



IELTS Mock Test 2023 June

Listening Practice Test 2

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Questions 1-5

Complete the form below.

Write **NO MORE THAN TWO WORDS OR A NUMBER** for each answer.

STUDENT EMPLOYMENT BUREAU STUDENT REGISTRATION FORM

Faculty:	Science (EXAMPLE)
Given name:	Charlotte
Surname:	1 <input type="text"/>
Address:	2 <input type="text"/> Heathfield St., Maryland
Telephone numbers:	
Home:	N/A
Mobile:	3 <input type="text"/>
Number of hours preferred:	4 <input type="text"/> per week
Employment experience:	5 <input type="text"/>

Questions 6-8

Circle the correct letter A-C.

6 What time should Annetta finish work in the hamburger shop?

- A 7:00 pm
- B 3:00 am
- C 11:00 pm

7 What is the problem with Annetta's pay at the hamburger shop?

- A the pay is too much
- B the pay is late

C the pay isn't correct

8 How many children will Annetta have to look after?

A two boys and a girl

B two boys and two girls

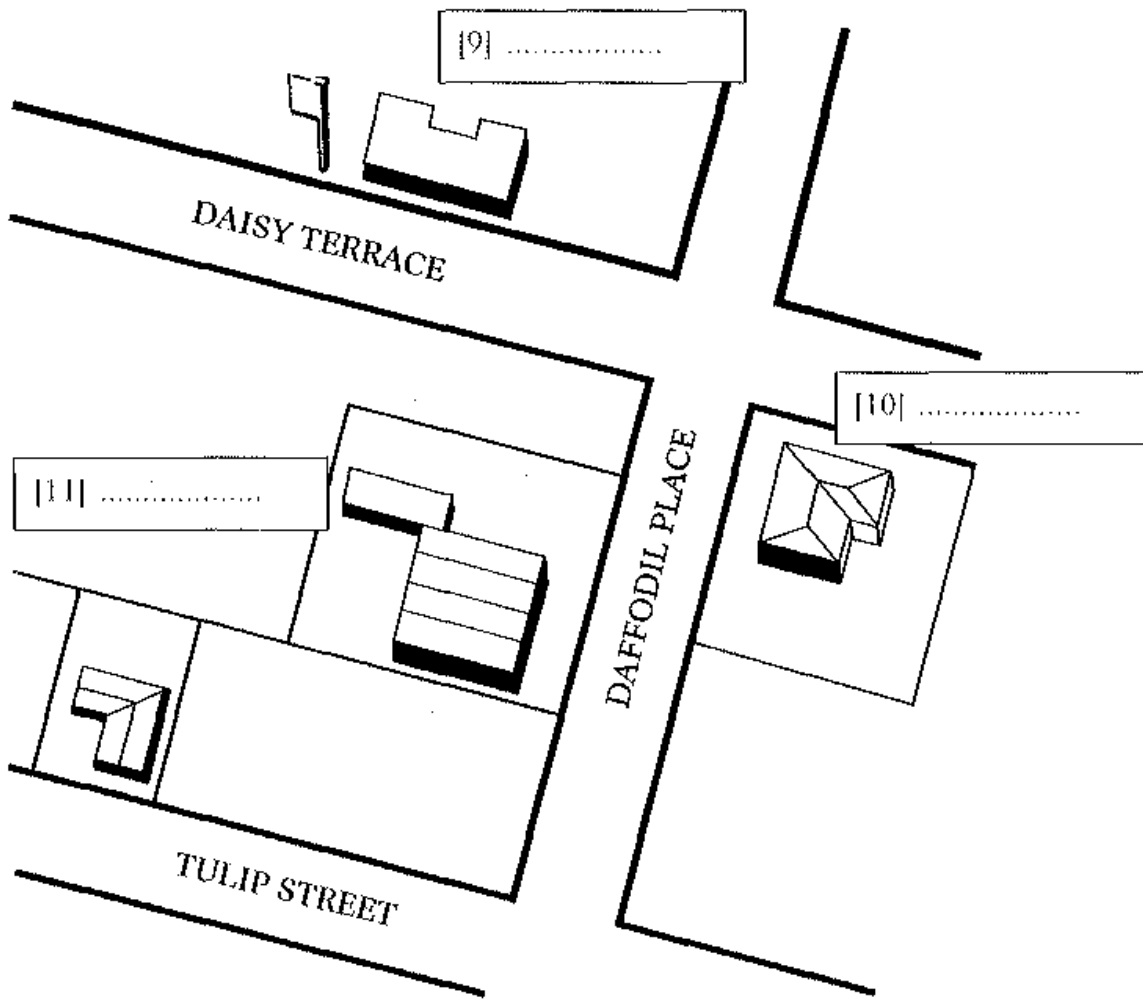
C two girls and a boy

Questions 9-11

Label the map, choosing your answers from the list below.

Write the correct letters A-E on the map.

A	Post Office
B	Bank
C	Primary School
D	Petrol Station
E	Kindergarten



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Questions 12-14

Circle the correct letter A-C.

12 The excursion is being organised for ...

- A all students.
- B overseas students.
- C new students.

13 How far is it from the college to Ironbridge?

- A 59 kilometres
- B 55 kilometres
- C 50 kilometres

14 Students going on the excursion should look at the list and ...

- A print their name, telephone number, student number and tick if they have a car.
- B print their telephone number and sign their name.
- C print their name and tick if they have a car.

Questions 15-16

Write **NO MORE THAN THREE WORDS OR NUMBERS** for each answer.

If students do not like eating meat, can they get a cheap meal at the restaurant in Ironbridge?

15 _____

What time must the students arrive to catch the bus?

