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# **ACTUAL TEST**

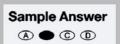
#### LISTENING TEST

In the Listening test, you will be asked to demonstrate how well you understand spoken English. The entire Listening test will last approximately 45 minutes. There are four parts, and directions are given for each part. You must mark your answers on the separate answer sheet. Do not write your answers in the test book.

#### PART 1

**Directions:** For each question in this part, you will hear four statements about a picture in your test book. When you hear the statements, you must select the one statement that best describes what you see in the picture. Then find the number of the question on your answer sheet and mark your answer. The statements will not be printed in your test book and will be spoken only one time.

#### **Example**

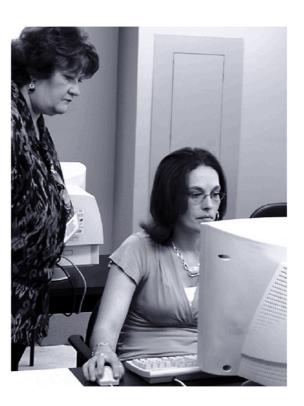




Statement (B), "He's making a presentation," is the best description of the picture, so you should select answer (B) and mark it on your answer sheet.



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#### PART 2

**Directions:** You will hear a question or statement and three responses spoken in English. They will not be printed in your test book and will be spoken only one time. Select the best response to the question or statement and mark the letter (A), (B), or (C) on your answer sheet.

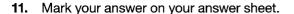
#### **Example**

You will hear: You will also hear: Where is the meeting room? (A) To meet the new director.

(B) It's the first room on the right

(C) Yes, it's 2 o'clock.

The best response to the question "Where is the meeting room?" is choice (B), "It's the first room on the right." So (B) is the correct answer. You should mark answer (B) on your answer sheet.



12. Mark your answer on your answer sheet.

13. Mark your answer on your answer sheet.

**14.** Mark your answer on your answer sheet.

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**18.** Mark your answer on your answer sheet.

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**34.** Mark your answer on your answer sheet.

**35.** Mark your answer on your answer sheet.

36. Mark your answer on your answer sheet.

37. Mark your answer on your answer sheet.

38. Mark your answer on your answer sheet.

39. Mark your answer on your answer sheet.

**40.** Mark your answer on your answer sheet.

Directions: You will hear some conversations between two people. You will be asked to answer three questions about what the speakers say in each conversation. Select the best response to each question and mark the letter (A), (B), (C), or (D) on your answer sheet. The

#### 41. Why is the man calling?

- (A) To check an order
- (B) To inquire about a service
- (C) To arrange a meeting
- (D) To reschedule an appointment

#### **42.** Who most likely is the woman?

- (A) A receptionist
- (B) A dentist
- (C) A restaurant manager
- (D) A sales representative

#### 43. What does the woman offer to do for the man?

- (A) Call him in the morning
- (B) Check her schedule
- (C) Talk to Mr. Forbes
- (D) Recommend another dentist

#### **44.** What are the speakers mainly discussing?

- (A) An office meeting
- (B) A way to travel to work
- (C) A new bus schedule
- (D) A problem with a vehicle

#### 45. What did the speakers agree to do?

- (A) Make some repairs
- (B) Contact some clients
- (C) Take a bus together
- (D) Reschedule a meeting

#### **46.** When will the speakers meet?

- (A) At 7:00 a.m.
- (B) At 7:30 a.m.
- (C) At 8:20 a.m.
- (D) At 8:30 a.m.

# **47.** Why did Joanne request that the meeting time be changed?

- (A) She is conducting a survey.
- (B) She has been meeting clients.
- (C) Delivery of some data was delayed.
- (D) A conference room was not available.

# **48.** When will the meeting most likely take place?

- (A) On Friday morning
- (B) On Friday afternoon
- (C) On Thursday morning
- (D) On Thursday afternoon

#### **49.** What will the man most likely do next?

- (A) Reserve a meeting room
- (B) Prepare a project proposal
- (C) Look for a research report
- (D) Try to get in touch with Joanne

# **50.** What does the woman want to know about the MP3 player?

- (A) How durable it is
- (B) Which earphones it comes with
- (C) How much it costs
- (D) What features it includes

# **51.** What is the woman entitled to when she buys the MP3 player?

- (A) A discount on a product
- (B) An extended warranty
- (C) A complimentary product
- (D) A store gift voucher

## **52.** What will the woman probably do next?

- (A) Listen to some music
- (B) Try another store
- (C) Exchange a product
- (D) Look at some products

#### **53.** Where are the speakers?

- (A) In a department store
- (B) In a dry cleaner's
- (C) In a hotel
- (D) In a hospital

#### 54. What did the woman ask about?

- (A) Attending a lecture
- (B) Directions to a venue
- (C) Reserving a room
- (D) Cleaning some clothing

