

ACADEMIC YEAR 2023 – 2024

Program	Term	Semester	Paper
FOUNDATION	2	2	MAIN 1
MODULE NAME:			ENGLISH PRE-INTERMEDIATE
MODULE CODE:	FENG001	EXAM DATE:	21/07/2024
TEACHER'S NAME:	Fatma Al Farsi		DURATION: 2 hrs.

Questions to be answered on:	Allowed requirements	Number of pages
Space provided on the question paper	Pen	(Incl. Cover Page): 10

Points of Attention:

- For each question, the maximum earned points are mentioned between brackets at the end of each question.
- Write very clearly. Answers that are not readable are not marked and don't get points.
- Make sure your answers are written to the point.
- All answers must be written **in English**.
- Write all the answers **in blue or black pen only**.
- When finished, submit the question paper to the invigilator.
- Any cheating/copying will result in failing the examination.

FINAL MARKS	
STUDENT NAME:	40
STUDENT ID:	
CLASS:	

Listening (15)	Language (30)	Reading (15)	Writing (20)	Total (80)

LISTENING

[15 Marks]

Listening 1

Part 1

Listen to a conversation between an assistant at a health club and a man who wants to join the club. Answer Task 1 and Task 2.

Task 1. Complete the form below. Write **NO MORE THAN ONE WORD AND/OR A NUMBER** for each answer. (6 marks)

SARAH'S HEALTH & FITNESS CLUB MEMBERSHIP FORM	
First Name:	Harry
Last Name:	1. _____
Date of Birth:	Day: 11 th , Month: 2. _____ Year: 3. _____
Type of Membership:	4. _____ time
Activities:	Badminton and 5. _____
Payment Details:	Total cost: 6. £ _____ To be paid monthly

Task 2. Complete the form below. Write **NO MORE THAN ONE WORD AND/OR A NUMBER** for each answer. (4 marks)

Lifestyle Questionnaire	
What exercise do you do regularly?	7. _____
Do you have any injuries?	has a bad ankle
What is your goal or target?	a better 8. _____ level
What is your job?	a 9. _____ worker
How did you hear about the club?	10. _____

(Tejaswini, 2024)

Listening 2

Part 2

Listen to a news report about Nelson Dellis. Answer Task 3.

Task 3. Circle the correct letter *a*, *b*, or *c*.

(5 marks)

1. How many new names and faces can Nelson memorize?

- a. 99
- b. 88
- c. 89

2. How many numbers can he hear and repeat?

- a. 300
- b. 400
- c. 500

3. Which years did he win the USA Memory Championship?

- a. 2011, 2012, 2013, and 2014
- b. 2011, 2012, 2014, and 2015
- c. 2011, 2012, 2013, and 2015

4. What did he study a few years ago?

- a. name techniques
- b. memory techniques
- c. number techniques

5. Who does he teach his techniques to?

- a. children all over the USA
- b. people all over the USA
- c. students all over the USA

(Hughes, Stephenson and Dummett, 2019)

LANGUAGE

[30 Marks]

Task 1. Circle the correct answers to complete the text.

(10 marks)

When I was in my early twenties, I had to choose between getting married and going abroad

1. **to work / work**. My fiancé wanted 2. **to get / getting** married, but I enjoyed 3. **to be / being** single and, in my opinion, it was important 4. **to see / seeing** the world before starting a family.

‘Let’s **5. to go / go** away together,’ I said. ‘We should **6. to make / make** some great memories, then we’ll be ready **7. to buy / buying** a house.’ She wasn’t interested in **8. to travel / travelling** but, in the end, she agreed **9. to wait / wait** for me for a year. Six months later, I was back home. It was difficult **10. to spend / spend** so much time away from her. Now, we’re married, and we

Task 2. Circle the correct answer.

(5 marks)

1. Hurry up. We don't have _____ time.

2. Salim _____ well at the moment.

a. isn't feeling b. doesn't feel c. didn't feel d. aren't feeling

3. I work at nine every day.

4. The road isn't as long _____ some people think.

5. I am sorry. I forgot your drink. I _____ and get it now.

a. am going to go b. go c. went d. will go

Task 3. Underline the mistake in each sentence and write the corrected part on the lines below.
(5 marks: 0.5 marks for underlining; 0.5 marks correction)

1. This is the better day of my life.

2. While we are watching the match, it started to rain.

3. I have know Ali since 2005.

4. Is they coming?

5. We eat always out at the weekend.

Task 4. Use the words in the box to complete the sentences. There is *ONE EXTRA* word. (5 marks)

winner	lorry	accountant
stressed	chef	risk

1. I got really _____ before my driving test.

2. Last year's _____ is injured and can't compete this year.

3. He is a _____ driver.

4. Sometimes, you have to take a _____ when you go caving.

5. He is the head _____ in a big restaurant in London.

Task 5. Match each word with the correct definition. Write (A-I) on the lines.