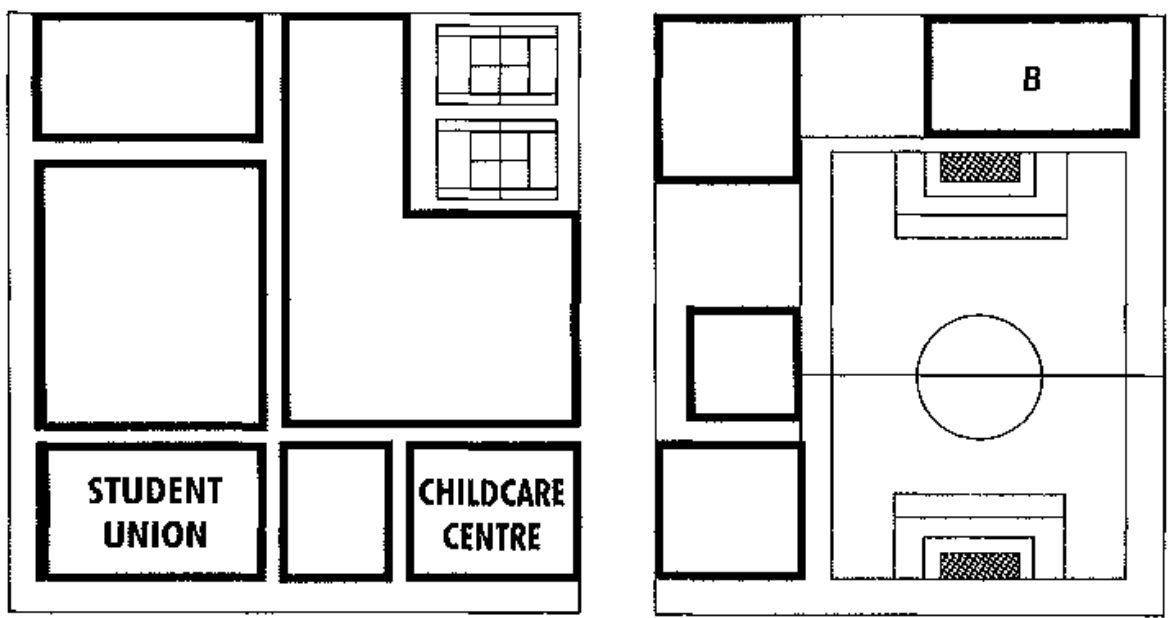
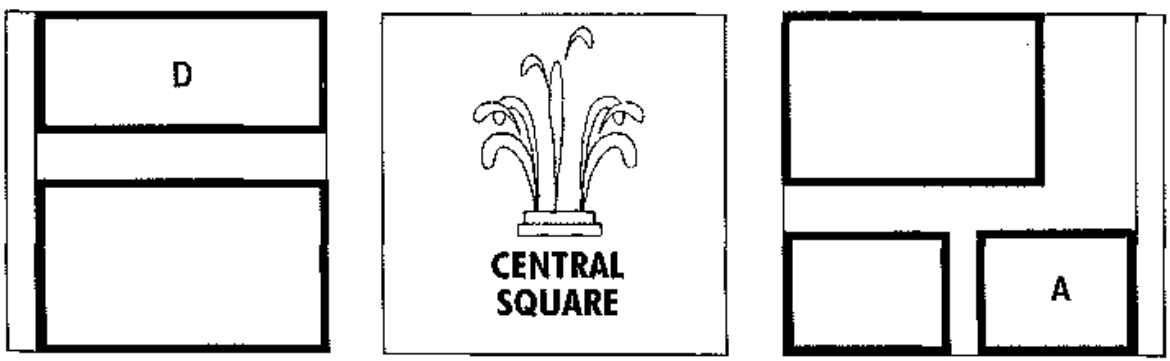
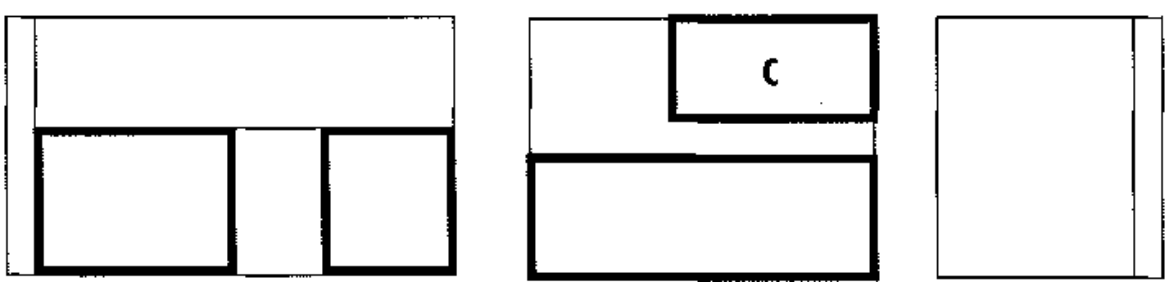
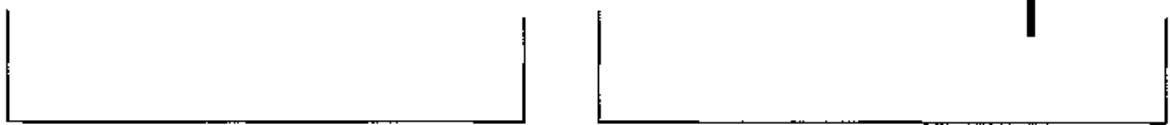
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Question 17

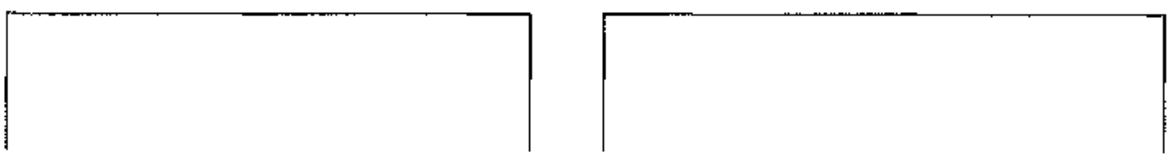
Circle the correct letter A-D.

Which building is the bus garage?

17



THE AVENUE



Questions 18-21

Write **NO MORE THAN FOUR WORDS OR NUMBERS** for each answer.