#### **55.** When is the medical conference?

- (A) On Sunday
- (B) On Monday
- (C) On Tuesday
- (D) On Wednesday

#### 56. Why does the man call the woman?

- (A) To invite her to a banquet
- (B) To ask for some feedback
- (C) To offer his assistance
- (D) To inquire about an event

#### **57.** What does the woman offer to do?

- (A) Give a speech
- (B) Book a venue
- (C) Deliver a document
- (D) Pick up a coworker

# **58.** What does the woman suggest the man do?

- (A) Arrive at an event early
- (B) Practice his speech
- (C) Make additional copies
- (D) Have some water to hand

#### **59.** What does the man want to do?

- (A) Learn to drive
- (B) Change his job
- (C) Rent an apartment
- (D) Sell his house

#### 60. What does the man say about Ward Road?

- (A) His office is there.
- (B) It is an expensive area.
- (C) It is a busy neighborhood.
- (D) It has good access to public transport.

#### **61.** What will the woman probably do next?

- (A) Take a taxi
- (B) Check computer listings
- (C) Sign a lease
- (D) Schedule a meeting

#### **62.** Where most likely are the speakers?

- (A) At a post office
- (B) At a bus terminal
- (C) At a gift store
- (D) At a product demonstration

#### **63.** What does the woman suggest?

- (A) Choosing a different destination
- (B) Shipping an alternative item
- (C) Selecting a different departure time
- (D) Sending a package by express mail

#### **64.** Why does the woman recommend the Solid Gold service?

- (A) The price is cheaper.
- (B) The delivery is quicker.
- (C) It insures items against breakages.
- (D) It allows larger items to be delivered.

#### 65. Which department needs a new manager?

- (A) Human Resources
- (B) Technical Support
- (C) Accounting
- (D) Advertising

#### 66. What qualification does the man mention?

- (A) The ability to work alone
- (B) Good interpersonal skills
- (C) Management experience
- (D) An academic qualification

#### **67.** What does the woman offer to do?

- (A) Contact a potential candidate
- (B) Transfer to a different department
- (C) Advertise a job online
- (D) Reschedule an interview

#### **68.** What are the speakers discussing?

- (A) A product demonstration
- (B) An upcoming meeting
- (C) A business proposal
- (D) A market competitor

#### **69.** What did Mr. Morris request?

- (A) Less workload
- (B) A bigger budget
- (C) Lower prices
- (D) More time

#### 70. What will the speakers do next?

- (A) Reschedule a meeting
- (B) Change an order
- (C) Email a document
- (D) Contact a contractor

**Directions:** You will hear some short talks given by a single speaker. You will be asked to answer three questions about what the speaker says in each short talk. Select the best response to each question and mark the letter (A), (B), (C), or (D) on your answer sheet. The talks will not be printed in your test book and will be spoken only one time.

#### 71. Who is the speaker?

- (A) A technician
- (B) A factory worker
- (C) A salesperson
- (D) A repairman

#### 72. What is the problem?

- (A) An item is unavailable.
- (B) A payment was incorrect.
- (C) A device was damaged.
- (D) The wrong item was shipped.

# 73. What does the caller need to know from Ms. Jones?

- (A) Which model she wants
- (B) When she will return to the office
- (C) What quantity of items she wants
- (D) Her contact information

# **74.** What is mentioned about the Arlington Conference Center?

- (A) It offers spacious parking.
- (B) It is located near a bus station.
- (C) It has been recently renovated.
- (D) It is well served by public transportation.

## **75.** What does the speaker say the center can accommodate?

- (A) Computer-based presentations
- (B) Small groups of people
- (C) Live musical performances
- (D) Catering for corporate events

# **76.** According to the speaker, what is available on the website?

- (A) Directions to the ACC
- (B) Information about prices
- (C) Conference schedules
- (D) Business hours

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#### 77. According to the speaker, what did Elliot ask about?

- (A) Assistance with a presentation
- (B) Transportation to a conference
- (C) An event schedule
- (D) Meeting for lunch

#### **78.** Why is the speaker unable to help?

- (A) He has an appointment.
- (B) He is behind with some work.
- (C) His car is being repaired.
- (D) He does not plan to attend.

#### **79.** What does the speaker offer to do?

- (A) Send some documents
- (B) Reschedule a meeting
- (C) Leave earlier
- (D) Talk to a colleague

#### **80.** What type of business is being advertised?

- (A) An airline
- (B) An online marketing firm
- (C) A travel agency
- (D) A hotel

#### 81. What change has the business made recently?

- (A) It has hired more staff.
- (B) It has added new destinations.
- (C) It has reduced its prices.
- (D) It has extended its business hours.

