

LanguageCert
Communicator B2
Level 1
International ESOL for Schools
(Listening, Reading, Writing)
Practice Paper 3

Mark Scheme

LISTENING

Part 1

Question	1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	7.
Answer	a	b	b	c	b	a	b

Total Marks: 7

Part 2

Question	1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.
Answer	c	b	c	a	a	b

Total Marks: 6

Part 3

Question	Answer	Marks
1. Content of the instructions given out yesterday:	distance and direction	(1)
2. Title of today’s task:	survival	(1)
3. Main skill needed to complete today’s task:	reading a map	(1)
4. Type of groups you will work in today:	pairs	(1)
5. Where today’s task will end:	(at (a)) signpost	(1)
6. How you will return to the activity centre:	by camp bus	(1)
7. Name of today’s instructor:	Mr Green/ Mr. Green/ Mister Green	(1)

Total Marks: 7

Part 4

Question	1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.
Answer	b	c	b	a	c	a

Total Marks: 6

READING

Part 1

Question	1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.
Answer	a	b	c	c	b	a

Total Marks: 5

Part 2

Question	1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.
Answer	G	E	F	A	D	B

Total Marks: 6

Part 3

Question	1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	7.
Answer	D	A	C	C	D	B	A

Total Marks: 7

Part 4

Question	Answer
1.	wild grasses
2.	Barley
3.	wheat
4.	weeds
5.	maize
6.	the mechanical reaper
7.	(its) resistance to disease

Total Marks: 8

WRITING

Part 1

[Sample answer]

Dear [Enter name],

I am a secondary student who relies on public transport to travel to school every weekday morning and back home in the evening. Specifically, I use the number 35 bus in both directions.

Currently, there are only three number 35 buses each hour on weekday mornings, which leads to overcrowding, especially during the summer. Often, the buses are so full that they don't stop at my pick-up point. This makes it difficult for students like me to reach school on time.

I suggest increasing the number of buses to at least five per hour during the morning rush, from 8:00 to 9:00. This change would make travel more comfortable for everyone and reduce delays, ensuring that students and workers arrive on time.

Thank you for considering my suggestions.

[Enter name]

Part 2

[Sample answer]

I was walking home from school when I realised my phone was missing. Panic set in as I checked my pockets and backpack. My phone was nowhere to be found. I hurried back to the school, hoping to find it lying on the grass or the side of the pavement.

I remembered using my phone during lunch to show my friends a funny video. But now, the school playground was empty and the phone was still lost. I sighed deeply, feeling a wave of frustration. The school was still open because the staff hadn't gone home. I decided to check at reception, even though I was doubtful of success.

I walked up to the desk and, to my surprise, I immediately saw my phone on a shelf at the back. Relieved, I asked the lady in reception how it had ended up there. It seemed that a student had found it and turned it in. I thanked the lady and hurried home, keeping my phone tightly in my hand all the way. I told myself I would never lose it again.