **A -G** next to Questions **11-15** on your answer sheet.

Which features are available at the following halls of residence?

List of Features

A cleaning included

B all meals included

C private showers

D modern building

E parking spaces

F single sex

G sports facilities

Halls of Residence

11 Brown Hall _____

12 Blake Residence _____

13 Queens Building _____



14 Parkway Flats _____

15 Temple Rise _____

Questions 16-20

Label the map below.

Write the correct letter A-G next to questions 16-20 on your answer sheet.

Section 3

Questions 21-30

Questions 21-24

Complete the sentences below.

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

21 Jenna and Marco must complete their project by _____

22 The project will be a study of the increase in _____

23 The project will be assessed by _____

24 Jenna and Marco agree they need _____ a for the project.

Questions 25-27

Choose **THREE** letters, **A-G**. Write answers next to 25-27 on your answer sheet.

What **THREE** things do Marco and Jenna have to do now for the project?

A interview some people

B hand out questionnaires

C choose their subjects

D take photographs

E use statistical software

F do some work in the library

G contact some local companies

Questions 28-30

Choose the correct letter, **A, B or C**. Write answers next to **28-30** on your answer sheet.

28 Why did Jenna and Marco agree to work together?

A because they both wanted to work with someone else

B because they each have different skills

C because they have worked together before

29 Why does Marco suggest that he writes the analysis?

A He needs more practice with his kind of writing

B He is better at English than Jenna

C He has more experience of this than Jenna

30 Why does Jenna offer to do the presentation?

A Her tutor wants her to do the presentation

B Marco is very nervous about giving the presentation

C She wants to divide the work on the project fairly

Section 4

Questions 31-40

Questions 31-35

Write the correct letter **A**, **B**, or **C** next to Questions 31-35 on your answer sheet.

Of which US news source is each of the following statements true?

News Sources

- A television
- B internet
- C the press

31 It is more popular at the weekend than during the week_____

32 It has affected the popularity of local radio_____

33 It has recently been able to expand internationally_____

34 It is offering more varied reporting than previously_____

35 It has suffered from government intervention_____ -

Questions 36-40

Complete the summary below.

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

Advertising and Newspapers

In the USA, newspapers are being increasingly inventive about the way they attract advertisers, and their 36_____ now exceeds that of other industries.

Advertising has increased because of a good relationship with the 37_____ sector.

In addition, newspapers now run more adverts which include 38_____. These have been found to raise readership of the papers and create more sales for the 39_____. There are also an increasing number of more expensive 40_____ adverts.

Answers

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Section 1

1	weekend trips
2	competitions
3	125
4	club secretary
5	twice a/per month
6	spring
7	weekly
8	equipment
9	magazine
10	exhibition

Section 2

11	G
12	F
13	C
14	B
15	A
16	B
17	A
18	C
19	E
20	D

Section 3

21	March 25th
22	older workers
23	(a) senior lecturer
24	timetable
25	(in any order) B, D, G
26	(in any order) B, D, G
27	(in any order) B, D, G



28 B
29 C
30 A

Section 4

31	C
32	B
33	C
34	A
35	A
36	profit margin
37	retail
38	vouchers
39	clients
40	full-page/full page

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