

LanguageCert
Access A2
Entry Level 2
International ESOL (Listening, Reading, Writing)
Practice Paper 1

Listening part one.

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

Number one. Number one. *(6 seconds)*

She has long, dark hair.
She has long, dark hair. *(10 seconds)*

Number two. Number two. *(6 seconds)*

The children are watching the television.
The children are watching the television. *(10 seconds)*

Number three. Number three. *(6 seconds)*

You can't have dogs in the playground.
You can't have dogs in the playground. *(10 seconds)*

Number four. Number four. *(6 seconds)*

The man posted a letter.
The man posted a letter. *(10 seconds)*

Number five. Number five. *(6 seconds)*

He hit the ball with his hands.
He hit the ball with his hands. *(10 seconds)*

Number six. Number six. *(6 seconds)*

It's a very large building.
It's a very large building. *(10 seconds)*

Number seven. Number seven.

(6 seconds)

The party was on the twenty-first of June.
The party was on the twenty-first of June.

(10 seconds)

That is the end of Part One.

Listening part two.

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

Number one. Number one. (6 seconds)

That's your favourite restaurant, isn't it?
That's your favourite restaurant, isn't it? (10 seconds)

Number two. Number two. (6 seconds)

No..., **this** isn't my book.
No..., **this** isn't my book. (10 seconds)

Number three. Number three. (6 seconds)

[male speaker] Two cups of coffee, please.
[male speaker] Two cups of coffee, please. (10 seconds)

Number four. Number four. (6 seconds)

This is my teacher, Mr Jones.
This is my teacher, Mr Jones. (10 seconds)

Number five. Number five. (6 seconds)

[as if not sure heard correctly first time]
Did you say he's your **neighbour**?
Did you say he's your **neighbour**? (10 seconds)

Number six. Number six. (6 seconds)

[counting/adding up]
So, six pounds and three pounds, that's nine altogether.
So, six pounds and three pounds, that's nine altogether. (10 seconds)

Number seven. Number seven. (6 seconds)

Excuse me. Is this train going to London?
Excuse me. Is this train going to London? (10 seconds)

That is the end of Part Two.

Listening part three.

You will hear some short conversations. You will hear each conversation twice. Choose the correct answer for each conversation. (10 seconds.)

Conversation One

[teacher and student in English class]

M: So, the sky is blue. And the grass?
F: The grass is green.
M: Excellent. And the clock on the wall?
F: The clock is red.
M: Great – you think of one.
F: The carpet is brown.
M: Fantastic!

(Wait 10 seconds before repeating.)

(Wait 10 seconds before going onto the next conversation.)

Conversation Two

[a market stall]

M: Yes?
F: One kilo of tomatoes, please.
M: Anything else?
F: Mmm... a red pepper, I think. That one looks nice.
M: OK. Look – cucumbers are cheap today. Tasty too...
F: No, I think that's all, thanks.
M: One pound exactly then, please.

(Wait 10 seconds before repeating.)

(Wait 10 seconds before going onto the next conversation.)

Conversation Three

[telephone conversation]

- F: Good morning. Roberts Limited.
- M: **Mr** Roberts, please.
- F: I'm sorry, sir, he's not here this morning.
- M: Is he coming into the office this afternoon?
- F: Mmm, let's see. Yes, at two o'clock.
- M: OK. Thank you. I can phone back then.
- F: Thank you. Goodbye.

(Wait 10 seconds before repeating.)

(Wait 10 seconds before going onto the next conversation.)

Conversation Four

- F: What **are** you doing?
- M: Only painting the kitchen.
- F: Ugh! The colour's **horrible!** **And** there's paint everywhere.
- M: Sorry. I dropped the tin.
- F: Well, **I'm** not cleaning it up!
- M: No, of course not. I'm going to do that.
- F: I hope so! Umph!

(Wait 10 seconds before repeating.)

(Wait 10 seconds before going onto the next conversation.)

Conversation Five

M: Can you type this for me, please?
F: Yes, of course.
M: Oh and can you go and buy some envelopes later?
F: Brown or white?
M: Brown. There're plenty of white in the stationery cupboard.
F: I'm going out at lunchtime. I can get them then.
M: Great. Thanks.

(Wait 10 seconds before repeating.)

(10 seconds.)

Conversation Six

F: Come in!
M: Mrs Scott? You wanted to see me?
F: Yes, Robert. I'm afraid there's a problem.
M: Oh?
F: You didn't come to work yesterday. And we had lots of customers.
M: I'm sorry, Mrs Scott, but my daughter was ill.
F: I see.

That is the end of Part Three.

Listening part four.

You will hear someone talking. You will hear the person twice. Complete the information. Write short answers of one to three words. *(10 seconds.)*

Hi Jo. Tom here.

I now have all the details of Saturday's party, so write them down. You don't want to miss it. It's going to be fantastic!

Well, Sue wanted it at her house but her garden's too small so we decided the park's best. We're going to play football before tea, so it's ideal. Tea – yes, that's important. Sam suggested a barbecue but that's difficult, so we're all going to bring sandwiches, so don't forget yours! I think we're going to be thirsty after the football, so bring some juice too.

Umm – anything else? Oh yes, of course, the time. We all need to be home by eight, so we decided to start at two. See you then. Bye.

(Wait 10 seconds before repeating.)

(10 seconds.)

You now have thirty seconds to read through and check your answers.

(30 seconds.)

That is the end of Part Four.

You now have one hour and twenty minutes to complete the rest of the paper.