Name **THREE** things that Pamela Sutcliffe recommends the students take on the excursion.

DON'T FORGET

- Comfortable Shoes
- Warm Jacket
- 18 _____

Where will students find details in writing on Monday?

19 _____

Why is Ironbridge famous?

20 _____

Which **three** of the following famous tourist sights are mentioned?

Write the correct letters A-H.

21 _____

A. Great Wall of China	B. Angkor Wat	C. Grand Canyon	D. Pyramids
E. Taj Mahal	F. Mt. Kilimanjaro	G. Leaning Tower of Pisa	H. Great Barrier Reef

Questions 22-26

Look at this notice detailing the students' work experience placements.

Write **NO CHANGE** if the information has **NOT** changed or **WRITE IN THE CHANGES**.

STUDENT NAME	BUSINESS	DAY am/pm	STARTING DATE	ANSWER
Theresa	University Bookshop	Friday mornings	23/3	EXAMPLE No change

Manuel	Mainly Music	Tuesday mornings	7/3	EXAMPLE Friday afternoons
Henry	The Beauty Shop	Thursday afternoons	22/3	22 _____
Jo	Highway Hotels	Monday mornings	5/3	23 _____
Nancy	Explore Travel Service	Wednesday mornings	14/3	24 _____
Chris	Gorgeous Gowns	Wednesday mornings	14/3	25 _____
Gordon	Games to Go!	Tuesday afternoons	20/3	26 _____

Questions 27-30

Complete Gordon's notes about his zvork experience placement using **NO MORE THAN THREE WORDS OR A NUMBER**.

WORK EXPERIENCE PLACEMENT

<p>Starting times: 27 _____ am</p> <p>1 pm</p> <p>If ill, phone: 28 _____</p> <p>Presentation:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • due in week 10 • worth 29 _____ of assessment • outline history, management structure, etc. • include visuals <p>e.g. 30 _____ and flow charts.</p>
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Questions 31-34

Select T for 'True' or F for 'False'.

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EXAMPLE

The speaker *Ikis corne irnni llic l licsophical Society F*

- 31 One of the main points of the talk is to save money.
- 32 She thinks students should do more housework.
- 33 She argues that plastic containers won't biodegrade quickly.
- 34 She warns that asthma sufferers should be careful with her recipes.

Questions 35-37

Circle the correct letter A-C.

35 To remove tea or coffee stains, you should use ...

- A bicarbonate of soda.
- B a vacuum cleaner.
- C milk.

36 If you burn your saucepan accidentally, you should ...

- A give it to a friend.
- B wipe it with vinegar.
- C put vinegar and salt in it and boil it.

37 If you scratch wooden furniture, you can remove the marks using ...

- A a salt mixture.
- B sesame oil.
- C olive oil and vinegar.

Questions 38-40

Complete the notes on the bottle label.

Write **NO MORE THAN TWO WORDS** for each answer.

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39 _____

40 _____



Solution:

Part 1: Question 1 - 11

- | | |
|-------------------------|--------------|
| 1 Johnstone | 2 126 |
| 3 0414 847 749 | 4 (about) 10 |
| 5 (Uncle's) shop (work) | 6 C |
| 7 B | 8 C |
| 9 A | 10 E |
| 11 C | |

Part 2: Question 12 - 21

- | | |
|---|-----------------------------------|
| 12 C | 13 B |
| 14 A | 15 yes |
| 16 9:15 am | 17 C |
| 18 umbrella/backpack/
camera/snacks/drinks | 19 (on) notice-board/(in) mailbox |
| 20 first iron bridge | 21 C,D,H |

Part 3: Question 22 - 30

- | | |
|--------------|----------------------|
| 22 no change | 23 Monday 12th March |
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24 (Wednesday) afternoons

25 no change

26 Wednesday mornings (21st March)

27 9

28 company (first/then college)

29 30%

30 diagrams

Part 4: Question 31 - 40

31 T

32 F

33 T

34 F

35 A

36 C

37 C

38 boiling water

39 rub

40 the excess

Part 1

A conversation between two first year university students and an officer from the Student Union Employment Service

A: Hi Bill. This is my friend Charlotte. She's doing first year Science, too.

