

Exam Number: 0000



# LEVEL ONE

## PAPER ONE READING AND WRITING

Do not write on the exam paper.

Time limit: 50 minutes

Sample Test

**Instructions: Match each sentence (1 – 8) with its corresponding sign (A – I). Fill in the correct box on your answer sheet. There is one EXTRA notice.**

**EXAMPLE**

**CORRECT ANSWER**

0. You can learn a language here.

**J**

**SPANISH CLASSES**

1. This is a good place for vegetable lovers.

**A**

**Snakey's sodas. Great soft drinks!**

2. If you cannot swim, this place is dangerous.

**B**

**Giovanni's. Great food.  
Open 05:30 – 23:00**

3. You cannot drive on this street, on weekdays.

**C**

**Green Rivers  
Travel Agency**

4. Make sure the clerk gives you the right money.

**D**

**Silence please!  
Examination in progress**

5. Meals are only served here before noon.

**E**

**Fen-Lui Breakfast Café  
Breakfast till 12.00**

6. They will help you book a flight here.

**F**

**No entry! Roadworks  
Monday - Friday!**

7. Do not make any noise here, please.

**G**

**Please check your  
change carefully!**

8. Come here if you just want a cold drink.

**H**

**The Salad House  
Great variety!**

**I**

**Very deep pool!**

**Instructions: Choose the correct answer to complete each mini-conversation. For questions 9 – 16, fill in the correct letter (A – K) on your answer sheet. There are TWO extra answers.**

**EXAMPLE****CORRECT ANSWER**

- 0. Mary:** Let's go to the soccer match!  
**John:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Mary:** Is that so? How much?

**K**

- K** The tickets for the game are really expensive.

- 9. Helen:** How long have you had this job?  
**Tom:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Helen:** I can see that.
- 10. Nathan:** Did you do anything special last weekend?  
**Christel:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Nathan:** Well, that's important.
- 11. Monica:** How good are you at taking pictures?  
**Alan:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Monica:** Excellent! We need a photographer!
- 12. Paul:** Can I talk to you for a moment?  
**Celine:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Paul:** I'll come later.
- 13. Lina:** What kind of business would you like to start?  
**Daniel:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Lina:** That sounds good!
- 14. Liza:** Sorry Marc! I forgot to call you back last night?  
**Marc:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Liza:** I was!
- 15. Phoebe:** Did you say you have a message for me?  
**Harry:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Phoebe:** Fine!
- 16. Leif:** I need an assistant!  
**Cathy:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Leif:** I hope to get one soon.

**Options**

- A** Yes, the new customers want to meet with us.
- B** It's such a pity you haven't found anyone yet.
- C** I'm having a videoconference in five minutes.
- D** Not really. I had to work on a school project.
- E** I haven't had time. I've been very busy.
- F** I might offer home repair advice online.
- G** For almost nine years but I still enjoy it!
- H** That's Ok. I thought you might be tired.
- I** Saturday is my busiest day, you know.
- J** Pretty good! I took a course in college.

**Instructions: Read the following text and complete the sentences that follow. For numbers 17 – 24, fill in the correct box (A, B or C) on your answer sheet.**

**EXAMPLE****CORRECT ANSWER**

0. The Eiffel Tower was finished in \_\_\_\_\_.  
**A** 1887                      **B** 1888

**C** 1889

**C**

### The Eiffel Tower

The Eiffel Tower was built from 1887–89, for the 1889 Paris International Exhibition, which celebrated the French Revolution 100 years earlier. Until 1930, it was the world's tallest building.

Seven hundred people shared ideas for the building in a competition and Gustave Eiffel was the winner. However, some important writers of the time thought the construction was very ugly!

The city almost lost its tower in 1909, but the government decided to keep it because of the important radio equipment there. Since 1910, different radio stations and television channels have sent out programmes from the tower.

To take the elevator up to the second floor only, you pay 16, 8, or 4 Euros. Summer prices are highest. To climb the stairs up to the second floor and then take an elevator up to the top, you pay 19 Euros. From Monday to Friday, children under 9 can go up the Tower for free. There are also discounts for young people (12-16 years).

