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**Irish**

Unit 3: Listening

Higher Tier



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**WEDNESDAY 4 JUNE, MORNING**

**TIME**

45 minutes (including 5 minutes reading time).

**INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

Write your Centre Number and Candidate Number in the spaces provided at the top of this page.

Write your answers in the spaces provided in this question paper.

Complete in blue or black ink only. **Do not write in pencil or with a gel pen.**

Answer **all nine** questions.

You will have 5 minutes to read through the paper before the CD starts.

**INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES**

The total mark for this paper is 40.

Figures in brackets printed down the right-hand side of pages indicate the marks awarded to each question or part question.

Use of a dictionary is **not** permitted.



Answer **all** questions

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1 You hear an interview after a match. Fill in the spaces with the appropriate letters from the box below.

(a) Seán was playing for his \_\_\_\_\_ . [1]

(b) Seán's team \_\_\_\_\_ the match. [1]

(c) The match was very \_\_\_\_\_ . [1]

(d) Seán \_\_\_\_\_ the supporters. [1]

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| <b>A</b> criticised | <b>B</b> rough | <b>C</b> drew    |
| <b>D</b> county     | <b>E</b> lost  | <b>F</b> won     |
| <b>G</b> club       | <b>H</b> close | <b>I</b> thanked |

Total Question 1



2 You hear the Irish teacher talking to his pupils. Answer in **English** the questions which follow.

(a) What type of event will take place in “Seachtain na Gaeilge”?

\_\_\_\_\_ [1]

(b) At what time of the day will the event take place?

\_\_\_\_\_ [1]

(c) Who should you contact for more information?

\_\_\_\_\_ [1]

(d) What will take place in the town?

\_\_\_\_\_ [1]

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Total Question 2

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**5** Liam talks about his holidays.

Tick (✓) the correct box.

**(a) (i)** Liam enjoyed his holidays.

**(ii)** Liam was sad on holidays.

**(iii)** Liam doesn't like holidays.

[1]

**(b) (i)** Liam usually holidays in Italy.

**(ii)** This was Liam's first holiday in Italy.

**(iii)** Liam was homesick in Italy.

[1]

**(c) (i)** The food was good but expensive.

**(ii)** The food was good and included in the price.

**(iii)** The food was not good and was expensive.

[1]

**(d) (i)** There was a lot to do during the day.

**(ii)** There was a lot to do at night.

**(iii)** There was a lot to do all the time.

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Total Question 5



6 You hear two friends discussing future plans. Answer in **English** the questions which follow.

(a) What career would Eoin like in the future?

\_\_\_\_\_ [1]

(b) How does Úna describe the work Eoin intends to do?

\_\_\_\_\_ [1]

(c) What would Úna like to achieve?

\_\_\_\_\_ [1]

(d) What would Úna like to do after her studies?

\_\_\_\_\_ [1]

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7 You hear two young people taking part in a survey about city life and country life. Write answers **in English** in the spaces below.

(a) Ciara's opinions on living in the city.

| Advantage | Disadvantage |
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(b) Tomás's opinions on living in the country.

| Advantage | Disadvantage |
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8 You hear a radio interview about problems young people have. Answer in **English** the questions which follow.

(a) According to Caoimhín what are young people under pressure to achieve?

\_\_\_\_\_ [1]

(b) What does Nóra think young people need?

\_\_\_\_\_ [1]

(c) What does Eoin think influences young people's behaviour?

\_\_\_\_\_ [1]

(d) What is the biggest problem young people have, according to Róisín?

\_\_\_\_\_ [1]

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9 You hear Pólín talking about her hobby. Answer **in English** the questions which follow.

(a) Where does Pólín go walking?

\_\_\_\_\_ [1]

(b) What **two** things does Pólín like about walking?

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ [2]

(c) According to Pólín, why is it better to be with other people when out walking?

\_\_\_\_\_ [1]

(d) What **two** things should Pádraig buy?

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ [2]

(e) What **two** things should you always do before setting out?

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ [2]

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