



General Certificate of Secondary Education  
2017

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# Irish

Unit 3: Listening  
Foundation Tier



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**THURSDAY 11 MAY, MORNING**

## TIME

35 minutes approx. (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.

**You must answer the questions in the spaces provided.**

**Do not write outside the boxed area on each page or on blank pages.**

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

Answer **all thirteen** questions.

You will have 5 minutes to read through the paper after 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.

1 Ciara talks about her family.

Fill in the gaps **in English**.

(a) There are \_\_\_\_\_ people in Ciara's family. [1]

(b) Ciara would like a \_\_\_\_\_ . [1]

2 Dónall talks about his favourite sport.

Answer the following questions **in English**.

(a) What sport does Dónall like?  
\_\_\_\_\_ [1]

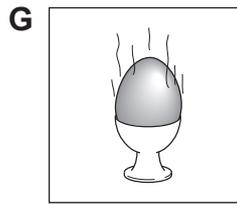
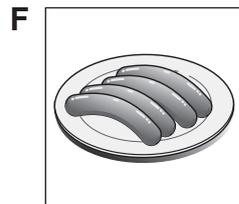
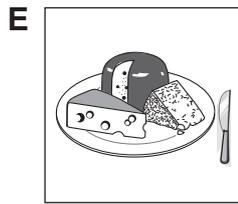
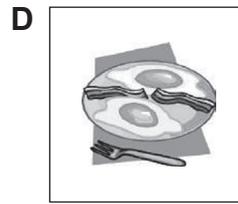
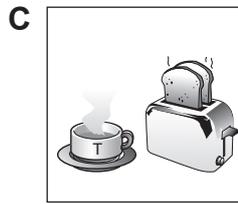
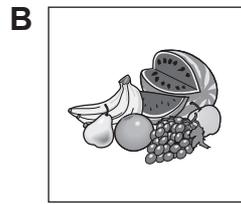
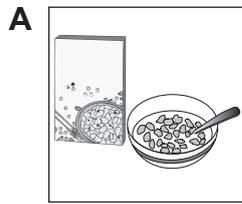
(b) What night does he play sport?  
\_\_\_\_\_ [1]

(c) Who does Dónall play sport with?  
\_\_\_\_\_ [1]



3 You hear pupils talking about what they ate for breakfast.

Write the correct letter in the box beside each name.



(a)	Máire		[1]
(b)	Liam		[1]
(c)	Pádraigín		[1]



4 You hear some announcements in a train station.

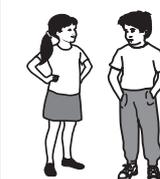
Tick (✓) the correct box.

(a) At what time does the train to Dublin leave?

(i)	(ii)	(iii)
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(b) What should passengers not leave on the platform?

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5 Róisín talks about her birthday.

Answer the following questions **in English**.

(a) What is the date of Róisín's birthday?

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

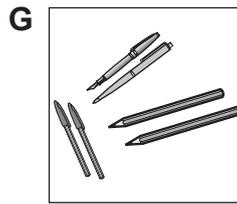
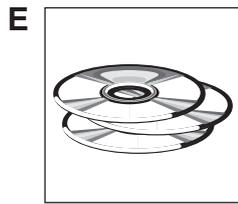
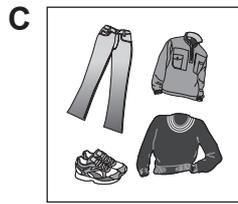
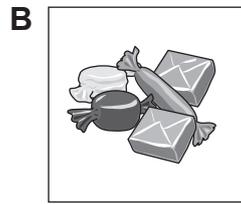
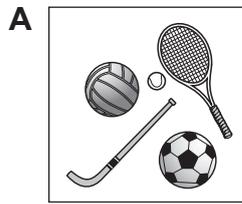
(b) What does Róisín's mother buy her every year for her birthday?

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



6 You hear pupils talking about what they buy with their money.

Write the correct letter in the box beside each name.



(a)	Nuala		[1]
(b)	Liam		[1]
(c)	Sile		[1]



7 Two friends talk about their areas.

What is the main problem in each area?

Fill in the boxes with the appropriate letter from the list of problems below.

