

**LISTENING COMPREHENSION**

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.

**Sample Answer****Example**

- (A) They're leaving the room.
- (B) They're turning on the machine.
- (C) They're sitting at the table.
- (D) They're reading the newspaper.

Statement (C), "They're sitting at the table," is the best description of the picture, so you should select answer (C) and mark it on your answer sheet.

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(A) (B) (C) (D)

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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****Sample Answer**

You will hear:           Where is the meeting room?  
 You will also hear:   (A) To meet the new director.  
                                   (B) It's the first room on the right.  
                                   (C) Yes, at two 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.

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**PART 3**

**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 conversations will be spoken only one time and will not be printed in your test book.

41. Who is Mr. Terran?

- (A) An important client.
- (B) Chairman of the board.
- (C) Grace's supervisor.
- (D) Grace's secretary.

42. What might have been Mr. Terran's request?

- (A) He asked Ms. Davis to finish the report.
- (B) He asked the man to call Grace.
- (C) He asked Grace to pick up the client.
- (D) He asked Grace to revise a document.

43. What did Grace do this morning?

- (A) She had a budget meeting.
- (B) She finished the report.
- (C) She picked someone up at the airport.
- (D) She booked a hotel for the client.

44. What time will the presentation start?

- (A) 9:30.
- (B) 9:50.
- (C) 10:00.
- (D) 10:30.

45. Why is Mary late for the presentation?

- (A) She has to pick up her daughter from school.
- (B) She has another important meeting.
- (C) She is preparing the slides.
- (D) There is a traffic jam.

46. Who will be the first person to make a presentation?

- (A) Mary.
  - (B) Julius.
  - (C) Helen.
  - (D) Mark.
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47. What are the speakers mainly talking about?

- (A) The agenda for a meeting.
- (B) Roughly how many people will attend a meeting.
- (C) A training program.
- (D) A deadline.

48. When will the annual meeting be held?

- (A) This Wednesday.
- (B) This Thursday.
- (C) Next Wednesday.
- (D) Next Friday.

49. How long is the training program?

- (A) Three days.
  - (B) Seven days.
  - (C) Two weeks.
  - (D) A month.
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50. What is the woman doing?
- (A) Picking up brochures.
  - (B) Calling for information.
  - (C) Adjusting something.
  - (D) Checking the registration status.
51. Which of the following statements is NOT true about the brochures?
- (A) They should be tri-fold.
  - (B) They should be one color.
  - (C) They should be coated.
  - (D) They should be 11" X 17".
52. Why is there a delay?
- (A) The machine is broken.
  - (B) The layout needs adjusting.
  - (C) They're out of paper.
  - (D) The order was canceled.
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53. Where are the speakers?
- (A) At a supermarket.
  - (B) At a post office.
  - (C) At a clothing store.
  - (D) At a restaurant.
54. Who is the man?
- (A) A receptionist.
  - (B) An usher.
  - (C) A waiter.
  - (D) A chef.
55. What will the man probably do next?
- (A) Pay the bill.
  - (B) Print the coupons.
  - (C) Get two glasses of water.
  - (D) Order a dinner special.
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56. What is the relationship between the speakers?

- (A) Waiter and customer.
- (B) Coworkers.
- (C) Classmates.
- (D) Flight attendant and passenger.

57. Why is the woman working late again?

- (A) She has to finish a report.
- (B) She has to read some files.
- (C) She has to prepare some slides.
- (D) She has to memorize a speech.

58. What will the man do for the woman?

- (A) Meet the clients.
  - (B) Take her to dinner.
  - (C) Buy her some food.
  - (D) Read the files.
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59. Why did the woman make a call to NT&T?

- (A) To place an order.
- (B) To ask for prices.
- (C) To decide on colors.
- (D) To cancel an order.

60. How long does it take for an international shipment?

- (A) By Wednesday.
- (B) One week.
- (C) Less than two weeks.
- (D) More than 14 days.

61. How will the speaker get the quote?

- (A) By email.
  - (B) By phone.
  - (C) By fax.
  - (D) By air mail.
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62. What's the man's occupation?

- (A) An operator.
- (B) A cashier.
- (C) A security guard.
- (D) An editor.

63. Why does the woman want to enter the building?

- (A) To identify someone.
- (B) To fix some equipment.
- (C) To deliver books.
- (D) To meet someone.

64. Which of the following descriptions is NOT true?

- (A) The publishing company is on the 10th floor.
  - (B) Mr. Johnson is the Editor-in-Chief.
  - (C) The woman was stopped because she doesn't have an ID tag on.
  - (D) The woman works in the building.
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65. What are the speakers doing?

- (A) Selling products.
- (B) Having an interview.
- (C) Conducting a meeting.
- (D) Discussing recruiting matters.

66. Which position will be offered?

- (A) Product manager.
- (B) Sales representative.
- (C) Sales manager.
- (D) Sales assistant.

67. Who will likely be hired?

- (A) The man.
  - (B) The woman.
  - (C) The sales manager.
  - (D) They haven't decided.
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68. Who is the man?

- (A) A repair person.
- (B) A travel agent.
- (C) A waiter.
- (D) A hotel clerk.

69. Why is the woman calling?

- (A) To complain about poor room service.
- (B) To check her room bill.
- (C) To ask for laundry service.
- (D) To request maintenance service.

