Listening
Question Paper

Time: approx. 35 minutes

• Answer all the questions.

• You may write on the question paper but make sure you write all your answers on the separate answer sheet (You will have 5 minutes at the end of the test for this).

• You must not speak to the other candidates.

• You may use a dictionary to check your work at the end of the test.
**Task One: Short Conversations – Questions 1-6**

You will hear a couple who have recently moved home talking about items that they use in their flat.

- You will hear six short conversations.
- Listen and decide which item they are talking about.
- There are two items on the list which you will not need.
- Place a **X** in the appropriate box on your Answer Sheet.
- You will hear each conversation twice.

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Task Two: Making Notes – Questions 7-15

You will hear a telephone message.

- Look at the notes. The notes contain nine gaps.
- You have one minute to read the notes.
- Now listen to the speaker and fill in the gaps with a maximum of 3 words.
- Do not write more than 3 words in one gap.
- You will hear the recording twice.

Hi,

Nora phoned and left you a message.

She’s still in Kintekunta.
- She’s been burgled – they took everything except some cash and her _7_.
- She needs you to do a few things for her.

Family
- Parents know nothing. Please phone her _8_.
- Her Gran is coming _9_. Take her to Nora’s place as she’s never been.
- She gets here at 11:30 on a flight from _10_.

Miscellaneous
- She (Nora) has enough money to _11_.
- No rush about the bills, except the _12_ which you need to pay by tomorrow at the latest.
- While you’re there please water the plants.

University
- Contact Professor Philips about my _13_, ask for an extension until _14_.
- _15_ is postponed. I’ll make up for it!
Task Three: Radio Programme – Questions 16-25

You will hear a radio programme about a pop singer.

- On the test paper you have ten multiple-choice questions about the programme.
- Choose the best response (A, B, or C) for questions 16-25.
- Place a X in the appropriate box on your Answer Sheet.
- You will hear the recording twice.
- You have two minutes to read the questions before the recording starts.

16. Before being a singer Mike was...
   A a studio technician.
   B a food reviewer.
   C a tour guide.

17. How long did he work for the record company?
   A He doesn’t remember.
   B He’s not comfortable speaking about it.
   C The question’s too hard to answer.

18. When he was at home, Mike wrote...
   A poetry.
   B music.
   C a book.

19. Concerning his latest album, Mike...
   A wrote more than half of it.
   B will only be happy if it sells well.
   C feels that he could have improved it a lot.

20. What did Mike think about the experience of working with other people?
   A He thought that it was strange.
   B He feels that it’s better to work alone.
   C He enjoyed it and benefited from it.

21. How successful has his new album been?
   A It’s sold extremely well.
   B There’s been a problem getting it in the shops.
   C It’s only been possible to buy it over the telephone.

22. What’s Kelly’s opinion of the new album?
   A It’s only average.
   B There aren’t enough songs on it.
   C Mike’s singing is the best part of this record.

23. On Mike’s next tour of the country, he will be...
   A nowhere near Barnsley.
   B appearing close to Barnsley.
   C in Barnsley for ten nights.

24. Overall, Mike’s career...
   A has always been successful.
   B has been a disappointment to him.
   C has been mixed.

25. The presenter’s attitude towards Mike is...
   A enthusiastic.
   B extremely serious.
   C formal.

You now have five minutes to check your work. You may use a dictionary. Don’t forget to transfer your answers to the Answer Sheet.