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Level 2 (601/4949/8)
Listening Examination
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CANDIDATE INSTRUCTIONS:

- Listen to the recording and answer the questions.
- You will hear each part of the recording twice.
- There will be a pause before each part so you can read the questions.
- There will be other pauses to let you think about your answers.
- When you hear the tone you should write your answers on the question paper.
- Write clearly in the spaces provided.

You must ask any questions now as you cannot speak during the test.

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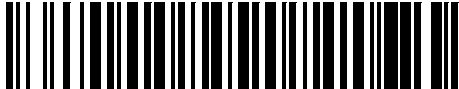
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Section L1 (20 marks)

You will hear a museum guide welcoming tourists to the Regent's Canal. For questions one to five, listen to the recording and tick (✓) the correct box. For questions six to ten, fill in the missing information.

1. What is the length of the canal?

- A under 8 kilometres
- B nearly 26 kilometres
- C about 13 ½ kilometres

2. The canal was named after

- A King George the fourth.
- B John Nash, the architect.
- C Regent's Park, which it passes.

3. Nowadays there are no canal boat trips to

- A Liverpool.
- B London Zoo.
- C Little Venice.

4. The barges were usually pulled by

- A shire horses.
- B pit-ponies.
- C donkeys.

5. The mitre gates of the canal locks were invented in

- A China.
- B Italy.
- C England.

6. The canal has in total.

7. The canal was constructed between

8. Construction stopped temporarily because of

9. Ice Wharf is a modern overlooking the canal.

10. Mobile phones, a bicycle wheel and a rusty were found when the canal was emptied of water.



Section L2 (20 marks)

You are going to hear five speakers talking about a recent holiday. For questions one to ten, choose the correct answer, A, B or C.

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Speaker One

1. The beaches were

A	windswept.	
B	beautiful.	
C	empty.	

2. How did he feel about the holiday?

A	dissatisfied with the hotel staff	
B	disappointed with himself	
C	ready to write a positive review	

Speaker Two

3. At the airport the speaker felt

A	surprisingly calm.	
B	extremely angry.	
C	unnecessarily anxious.	

4. What annoyed her?

A	her husband's mistake	
B	a baggage delay	
C	a woman on the plane	

Speaker Three

5. The speaker chose a

A	well-known destination.	
B	remote location.	
C	high-end resort.	

6. What does the speaker recommend?

A	staying with a local family	
B	going on a boat tour	
C	using a cheap hotel	

Speaker Four

7. What was the holiday apartment like?

A	easy to find	
B	difficult to access	
C	unsafe to use	

8. Where did they usually eat?

A	at a nearby hotel	
B	in local restaurants	
C	on the balcony	

Speaker Five

9. What went wrong when they arrived?

A	The car park was full.	
B	The lift didn't work.	
C	Check-in was slow.	

10. What does the speaker say is memorable?

A	the hotel's 5-star amenities	
B	the fantastic first impression	
C	the helpful hotel manager	



Section L3 (10 marks)

You are going to listen to part of an interview with Claire Bailey, a dog walker. Answer all the questions below by marking the correct box with a tick (✓).

1. What benefit does Claire get from her job?

- A She controls her working hours.
- B Her social life has improved.
- C She no longer suffers from stress.

2. Why did her family buy her a dog?

- A to encourage her to leave the house
- B to protect her in her home
- C to keep her company

3. Claire decided to become a dog walker after

- A being made redundant.
- B observing other people's behaviour.
- C receiving medical advice from the doctor.

4. Claire's worst experience of dog walking was when

- A one of the dogs was injured.
- B the dogs had a terrible fight.
- C she lost one of the dogs.

5. What gives Claire an edge over the competition?

- A Her fees are relatively low.
- B She caters for old or unfit dogs.
- C She sometimes provides 24-hour care.