#### 82. According to the speaker, who will receive a discount this month?

- (A) New customers
- (B) Regular clients
- (C) Full-time employees
- (D) Competition winners

#### **83.** Why is the cinema closed today?

- (A) It is being renovated.
- (B) Some equipment has broken down.
- (C) Its screen is being replaced.
- (D) It is hosting a special event.

#### 84. What event is scheduled for the evening?

- (A) A movie premiere
- (B) A job interview session
- (C) A tour of the building
- (D) A film-making seminar

#### 85. How can the listeners sign up for the event?

- (A) By arriving at 3 p.m.
- (B) By leaving a telephone message

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- (C) By completing a form
- (D) By emailing a speaker

#### 86. What is being announced?

- (A) A new safety procedure
- (B) A new advertising campaign
- (C) A conference location
- (D) A change in software

#### 87. What will happen on Friday?

- (A) Staff will be trained.
- (B) New computers will arrive.
- (C) A project will begin.
- (D) Applicants will be interviewed.

#### 88. What are the listeners to do by the end of the day?

- (A) Back up their computer files
- (B) Sign up for a workshop
- (C) Submit expense reports
- (D) Call the technical department

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#### **READING TEST**

In the Reading test, you will read a variety of texts and answer several different types of reading comprehension questions. The entire Reading test will last 75 minutes. There are three parts, and directions are given for each part. You are encouraged to answer as many questions as possible within the time allowed.

You must mark your answers on the separate answer sheet. Do not write your answers in your test book.

#### PART 5

**Directions:** A word or phrase is missing in each of the sentences below. Four answer choices are given below each sentence. Select the best answer to complete the sentence. Then mark the letter (A), (B), (C), or (D) on your answer sheet.

- **101.** Please report to the conference room \_\_\_\_ at 1:00 p.m. as the meeting will start on time.
  - (A) precisely
  - (B) preciseness
  - (C) precise
  - (D) precision
- **102.** The woman reached in the car for \_\_\_\_\_ umbrella when she saw the dark clouds in the sky.
  - (A) she
  - (B) her
  - (C) hers
  - (D) herself
- 103. The \_\_\_\_\_ way to get to the museum is to park at the Vienna station and take the metro into the city.
  - (A) easiest
  - (B) more easily
  - (C) most easily
  - (D) easy

- **104.** I prefer to drink my coffee with \_\_\_\_\_ cream and sugar.
  - (A) every
  - (B) both
  - (C) either
  - (D) whether
- **105.** The doctoral candidate submitted his thesis paper \_\_\_\_\_ the committee for review, hoping it would be approved.
  - (A) to
  - (B) by
  - (C) along
  - (D) on
- **106.** Starting next week, the store will \_\_\_\_\_ at 10:00 p.m. on Saturday nights.
  - (A) to close
  - (B) be closed
  - (C) were closed
  - (D) closing

107.	Come to any JC Perry Department Store this weekend and save 70 percent on selected designer collection apparel.	113.	Having not yet learned all the rules of the game, I am not ready to play chess with my grandfather, who's a master at it.	
	(A) up to (B) except for (C) off of (D) as far as		<ul><li>(A) extremely</li><li>(B) exclusively</li><li>(C) completely</li><li>(D) continually</li></ul>	
108.	Please inform the caterer if you have any allergies special dietary needs.  (A) so	114.	All new employees should pass the state qualification exam 90 days of their hire date.	
	(B) nor (C) and (D) or		(A) within (B) under (C) on (D) by	
109.	PNN Business Network delivers 24-hour real-time business news the globe.  (A) across (B) during	115.	Although my impression of Mr. Parton was not great by any stretch, he turned out to be quite a capable manager after all.	
110.	(C) onto (D) next  his bad mood, Alanzo put on a smile when he realized that his wife		<ul><li>(A) forward</li><li>(B) ahead</li><li>(C) initial</li><li>(D) present</li></ul>	
	had organized a surprise party for him.  (A) Despite (B) Unless (C) In order to (D) As well as	116.	Even though the actress is the spokesperson for the skin cream product, that does not mean that she uses it on a daily basis.  (A) barely	
111.	sales have resulted in the company closing three of its stores.		(B) gradually (C) necessarily (D) hardly	
	<ul><li>(A) Declining</li><li>(B) Rejected</li><li>(C) Potential</li><li>(D) Uplifting</li></ul>			

112. Our \_\_\_\_\_ show that you did not

for your car loan.

(A) states (B) marks (C) points (D) records

submit all of the paperwork required

**Directions:** Read the texts that follow. A word or phrase is missing in some of the sentences. Four answer choices are given below each of the sentences. Select the best answer to complete the sentence. Then mark the letter (A), (B), (C), or (D) on your answer sheet.

Questions 141-143 refer to the following email.