70. What is the problem?

- (A) The TV is not working.
- (B) There is noise from the next room.
- (C) Part of the ceiling is leaking.
- (D) The bathroom's faucet is broken.

**PART 4**

**Directions:** You will hear some talks given by a single speaker. You will be asked to answer three questions about what the speaker says in each 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. Which of the following is true about MAK?

- (A) Ms. Carrie is the president of the company.
- (B) It's an advertising agency.
- (C) It's a magazine.
- (D) The staff meeting is held monthly.

72. What's Ms. Carrie's expertise?

- (A) Advertising strategies.
- (B) Internet marketing.
- (C) Customer relations management.
- (D) Channel management.

73. What will the audience most probably do next?

- (A) End the meeting.
  - (B) Cooperate with Ms. Carrie.
  - (C) Discuss strategies on Internet marketing.
  - (D) Expand the market share.
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74. Who will be interested in the news?

- (A) Drivers heading downtown.
- (B) Drivers heading to the suburbs.
- (C) Demonstrators.
- (D) News reporters.

75. Why is there a traffic delay?

- (A) Because of traffic control.
- (B) Because of a strike.
- (C) Because of a sports event.
- (D) Because of road construction.

76. Which of the following routes does the speaker recommend northbound drivers take?

- (A) Holland Street.
  - (B) Lincoln Avenue.
  - (C) Madison Avenue.
  - (D) ABC Street.
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77. What kind of company is the person calling?

- (A) A travel agency.
- (B) An airline.
- (C) A bank.
- (D) A credit card company.

78. Why is the caller unable to speak to anyone?

- (A) The phone system is out of order.
- (B) It's after business hours.
- (C) The phone number is wrong.
- (D) All the lines are busy.

79. What can callers do if they want to talk to a customer representative who has served them before?

- (A) Call another hotline.
  - (B) Enter the Golden Card number.
  - (C) Enter the staff number.
  - (D) Enter their credit card number.
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80. Where would this announcement most probably be heard?

- (A) In a children's clothing store.
- (B) In a department store.
- (C) In a parking garage.
- (D) In a supermarket.

81. What is the color of the cell phone?

- (A) Brown.
- (B) Silver.
- (C) Black.
- (D) Gold.

82. Where should the owner of lost items go after two days?

- (A) To the Children's Clothing Department.
  - (B) To the Customer Service Center.
  - (C) To the Lost and Found counter.
  - (D) To the 1st floor.
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83. What are the people doing when the talk is given?

- (A) They're watching a movie.
- (B) They're giving presentations.
- (C) They're having a party.
- (D) They're having a meeting.



84. Who arranged the retirement party?

- (A) Ms. Foster.
- (B) The Financial Department.
- (C) The Human Resources Department.
- (D) The Employee Welfare Committee.

85. What will the people probably do after listening to the talk?

- (A) Email other coworkers.
  - (B) Write a report.
  - (C) Arrange a party.
  - (D) Respond to the email.
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86. Who is Tom Lewis?

- (A) The show host.
- (B) A lucky member of the audience.
- (C) The author of a best-selling book.
- (D) President of SANO music.

87. How often is the program broadcasted?

- (A) Every day.
- (B) Every other day.
- (C) Every week.
- (D) In the evening.

88. What will the audience first listen to before the talk?

- (A) Mutual fund investment tips.
  - (B) A talk with the special guest.
  - (C) A commercial.
  - (D) Some popular hits.
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89. Where would this announcement be heard?

- (A) In an airport.
- (B) On a plane.
- (C) On a bus.
- (D) In a restaurant.

90. What caused the departure delay?

- (A) A technical problem.
- (B) Missing passengers.
- (C) A tight flight schedule.
- (D) Bad weather conditions.

91. What will the passengers do next?

- (A) Report to customs.
  - (B) Claim their baggage.
  - (C) Have a meal.
  - (D) Fasten their seatbelts.
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92. How high of a discount can people have on regularly-priced products?

- (A) 10%.
- (B) 15%.
- (C) 20%.
- (D) 25%.

93. What time will the sale end?

- (A) 10:30.
- (B) 10:50.
- (C) 3:00.
- (D) 1:30.

94. What can people probably buy during the sale?

- (A) Computer accessories.
  - (B) Humidifiers.
  - (C) Skin-care products.
  - (D) Bicycles.
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95. What kind of contest is being held?

- (A) A speech contest.
- (B) A recipe contest.
- (C) A food-eating contest.
- (D) A design contest.

96. Which of the following statements is NOT true about the contest?

- (A) It lasts for two months.
- (B) The best chefs will be the judges.
- (C) The entries must be original.
- (D) Contestants have to use a certain sauce.

97. Which of the following is NOT part of the prize?

- (A) Gift certificates.
  - (B) Cash.
  - (C) Coupons.
  - (D) A trophy.
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98. What kind of service or product is being advertised?

- (A) Wedding venues.
- (B) Wedding planning.
- (C) Catering services.
- (D) Wedding gowns.

99. How long has the company been in business?

- (A) It was founded recently.
- (B) For centuries.
- (C) For only a few months.
- (D) For several years.

100. Which of the following services does the company NOT offer?

- (A) Makeup artists.
- (B) Honeymoon planning.
- (C) Venue decoration.
- (D) Invitation design.

*~This is the end of the Listening test.~*