

LanguageCert
Access A2
Entry Level 2
International ESOL for Schools
(Listening, Reading, Writing)
Practice Paper 2

Candidate's name (block letters please)

Centre no

Date

Time allowed:

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| - Listening | about 20 minutes |
| - Reading and Writing | 1 hour and 20 minutes |

Instructions to Candidates

- An Answer Sheet will be provided.
- All answers must be transferred to the Answer Sheet.
- Please use a soft pencil (2B, HB).

Listening Part 1

You will hear some sentences. You will hear each sentence twice. Choose the correct answers.

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b)



c)

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b)



c)

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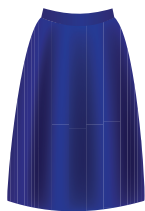
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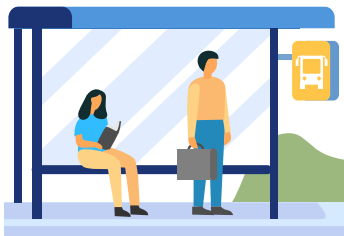
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c)

Listening Part 2

You will hear some sentences. You will hear each sentence twice. Choose the best reply to each sentence.

1. a) Yes, I'll do that for you.
b) It's opposite the museum.
c) I'd really like that.
2. a) Never mind. No problem.
b) I don't think I can.
c) We haven't got there yet.
3. a) It's on the corner.
b) I can carry it myself.
c) If it's not too much trouble.
4. a) No, but I'm thinking of getting one.
b) I can't at the moment.
c) I'm not sure that's right.
5. a) I'm glad you liked it.
b) I was just lucky.
c) I did it today.
6. a) Yes, it takes a long time.
b) I don't think you can.
c) Train is better than bus.
7. a) Yes, she does, sometimes.
b) She works in an office.
c) No, I don't think she will.

Listening Part 3

You will hear some short conversations. You will hear each conversation twice. Choose the correct answer for each conversation.