B: Pleased to meet you Charlotte. Annetta told me you want some part-time work. Now I just have to complete your details on the computer ... um... what's your surname?

C: Johnstone.

B: With an 'e'?

C: Yes ... **Q1 J-O-H-N-S-T-O-N-E.**

B: I know that you live in the Heathfield street student residence, but I can't remember the street number there.

C: It's **Q2 126.**

B: 1-2-6 ... good. And the phone number?

C: Well, actually I never give people that number because sometimes nobody answers or they forget to pass on the messages; so I bought a mobile phone yesterday, but I can't remember the number. I think it's 0414 847 748, I'll just check, ... no, sorry, not 748, it's 749.

B: **Q3 0-4-1-4 8-4-7 7-4-9?**

C: Yes, that's right, I must try and remember it.

B: And what sort of work are you looking for?

C: Well, anything really I suppose, though it depends when it is. I'd rather work during the day if that's possible.

B: How many hours a week were you thinking of?

C: Oh, I'm not sure, maybe **Q4 about ten.** But I need to keep at least two days a week free for study.

B: Do you have any work experience?

C: Not much, though I used to help in my **Q5 Uncle's shop** when I was at school.

B: OK. Well, I'll put it in, but we don't usually get shop work. What about gardening?

C: I'd rather not, everything I touch dies! What other kinds of work are there?

B: Well, there's a lot of demand for house cleaning, fast food preparation and kitchen work and

pizza delivery, if you've held a driving licence for twelve months.

C: I'm not sure. Can I have a look at the vacancies while you talk to Annetta?

(Pause)

Charlotte looks at the vacancies while Annetta talks to Bill.

A: Bill, I'd like to change my job.

B: You're at the Hamburger Express on the High St., aren't you? What's the problem?

A: Well, I never know what hours I'm going to work. I start at 7 pm and **Q6** I'm supposed to finish at 11 pm but sometimes they keep me until 2 or 3 am.

B: Yes, that is a bit late if you have to make a 9 am lecture the next day!

A: And the other thing is the pay. They're supposed to pay me on Thursdays **Q7** but they never pay me on the correct day, often not until Friday or Saturday. A few weeks ago I had to wait until Sunday! They said their son was sick so they couldn't get to the bank, but they're always making excuses.

B: Yes, that doesn't sound too good. Would you be interested in pizza delivery? You need to have a driving licence.

A: Yes, I've got a licence, but I think I'd like to change from working in the evening. Are there any day jobs available?

B: Well, as I told Charlotte there are several cleaning and gardening vacancies ... er... and this childcare job that just came in this morning. Do you like children?

A: Yes, I do actually. What's the job?

B: Let's have a look. 'Collect **Q8** the boy aged four from kindergarten at three pm. Pick up the other two girls, who are aged six and nine, from the primary school at three fifteen.' You take them home and look after them. The parents will be home by seven.

A: That sounds quite good. What about the pay?

B: It's the same as you're earning now, four hours a day, Monday to Friday, so twenty hours a week. You need to contact Mrs. Alicia Thompson. Her phone number is 9104 5629, and she lives in Springfield.

A: I've never been to Springfield. I hope I don't get lost.

B: Don't worry, it sounds quite straightforward. Let's have a look at the street directory. The Thompsons live here in Tulip St., number 252, so you catch the 631 bus, get off **Q9** here next to the Post Office in Daisy Terrace. Walk past the Post Office to the corner, and **Q10** on the opposite corner is the kindergarten. Then walk down Daffodil Place and **Q11** cross over to the Primary School. Then keep going down Daffodil Place to the corner and turn right into Tulip St.