From: Sarah Price Sent: Wednesday, April 2 To: All employees Subject: Holiday Schedule Dear employees, This memo is written to inform you of the \_\_\_\_\_ in which employees may request holiday time **141.** (A) ordered (B) orders (C) order (D) ordering off. All managers receive priority over claiming vacation days over the holidays, followed by support staff. Please be aware \_\_\_\_ only 20 employees may take a vacation on any given 142. (A) about (B) them (C) that (D) around day. First-priority employees must submit vacation \_\_\_\_\_ by December 1st, and all remaining staff 143. (A) transfers (B) requests (C) positions (D) deposits by December 5th. Thank you for your patience as we strive to meet everyone's needs. Sincerely, Sarah Price

**Human Resources** 

Dear Ms. Berger,

Upon receipt of your email this morning, we \_\_\_\_\_ the dates of your reservation.

144. (A) modified

- (B) followed
- (C) revoked
- (D) asked

When it comes to the space, two options are currently available. You may choose the grand room located in the north end of the restaurant. \_\_\_\_\_, you and your company can

145. (A) For example

- (B) Alternatively
- (C) Since then
- (D) Accordingly

take over the dinning hall area right next to the main kitchen.

Please let us know your preference. We \_\_\_\_\_ your business with us.

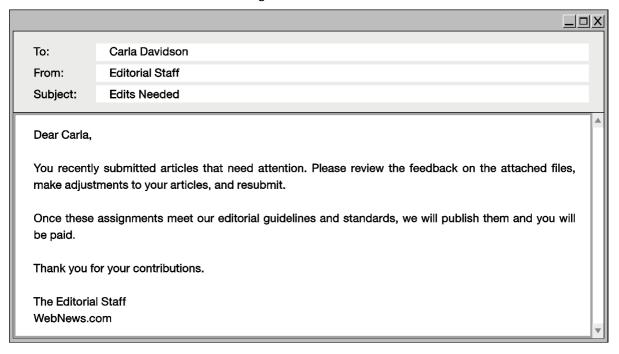
**146.** (A) appreciated

- (B) have appreciated
- (C) are appreciating
- (D) appreciate

Marco's Fine Mexican Cuisine

**Directions:** In this part you will read a selection of texts, such as magazine and newspaper articles, letters, and advertisements. Each text is followed by several questions. Select the best answer for each question and mark the letter (A), (B), (C), or (D) on your answer sheet.

Questions 153-154 refer to the following email.



#### 153. What is Carla directed to do?

- (A) Reapply for the position in the future
- (B) Submit a new article for publication
- (C) Return revised work
- (D) Reply to the email

#### 154. What is probably Carla's occupation?

- (A) A newspaper editor
- (B) A reporter
- (C) A publisher
- (D) A bookkeeper

#### African American Theater Club Seeking New Members

The African American Theater Club (AATC) was created in 1995 to provide an outlet for Black expression through the study and production of plays written by and about African Americans, to fill a perceived void in the College's Theater Department, and to help recruit and retain students of color.

AATC produces several shows during the year, this year including *Uncle Tom's Cabin* and *The Color Purple*. The organization also collaborates with other campus arts organizations to provide creative outlets during the Traditional Kwanzaa Celebration.

#### 155. What is the AATC?

- (A) An organization for new migrants
- (B) A group that supports stage works
- (C) A theater group for senior citizens in a minority community
- (D) A club for professional and experienced thespians

# **156.** What can be inferred of *The Color Purple*?

- (A) It is a book written by a man.
- (B) It is a play featuring ethnic characters.
- (C) It is an element of the rainbow.
- (D) It is a document supporting civil rights.



#### **CarryltAll Hydration System**

Designed with the hiker in mind, this fill-and-carry hydration-system-and-backpack-combo will meet all your hiking needs. There is room to hold all the water you need for a full-day hike with an attached drinking tube as well as storage room for all your gear, including 2 large and 5 small

compartments.

- Water Capacity: 100 ounces
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- Storage Compartments: 7
- Other Features: weight-distributing belt, 100-pound rated zippers, waterproof media storage pocket, helmet clip
- Product Warranty: lifetime on all parts

# **157.** What benefit to purchasing the product is hinted?

- (A) The system will last for a long time.
- (B) Hikers will no longer faint from dehydration.
- (C) You won't lose your keys in the special key pocket.
- (D) The entire bag is waterproof, keeping items safe.

# **158.** What is NOT a feature of the item described?

- (A) It is designed to dole out carried weight.
- (B) Its chucks can withstand a lot of water.
- (C) It can carry a day's worth of water.
- (D) It preserves food warm and fresh.

# **159.** What item is the product designed to carry?

- (A) Head protection
- (B) Hand-weights
- (C) Walking stick
- (D) 200 pounds