Conversation 1

1. The girl
- a) gives the boy some advice.
 - b) offers to help the boy.
 - c) agrees with the boy.

Conversation 2

2. Who are the speakers?
- a) passengers on a bus
 - b) brother and sister
 - c) classmates

Conversation 3

3. Where are the speakers?
- a) at a cinema
 - b) in a theatre
 - c) at a sports stadium

Conversation 4

4. How was the weather on the girl's holiday?
- a) warm
 - b) cloudy
 - c) wet

Conversation 5

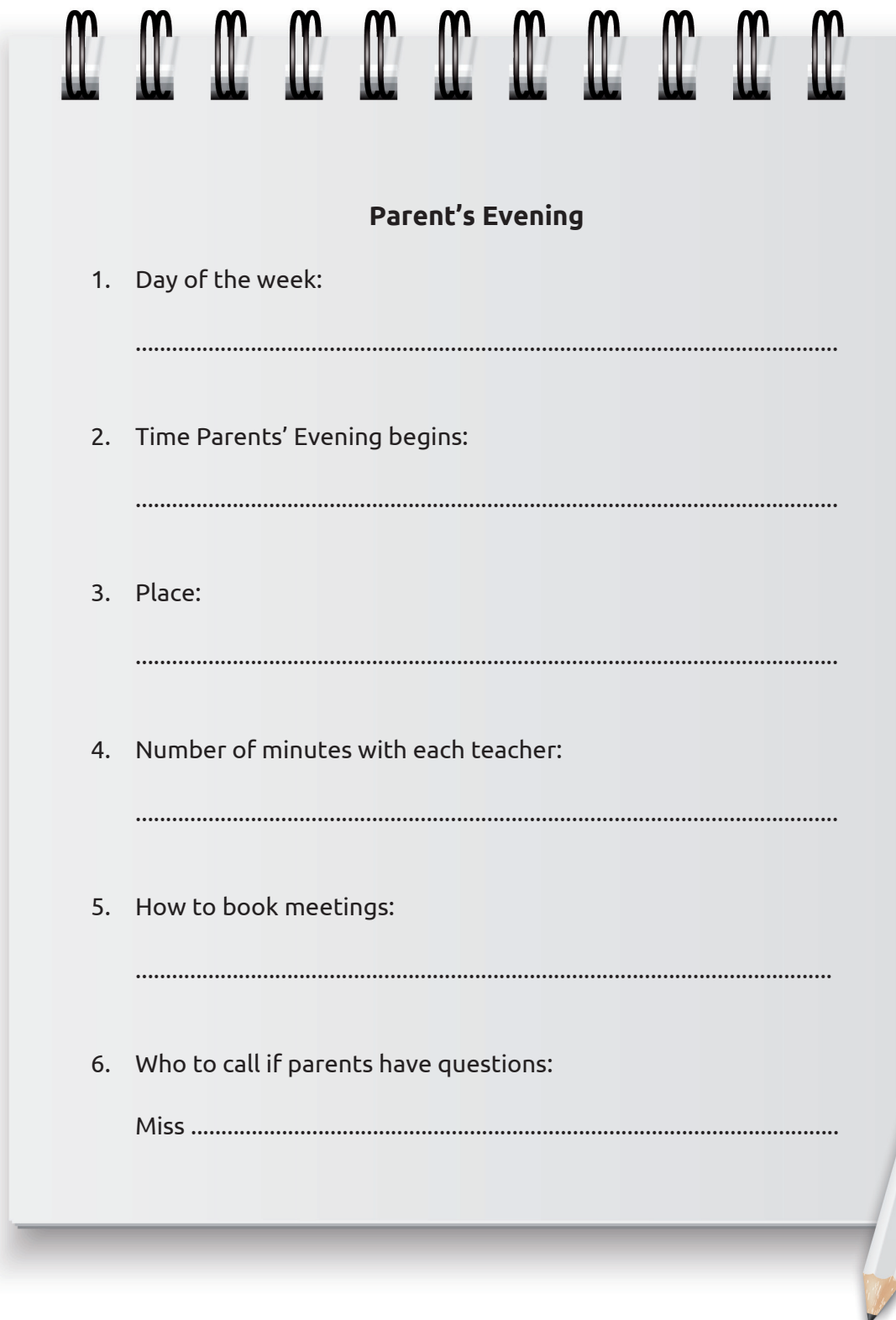
5. The boy has hurt his
- a) head.
 - b) arm.
 - c) leg.

Conversation 6

6. The girl wants
- a) help making a pizza.
 - b) money to buy a pizza.
 - c) advice about where to buy a pizza.

Listening Part 4

You will hear someone talking. You will hear the person twice. Complete the information. Write short answers of one to three words.



Parent's Evening

1. Day of the week:
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2. Time Parents' Evening begins:
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3. Place:
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4. Number of minutes with each teacher:
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5. How to book meetings:
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6. Who to call if parents have questions:
Miss

Reading Part 1

Read the texts. Choose the correct answer to complete each text.

1.

Cities in the US that my classmates have visited
[in alphabetical order]

- Atlanta
- Chicago
- Dallas-Fort Worth
- Houston
- Los Angeles
- _____
- New York
- Philadelphia
- Phoenix
- Washington, D.C.

- a) Las Vegas
- b) Miami
- c) Nashville

2.

School Uniform

We are changing the uniform for next year.
You can get a list of _____ changes
from the school reception.

- a) that
- b) these
- c) this

3.

Bikes4You

Come and ask us about _____
a bike for next weekend!
Just £15 for Saturday AND Sunday.

- a) paying
- b) buying
- c) renting

4.

*Steve, do you want to come to town with me tomorrow morning?
I want to go to that sports shop in the centre _____
they've got some cool new trainers.*

- a) because
- b) when
- c) so

5.

Spend a wonderful week in Brighton!
Swim in the sea or have a picnic at our
beautiful park, then visit our brilliant shops.
In the evening, have a meal in one of our
_____ restaurants.

- a) excited
- b) star
- c) excellent

6.

For Sale

Skateboard

65cm long, 20cm wide

£15.00

I've had it for two years _____

I've only used it once. It looks as good as new.

Can bring to school any day.

- a) but
- b) so
- c) or

Reading Part 2

Read the text. Choose the correct words to complete each sentence. There is one extra word or phrase you will not need.

Hi Molly

Last weekend, I went to the local zoo, which is really interesting. I've been there several times before because they have **(1)** there. But I went this time **(2)** It's only two weeks old.

The zoo, **(3)**, will be open late until 9.00 p.m. all through the school holidays. You should definitely visit it. In fact, I'm going again next month if **(4)** If you come with me, **(5)** If you agree, **(6)** when you might be free.