- A noise
- B litter
- C traffic
- D vandalism
- E unemployment

(a) Eoghan lives in Lurgan and the main problem is  [1]

(b) Caitríona lives in Belfast and the main problem is  [1]

8 You hear a conversation in a hotel.

Fill in the gaps **in English**.

(a) The man is looking for the \_\_\_\_\_ . [1]

(b) The man has to buy a \_\_\_\_\_ . [1]

(c) The item costs \_\_\_\_\_ . [1]



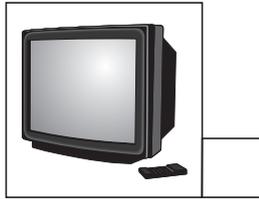
9 Three friends talk about their weekend.

What did each person do?

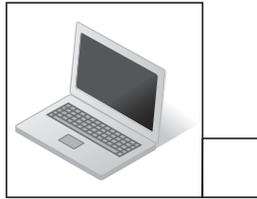
Tick (✓) the correct box.

(a) Nóra

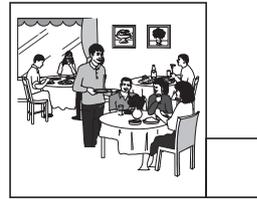
(i)



(ii)



(iii)



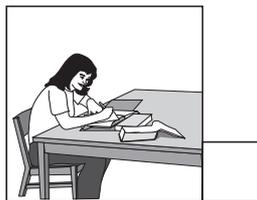
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(b) Áine

(i)



(ii)



(iii)



[1]

(c) Úna

(i)



(ii)



(iii)



[1]



10 You hear a Home Economics teacher talking.

Tick (✓) the correct box.

(a) (i) The pupils need to get vegetables from the fridge.

(ii) The pupils need to get milk from the fridge.

(iii) The pupils need to get meat from the fridge.

[1]

Tick (✓) the correct box.

(b) (i) The teacher tells the pupils to take care using the oven.

(ii) The teacher tells the pupils to take care using the knife.

(iii) The teacher tells the pupils to take care weighing the food.

[1]

Tick (✓) the correct box.

(c) (i) The pupils should pour a cup of water into the saucepan.

(ii) The pupils should pour a kettle of water into the saucepan.

(iii) The pupils should pour a glass of water into the saucepan.

[1]

Tick (✓) the correct box.

(d) (i) The teacher likes to eat this meal in winter.

(ii) The teacher likes to eat this meal in summer.

(iii) The teacher likes to eat this meal in autumn.

[1]



11 Aoife and her brother discuss plans for Aoife's trip to visit him in Liverpool.

Fill in each of the gaps with the appropriate letter from the boxes.

<b>A</b> plane	<b>B</b> university	<b>C</b> city
<b>D</b> tent	<b>E</b> boat	<b>F</b> accommodation
<b>G</b> hurley stick	<b>H</b> football jersey	<b>I</b> rucksack

(a) Aoife wants to see the \_\_\_\_\_ . [1]

(b) Aoife's brother wants a \_\_\_\_\_ and a \_\_\_\_\_ brought over to him. [2]

(c) Aoife will be travelling by \_\_\_\_\_ . [1]

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12 Lára and Seán discuss university life.

Answer the following questions **in English**.

(a) When did Lára start her university course?

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

(b) What job does Lára want to do?

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

(c) What does Lára like about living in Dublin?

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

(d) Where does Seán hope to be next year?

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



13 Two friends discuss school.

Tick (✓) the boxes beside the **two** sentences which are **true** in section (a).

- (a) (i) Dáithí and Eithne both enjoy school.
- (ii) The school is modern.
- (iii) There are a lot of new teachers.
- (iv) Eithne did very well in her exams.
- (v) Dáithí thinks the teachers are very fair.  [2]

Tick (✓) the boxes beside the **two** sentences which are **true** in section (b).

- (b) (i) Dáithí likes the Headmaster.
- (ii) Dáithí does not like the school uniform.
- (iii) Dáithí does not like sport.
- (iv) Dáithí is proud of the basketball team.
- (v) Dáithí likes all aspects of school life.  [2]

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