



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 members	3 _____	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

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|----|-------------------|
| 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

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|----|---|
| 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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