(5 marks)

Word	Definition
0. culture	<p>_____d_____</p> <p>a. someone who is good at thinking clearly and understanding things</p>
1. fashion	<p>_____</p> <p>b. a ceremony at which two people get married</p>
2. intelligent	<p>_____</p> <p>c. something that has existed for a long time and has not changed or become more modern</p>
3. traditional	<p>_____</p> <p>d. the particular way a country does things, especially in connection with arts, literature, music, etc</p>
4. goalkeeper	<p>_____</p> <p>e. the style of something that is popular for a time</p>
5. wedding	<p>_____</p> <p>f. the player whose job is to stop the other team putting the ball in the goal</p>

(Hughes, Stephenson, and Dummett, 2019)

READING

[15 Marks]

Reading 1

Read the text carefully and answer the following questions.

The Eden Project

Since it opened in 2001 in the south-west of England, millions of people have visited the Eden Project and learned about the natural world.

As soon as you arrive, you see the huge plastic domes called 'biomes'. The two biggest biomes are the Rainforest Biome and the Mediterranean Biome. The Rainforest Biome has a warm climate, with plants from parts of Asia, Africa and South America. The Mediterranean Biome has over 1,000 different plants from countries around the Mediterranean Sea and from California and South Africa.

The Eden Project also has outdoor gardens with plants and flowers you can use for medicine, fuel and food. Groups of school children regularly visit and there are courses for adults about plants and nature.

So, the Eden Project is not just a tourist attraction. It aims to educate people about the importance of plants in our lives and to protect plants which are in danger of disappearing from the Earth (Hughes, Stephenson, and Dummett, 2019).

Task 1. Read the statements. Write T if the statement is *True* and F if the statement is *False* or NI if there is *No Information* about the statement. (5 marks)

- _____ 1. The Eden Project opened in 2001 in the south-west of England.
- _____ 2. The Eden Project has biomes made of glass.
- _____ 3. The Mediterranean Biome has more than 1,000 different plants.
- _____ 4. The Eden Project has courses for adults about plants and nature.
- _____ 5. The Eden Project is open 24 hours a day.

Task 2. Circle the correct answer.

(3 marks)

1. What kind of climate does the Rainforest Biome have?

- a. cold
- b. warm
- c. dry
- d. wet

2. Where do the plants in the Rainforest Biome come from?

- a. Europe, Australia, and North America
- b. Asia, Africa, and South America
- c. Asia, Europe, and Australia
- d. Africa, Australia, and North America

3. What is one of the main aims of the Eden Project?

- a. to entertain visitors
- b. to sell plants
- c. to educate people about the importance of plants
- d. to provide a space for sports activities

Reading 2

The Importance of Color in Business

Every year large companies spend millions of dollars on advertising. They want you to buy their products and use their services, and they want you to remember their company name. Companies use color so that you will notice them and so that you will think about them when you see their colors.

Blue is often used by computer companies. IBM, Microsoft, and Dell all use the color blue to show that their companies are serious and dependable. Like the sky and the ocean, blue can be both peaceful and powerful. To show that their computers are for serious people.

Apple computer company decided that they wanted computers to be fun instead of serious. For that reason, they made their iMac computers in a variety of different colors in the late 1990s.

It isn't surprising that companies carefully consider the colors for their products and their advertising (McVeigh and Bixby, 2015).

Task 1. Circle the main idea of the article.

(2 marks)

- a. Companies don't care if you remember their colors, as long as you buy their products.
- b. Companies use color, so you will notice them and remember their company when you see their colors.
- c. Blue is a good color for computer companies.

Task 2. Complete the table with information from the article.

(5 marks)

Name of Company	Company colors	Feelings that colors give
IBM, Microsoft and 1. _____	2. _____	<i>serious, dependable, peaceful, and 3. _____</i>
4. _____	<i>Variety of colors</i>	5. _____, <i>not serious</i>

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MLO & Bloom's Level of Complexity

Q #	MLO Addressed	Complexity Level	Mark	Remark
Listening	MLO 2	Application	15	
Language Task 1	MLO 2	Application Analysing	10	
Language Task 2	MLO 1	Application	5	
Language Task 3	MLO 2	Application Analysing	5	
Language Task 4	MLO 1 & 2	Understanding/ Application	5	
Language Task 5	MLO 1	Remembering	5	
Reading	MLO 2 & 3	Understanding/ Analysing	15	
Writing	MLO 2 & 5	Understanding/ Analysing/ Application	20	