There are three floors. The Verne Restaurant (reservations are always needed) is on the second floor. On the third floor, there is a bar, a souvenir shop and the office that Eiffel himself used.

17. The reason for building the Tower was to \_\_\_\_\_.  
**A** remember an important event                      **B** have a competition                      **C** open a special exhibition
18. The Eiffel Tower was the world's \_\_\_\_\_ building for many years.  
**A** newest                      **B** highest                      **C** oldest
19. In the beginning \_\_\_\_\_ people loved the building.  
**A** not all famous                      **B** all the French                      **C** very few French
20. The French authorities finally decided to \_\_\_\_\_.  
**A** make TV programs the tower                      **B** leave the tower in the city                      **C** use the tower for their offices
21. To go to the third floor, you have to pay \_\_\_\_\_ Euros.  
**A** 8                      **B** 16                      **C** 19
22. On weekdays \_\_\_\_\_ do not pay to enter.  
**A** teenagers                      **B** children                      **C** adults

23. You can \_\_\_\_\_ if you go to the second floor.  
**A** have an excellent French meal      **B** buy someone a nice present      **C** see where the architect worked
24. On the top floor there \_\_\_\_\_.  
**A** is a store      **B** is a restaurant      **C** are some offices

**Part Four**

**Numbers 25 – 32**

**Instructions: Complete the text. For numbers 25 – 32, fill in the correct box (A, B, or C) on your answer sheet.**

**EXAMPLE**

**CORRECT ANSWER**

The city of Orlando **(0)**\_\_\_\_\_ everything.

- 0. A** have      **B** has      **C** having

**B**

**Orlando**

The city of Orlando **(0)**\_\_\_\_\_ everything. It is one of the world's **(25)**\_\_\_\_\_ popular tourist centers and one of the fastest-growing cities in the USA. It is clean, friendly and safe. That's why families, couples and tourists often love **(26)**\_\_\_\_\_ this city. All these people enjoy **(27)**\_\_\_\_\_ in this city of fun-filled city. Orlando is a very warm city **(28)**\_\_\_\_\_ people can enjoy being outdoors. Here are just **(29)**\_\_\_\_\_ of the activities you can do. There are beaches near the city, and visitors can go swimming **(30)**\_\_\_\_\_ sailing on the many lakes in the area. **(31)**\_\_\_\_\_ people can be seen playing tennis or golf almost everywhere. Finally, as you **(32)**\_\_\_\_\_ see, Orlando has something for all sports lovers.

25. **A** more      **B** most      **C** much
26. **A** visiting      **B** visit      **C** visited
27. **A** itself      **B** themselves      **C** himself
28. **A** because      **B** but      **C** so
29. **A** ones      **B** all      **C** some
30. **A** but      **B** or      **C** so
31. **A** too      **B** also      **C** ever
32. **A** may      **B** will      **C** can

Instructions: Complete the following text. For numbers 33 - 40, write ONE word in each space on your answer sheet.

EXAMPLE

How are (0)\_\_\_\_\_?

CORRECT ANSWER

*you*

New Message

— X

To scarlett\_samuels@uv.mx

Cc Bcc

Subject A little update

Dear Scarlett,

How are (0) *you*? Sorry for not writing before, but I (33)\_\_\_\_\_ been really busy. Last week, I went to Monterrey (34)\_\_\_\_\_ three days. Then I went to Veracruz because my daughter (35)\_\_\_\_\_ in a sports competition. She (36)\_\_\_\_\_ not win a prize, but she had fun.

Anyway, my birthday is (37)\_\_\_\_\_ two weeks and my daughter's graduating from college, so I'm giving a party for us (38)\_\_\_\_\_. I am inviting just a (39)\_\_\_\_\_ friends. I hope you can be here. Please let (40)\_\_\_\_\_ know if you are coming.

Love,

*Penelope*

Send