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Higher Tier Paper 1 Listening

Monday 2 June 2025

Morning

Time allowed: 45 minutes approximately
(including 5 minutes' reading time before the test)

You will need no other materials.

The pauses are pre-recorded for this test.

Instructions

- You must **not** use a dictionary.
- Use black ink or black ball-point pen.
- Fill in the boxes at the top of this page.
- **Do not open this book until you are told to do so.**
- This is what you should do for each item.
- After the question number is announced, there will be a pause to allow you to read the instructions and questions.
- Listen carefully to the recording and read the questions again.
- Listen to the recording again, and then answer the questions.
- When the next question is about to start you will hear a bleep like this (*).
- You may write at any time during the test.
- In **Section A**, answer the questions in **English**. In **Section B**, answer the questions in **Italian**.
- You must answer **all** the questions in the spaces provided. Do **not** write outside the box around each page or on blank pages.
- Write neatly and put down **all** the information you are asked to give.
- **Ask any questions now. You must not ask questions or interrupt during the test.**
- You now have five minutes to read through the question paper. You may make notes during this time. You may open your answer book now.
- **The test starts now.**

Information

- The marks for questions are shown in brackets.
- The maximum mark for this paper is 50.
- If you need extra space for your answer(s), use the lined pages at the end of this book. Write the question number against your answer(s).

For Examiner's Use	
Pages	Mark
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8–9	
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12–13	
14–15	
16–17	
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Section AQuestions and answers in **English**Answer **all** questions in the spaces provided.**Jobs**

Listen to this radio show.

Complete the tables in **English**.**0 1**According to Nino, write **one** advantage and **one** disadvantage of his job.

Advantage	Disadvantage

[2 marks]**0 2**According to Sofia, write **one** advantage and **one** disadvantage of her job.

Advantage	Disadvantage

[2 marks]

0 3

Environment

Your Italian friend, Laura, is talking to her parents.

What does each person want to do?

Write the correct letter in each box.

A	Avoid using their car
B	Continue using their car
C	Live far from the city
D	Save money on fuel
E	Use public transport

0 3 . 1

Laura

[1 mark]

0 3 . 2

Laura's mum

[1 mark]

0 3 . 3

Laura's dad

[1 mark]

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0 4

Holidays

Your Italian friend, Marco, sends you a voice message.

What does Marco say about his holiday activities?

Complete the table in **English**.

Past activity	Current activity	Future activity
He arrived late.		

[2 marks]

Directions

Isabella gets lost going to Juliet's balcony in Verona.

A passer-by gives her some directions.

Write the correct letter in each box.

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Isabella should turn right after the...

A	church.
B	river.
C	town hall.

[1 mark]

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What will Isabella have to do to see the balcony?

A	Pay an entrance fee
B	Visit on another day
C	Walk around the outside

[1 mark]

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News

Listen to three short news items.

What is each item about?

Write the correct letters in the boxes.

A	Animal mischief
B	Disruption to travel
C	Heatwave in northern Italy
D	Luxury cars
E	Risk of damage to homes
F	Traffic in Rome
G	Workers demand more money

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[3 marks]

Technology

Laura is talking to her parents about artificial intelligence.

Answer the questions in **English**.

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How has artificial intelligence helped Laura?

[1 mark]

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What **exactly** is Laura's homework about?

[1 mark]

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How did artificial intelligence help her?

[1 mark]

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Why is Laura unlikely to use artificial intelligence to do her homework for her in future?

[1 mark]

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Venice

Listen to the introduction to Giulia's podcast about Venice.

Complete the sentences in **English**.

1 1

Giulia arrived in Venice _____ .
[1 mark]

1 2

She thinks the problem with Venice is _____ .
[1 mark]

1 3

Tomorrow Giulia will _____ .
[1 mark]

Holidays

Four young people are talking about their holidays.

What is each person's opinion of their holiday?

Write **P** if the opinion is **positive**.

N if the opinion is **negative**.

P + N if the opinion is **positive** and **negative**.

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Fabio [1 mark]

1 5

Rossella [1 mark]

1 6

Mario [1 mark]

1 7

Carla [1 mark]



1 8**Relationships**

You are listening to a radio phone-in.

Answer the questions in **English**.

1 8**. 1**

Why is Davide feeling low? Give **two** details.

[2 marks]

1 _____

2 _____

1 8**. 2**

How has he tried to resolve the problem?

[1 mark]

1 8**. 3**

What is Davide likely to do next?

[1 mark]

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Environment

Listen to the news item about organic food.

Write **one** advantage and **one** disadvantage for **consumers**.

Complete the table in **English**.

Advantage	Disadvantage

[2 marks]

2 0**A festival**

You hear a conversation between two people.

What did Enrico do?

Write the correct letter in each box.

A	ate a meat dish with oranges.
B	took part in a food fight.
C	travelled to an Italian festival.
D	was too tired to do anything.
E	went orange picking.

2 0 . 1

On Saturday he...

[1 mark]**2 0 . 2**

On Sunday morning he...

[1 mark]**2 0 . 3**

On Sunday afternoon he...

[1 mark]**5**

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Problems at school

Three people give advice about bullying.

What's their advice?

Write the correct letter in the box.

A	Don't be afraid of the bully.
B	Don't blame yourself.
C	Don't fight back.
D	Don't speak to the bully.
E	Don't suffer in silence.

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Marco

[1 mark]

2	2
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Noemi

[1 mark]

2	3
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Luciano

[1 mark]



2 4**Free time**

Listen to this news item about a tournament.

Answer the following questions in **English**.

2 4**1**

Why is Harry Potter mentioned?

[1 mark]

2 4**2**

What is unusual about tonight's game? Give **two** details.

[2 marks]

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Section BQuestions and answers in **Italian**Answer **all** questions in the spaces provided.**2 5****Un festival di musica**

Mariella e Sara hanno visto il festival di Sanremo in TV.

Che cosa **gli è piaciuto** di più del Festival?

Scrivi la lettera giusta in ogni casella.

A	Una canzone divertente
B	Un costume
C	Un messaggio serio
D	Un musicista

2 5 . 1

Sara

[1 mark]**2 5 . 2**

Mariella

[1 mark]

2 6**Progetti futuri**

Luca parla con una professoressa di cosa lui e il suo amico Vincenzo vogliono fare dopo gli esami.

Scrivi la lettera giusta in ogni casella.

2 6 . 1

Luca...

A	farà un mese di vacanza.
B	non andrà all'università quest'anno.
C	vuole studiare all'estero.

[1 mark]**2 6 . 2**

Il suo amico Vincenzo vuole...

A	fare esperienza in cucina.
B	laurearsi.
C	visitare un altro paese.

[1 mark]

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2 7**La famiglia nella pubblicità**

La tua amica Lucia ti parla della pubblicità in televisione.

Scrivi la lettera giusta in ogni casella.

2 7**. 1**

Lucia preferisce la pubblicità di un...

A	negozio di giocattoli.
B	prodotto alimentare.
C	telefonino.

[1 mark]**2 7****. 2**

La pubblicità fa vedere...

A	dei parenti che vivono lontano.
B	la vita familiare quotidiana.
C	una famiglia degli anni cinquanta.

[1 mark]

2 8**Una ricetta italiana**

Guarda una ricetta su YouTube.

Rispondi alle domande in **italiano**.

2 8 . 1

Perché questo piatto si prepara velocemente?

[1 mark]

2 8 . 2

Cosa si fa con il formaggio?

[1 mark]

2 8 . 3

Cosa facciamo dopo aver messo il basilico? Scrivi **due** dettagli.

[2 marks]

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