Tania

- A I have time
- B it isn't late
- C it will be more fun
- D just tell me
- E so many interesting animals
- F to see the new baby elephant
- G which is very big

Reading Part 3

Read the four texts. Which text gives you the answer to each question? Choose the correct text (A–D) for each question.

A.

Welcome to Freeville, our beautiful city. You can visit the 16th-century palace, walk in one of the beautiful parks or go sightseeing in the city centre. The tourist office there has maps, guides and tips to help you. Get tickets for the Big Red Bus tour here, too.

B.

Stay at the Grand Hotel opposite Metro Park in Freeville. We have 85 double rooms, starting at \$105 per night with free wi-fi and breakfast. Children under five stay free. There is also a rooftop pool and gym.

C.

See Freeville on the Big Red Bus! Our open-top buses give the best views of the city for just \$24 per adult and \$12 for children. Get on and off at 14 places, including the Grand Palace, Metro Park, the Market Square and the main hotels, including the Grand. Our buses have audio guides, so you can listen to information in many languages.

D.

I'm just back from Freeville. I took a Big Red Bus tour and it was a great way to get a quick idea of where the interesting places are. I got off a few times, but sometimes when I got back on, the bus was really crowded, so I couldn't get a good seat. It's a good way to see the city, but there should be more buses in the summer.

Which text tells you:

1.	a problem with a tour of the city?	
2.	the cost of staying in one place in the city?	
3.	how old one of the buildings in the city is?	
4.	where to find information for visitors?	
5.	one way to get to Metro Park?	
6.	interesting information for families with babies?	
7.	how one person spent their time in the city?	

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Reading Part 4

Read the text and the questions. Choose the correct answer for each question.

Two sisters go sailing

Saturday morning was sunny with just enough wind, so Sarah and Emily decided to take out the little sailing boat that their family kept at the lake. Unfortunately, they were hurrying and forgot to ask their parents if they could go.

The sisters left the beach and decided to sail around the island in the lake. Sometimes they went camping or took a football to the island, but all they had this time were some snacks and juice as they only planned to sail for an hour.

At midday, Sarah was getting out her phone to take some photos when she saw lots of clouds. Suddenly the wind got stronger and the boat started to go faster and faster towards the island. The girls tried to turn the boat but they couldn't.

Finally, it turned. They stopped it hitting the rocks, but both girls fell into the water and the empty boat started sailing back to beach. Fortunately, the water wasn't deep and the girls were soon on the island. They tried to call home but there was no phone signal. They couldn't contact anyone.

The sisters knew there weren't any houses on the island. Nobody lived there. Emily started to climb a tree to look for other boats and then Sarah saw someone by the water, fishing. They ran over to the man and it was Harry who lived in their street!

They all jumped into Harry's boat. They were worried about their boat but when they got to the beach it was there, safe. The sisters told their parents the whole story. They knew they were wrong not to say they were going sailing and they were very sorry.

1. The sisters went out in the boat because
 - a) it was new.
 - b) the weather was just right.
 - c) they wanted to improve at sailing.
2. What did the sisters take with them in the boat?
 - a) a tent
 - b) a ball
 - c) food and drinks
3. What happened at midday?
 - a) The sisters decided to stop at the island.
 - b) The weather changed.
 - c) Sarah took some photos.
4. What happened to the boat?
 - a) It went under the water.
 - b) It hit the rocks.
 - c) It returned to the beach.
5. The sisters couldn't call their parents because their phones
 - a) didn't work.
 - b) were in the boat.
 - c) were back at home.
6. While on the island, the sisters
 - a) climbed a tree.
 - b) met a neighbour.
 - c) found an old house.
7. When they got back home, the sisters felt bad about
 - a) losing their parents' boat.
 - b) making their parents worry.
 - c) going sailing without telling their parents.

Writing Part 1

Read the message from your classmate. Write a message in reply. Write between 30-50 words.

Hi!

Remember, we have to make a cake together in cooking class next Monday. What kind of cake shall we make? I haven't got any flour or anything so let's go shopping. When shall we go and which shop would be best?

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Writing Part 2

Your English teacher, Mr Brown, wants some ideas for a fun class activity. Write an email to your teacher.

- Suggest an activity the class can do together.
- Explain why it would be fun for everyone.
- Say what things are needed.

Write between 30-50 words.

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