

English as a Second Language  
PAPER 1: Reading and Writing

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Thursday 09 May 2024 – Afternoon

Time: 2 hours

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## **YOU MUST HAVE**

**Insert Booklet for Part 1, Part 2, Part 3 and Part 6 (enclosed)**

## **YOU WILL BE GIVEN**

**Nil**

## **INSTRUCTIONS**

**Answer ALL questions.**

**Answer the questions in the spaces provided – there may be more space than you need.**

**Dictionaries may NOT be used in this examination.**

## **INFORMATION**

**The total mark for this paper is 100.**

**The marks for EACH question are shown in brackets – use this as a guide as to how much time to spend on each question.**

## **ADVICE**

**Read each question carefully before you start to answer it.**

**Try to answer every question.**

**Check your answers if you have time at the end.**

## READING

**Answer ALL questions in this section.**

### Part 1

**Read ‘10 Reasons Why You Should Swim’ in the Insert Booklet, Part 1, pages 3–5, and answer Questions 1–10.**

### Questions 1–10

**Identify which paragraphs (A–J) contain information listed in Questions 1–10 by marking a cross for the correct answer ☐. If you change your mind about an answer, put a line through the box ☒ and then mark your new answer with a cross ☐.**

**You must choose answers only from the information given. Paragraphs may be used more than once or not at all.**

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**Part 1 continued.**

- 1 Which paragraph refers to taking swimming lessons?  
(1 mark)**

<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>F</b>	<b>G</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>I</b>	<b>J</b>
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- 2 Which paragraph refers to working all your muscles?  
(1 mark)**

<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>F</b>	<b>G</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>I</b>	<b>J</b>
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- 3 Which paragraph refers to the importance of enjoyment?  
(1 mark)**

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- 4 Which paragraph refers to gentle exercise?  
(1 mark)**

<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>F</b>	<b>G</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>I</b>	<b>J</b>
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**Part 1 continued.**

- 5 Which paragraph refers to swimming being a necessary skill?  
(1 mark)**

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- 6 Which paragraph refers to making friends?  
(1 mark)**

<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>F</b>	<b>G</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>I</b>	<b>J</b>
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- 7 Which paragraph refers to swimming being convenient if you live nearby?  
(1 mark)**

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- 8 Which paragraph refers to feeling calm?  
(1 mark)**

<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>F</b>	<b>G</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>I</b>	<b>J</b>
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- 9 Which paragraph refers to the cost of swimming?**  
(1 mark)

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- 10 Which paragraph refers to how much energy swimming uses?**  
(1 mark)

<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>F</b>	<b>G</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>I</b>	<b>J</b>
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**(Total for Questions 1–10 = 10 marks)**

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## Part 2

**Read the article ‘Living and Working on the Road’ by Madeleine Howell in the Insert Booklet, Part 2, pages 6–9 and answer Questions 11–25.**

### Questions 11–20

**Answer the following questions. For each question write no more than THREE words that must be taken from one point in the text. DO NOT write full sentences.**

- 11 Which group of people is becoming larger?  
(1 mark)**

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- 12 In which countries do Sally and Gary spend their time?  
(1 mark)**

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**Part 2 continued.**

**13 How does Madeleine Howell describe the couple's chosen lifestyle?  
(1 mark)**

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**14 According to Madeleine, who may have issues with screen time?  
(1 mark)**

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**15 What did the couple have problems with initially?  
(1 mark)**

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**Part 2 continued.**

- 16 How does Madeleine describe the possibility of meeting new people?  
(1 mark)**

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- 17 What was Emma saving for before she bought her campervan?  
(1 mark)**

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- 18 How does Madeleine describe Emma's job hunting experience?  
(1 mark)**

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**Part 2 continued.**

**19 What does Emma use to find suitable places to stay?  
(1 mark)**

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**20 How does Madeleine describe those who live and work  
on the road?  
(1 mark)**

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**(Total for Questions 11–20 = 10 marks)**

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## Questions 21–25

Identify which of the options (A–D) is correct for Questions 21–25 by marking a cross in the box ☒. If you change your mind about an answer, put a line through the box ☒ and then mark your new answer with a cross ☒.

21 The main goal of living and working on the road is to (1 mark)

- ☐ A search for different views every day.
- ☐ B meet others with the same lifestyle.
- ☐ C use time in a more rewarding way.
- ☐ D save money by not living in a house.

22 Which of the following is true about Sally and Gary? (1 mark)

- ☐ A They still own a family home.
- ☐ B They bought a new campervan.
- ☐ C They used to teach for a college.
- ☐ D They offer people group lessons.

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**Part 2 continued.**

**23 In the future, Sally and Gary would like to  
(1 mark)**

- ☐ **A lead a more predictable life.**
- ☐ **B meet lots of different people.**
- ☐ **C travel to more distant places.**
- ☐ **D live with their grandchildren.**

**24 Which of the following is true about Emma?  
(1 mark)**

- ☐ **A She has an office job in marketing.**
- ☐ **B She used savings to change her life.**
- ☐ **C She was new to life in a campervan.**
- ☐ **D She has travelled with her friends.**

**25 What pleases Emma the most about life on the road?  
(1 mark)**

- ☐ **A The quality of her work has improved.**
- ☐ **B She finds really cheap places to stay.**
- ☐ **C The experiences she has are exciting.**
- ☐ **D She does not mind being on her own.**

**(Total for Questions 21–25 = 5 marks)**

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**TOTAL FOR PART 2 = 15 MARKS**

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## Part 3

**Read the article ‘In Search of Green Spaces’ by Colin Drury in the Insert Booklet, Part 3, pages 10–12 and answer Questions 26–45.**

### Questions 26–30

**Read the statements below. Decide whether they are TRUE, FALSE or NOT GIVEN according to the text.**

**Mark a cross ☐ for the correct answer. If you change your mind about an answer, put a line through the box ☒ and then mark your new answer with a cross ☐.**

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TRUE FALSE NOT  
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26 The project in Dexley is one of many similar projects completed to date.  
(1 mark)

☐ ☐ ☐

27 Colin Drury is unhappy with changes that have occurred over the last two decades.  
(1 mark)

☐ ☐ ☐

28 Green space is now a major consideration in new developments.  
(1 mark)

☐ ☐ ☐

29 A national survey has recorded people’s opinions about green spaces.  
(1 mark)

☐ ☐ ☐

30 Colin believes that enough thought is currently given to the location of new green spaces.  
(1 mark)

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(Total for Questions 26–30 = 5 marks)

## Questions 31–40

**Complete the following sentences using no more than THREE words that must be taken from one point in the text.**

**31** Dexley council is hoping to attract more \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ after changes to  
the town centre.  
(1 mark)

**32** The new park in Dexley will include a \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ where families  
can eat together.  
(1 mark)

**33** In Farwell, a new project will have \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ and green space.  
(1 mark)

- 34 Experts think that \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ should not be allowed  
on existing green spaces.  
(1 mark)
- 35 The park in Dexley will lie between a \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ and a commercial area.  
(1 mark)
- 36 In recent times, \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ have closed their outlets  
in Dexley town centre.  
(1 mark)
- 37 Other struggling towns and cities might \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ the Dexley project.  
(1 mark)



38 There is a lack of \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, which makes it  
difficult to look after the parks we already have.  
(1 mark)

39 By offering people usable green spaces, money spent  
on future \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ could be reduced.  
(1 mark)

40 Some people are more likely to be able to \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
to a park than others.  
(1 mark)

**(Total for Questions 31–40 = 10 marks)**

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## Questions 41–45

Look at the list of words for Questions 41–45 in the Insert Booklet. Complete this summary of the text using words in the Insert Booklet. Each word may be used once or not used at all.

We now seem to be entering a period of time where people's attitudes towards green spaces are changing.

There are (41) \_\_\_\_\_ taking place in many towns and cities about how developers can create more of them. According to Colin Drury, we also need to think about our existing green spaces and how they can be (42) \_\_\_\_\_. In addition, consideration needs to be given to the (43) \_\_\_\_\_ of new green spaces. In this way, more people will use them, which means better (44) \_\_\_\_\_ and fewer issues in later life. Colin is (45) \_\_\_\_\_ that the changes we are making now will continue into the future.

(Total for Questions 41–45 = 5 marks)

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**TOTAL FOR PART 3 = 20 MARKS**  
**TOTAL FOR READING = 45 MARKS**

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## WRITING

**Answer ALL questions in this section.  
Write your answers in the spaces provided.**

### Part 4

**You want to go to the cinema to watch a film. Write an email to your friend about it.**

**In your email you MUST:**

- **write about which film you would like to see**
- **state why you want to see the film**
- **invite your friend to watch the film with you.**

**You MUST write between 75 and 100 words only.  
(10 marks)**

**Answer space continues on the next 4 pages.**

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## Part 5

**You have been asked to write an article for the school magazine about the benefits of shopping online and the benefits of visiting a shopping centre to go shopping.**

**In your article you MUST:**

- **give TWO benefits of shopping online**
- **give TWO benefits of visiting a shopping centre to go shopping**
- **state which option you prefer and why.**

**You MUST write between 100 and 150 words only.  
(20 marks)**

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**TOTAL FOR PART 5 = 20 MARKS**

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## Part 6

You are doing a project for your teacher on how to have a more environmentally-friendly holiday. Read the text in the **Insert Booklet, Part 6, pages 14–15** and write a summary for your teacher.

In your summary you **MUST**:

- give **TWO** changes you can make when preparing to go on holiday
- give **THREE** changes you can make whilst you are on holiday
- give **YOUR PREDICTIONS** on whether individuals will start to make their holidays more environmentally friendly.

You **MUST** write between **100 and 150 words only**.

You **MUST** use your own words where possible.

(25 marks)

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**TOTAL FOR PART 6 = 25 MARKS**  
**TOTAL FOR WRITING = 55 MARKS**  
**TOTAL FOR PAPER = 100 MARKS**  
**END OF PAPER**