Part 2

An Overseas Student Officer talking to some new students about arrangements for an excursion to Ironbridge, in England

Hello everyone, my name is Pamela Sutcliffe and most of you already know that I'm the Overseas Student Officer here at Salopian Technical College. Next Tuesday, the 28th September, we have arranged an excursion for **Q12 all new students**, to the important historical town of Ironbridge. We are hoping you'll all come because not only is the history of Ironbridge very important and interesting, but also an excursion like this is a relaxed and fun way to get to know each other.

Ironbridge is **Q13 about fifty-five kilometres from here** and we'll be travelling by the college bus which holds 40 people. If there are more than that we'll bring a couple of staff cars as well, though I might ask you to indicate on the list if you have a car and would be willing to take a couple of passengers. The list I'm referring to is up there on the student notice-board, and if you would like to come on Tuesday, **Q14 would you please add your name as soon as possible. By the way could you please print your name clearly - I know some people have wonderful signatures but often I'm afraid I can't read them which can cause problems. So if we need extra transport and you could bring your car, can you tick the 'car' column next to your name? Could you also add your student number and your telephone number**, just in case there are any last minute changes and we have to contact you.

The other information I need to give you is about lunch. There's a very nice little restaurant in Ironbridge, which gives a 15% discount to the college when we bring groups. That means lunch is only about £4, and they do good vegetarian meals too, so it's usually no problem for those of you on special diets. But if you prefer to eat your own food that's fine too, either on the bus or in the park. But I'd encourage you to try the restaurant. Now talking of costs I should tell you that the bus will only cost you £10, and if you bring your car we'll pay for the petrol, so you get a free trip in return for driving there. Will you please sign up by Saturday at 6 pm at the latest, the list is closed after that.

Q16 We will depart at 9:30 am sharp on Tuesday morning, so please make sure that you arrive at least 15 minutes before so that you can find a seat and get settled on the bus.

(Pause)

The college bus garage is behind the engineering workshop. It's quite easy to find. **Q15** If you come here to the Student Union building, then walk east down the Avenue until you get to the childcare centre on your left, and then turn left and walk past the sports centre and the tennis courts, which are both on your left. Cross over Central Square and opposite you is the engineering workshop. Walk around to the back and you'll see the bus. Please wear comfortable shoes as we'll be walking around Ironbridge and be on our feet for most of the

day. Wear a warm jacket and **Q17** you might like to bring an umbrella and a backpack to put them in if the weather's warm and sunny, which we hope it will be, but of course we can't guarantee that! Certainly **Q18** bring your cameras and any snacks or drinks for the bus journey there and back, which should take about an hour and a half each way. You should all check the **Q19** notice-board on Monday and we'll also put a note in your mailbox to confirm arrangements, so don't forget to check it. Now why are we visiting Ironbridge? Well, Ironbridge (as the name suggests) has got the original iron bridge - that is **Q20** the first ever iron bridge in the world! It was the birthplace of the Industrial Revolution, and for 40 years it led the world - as Britain changed from an agricultural society into an industrial one. It's hard to imagine today that this pretty, sleepy little tourist town was one of the most important places in England for over a century. Just imagine, 200 years ago, people from all over Europe and even North America came to Ironbridge to learn about what was then the latest technology! Today it is listed as a World Heritage Site by the United Nations, as they consider the unique collection of industrial monuments, rank it alongside the **Q21** Grand Canyon, the Pyramids and the Great Barrier Reef. One place that's fun to visit is Blist Hill, which is a reconstruction of a small Victorian industrial town, where people are working and living as they did a hundred years ago. I hope you'll enjoy the day - it's been a very popular excursion in previous years, so I'm looking forward to going again next Tuesday. Now don't forget to put your name on the list as soon as possible ...

Part 3

A group of students, Henry, Jo, Nancy and Gordon, discussing changes to their work experience placement arrangements

H: Look! There's the notice that Professor Jones told us he'd be putting up confirming the details of our work experience placements.

J: But I thought that was already arranged.

H: No, he said he'd have to check with the companies that the days we preferred were OK for them - let's see if any have changed.

Theresa's not here today, but her name's first - it says the Uni Bookshop, Friday mornings, starting on the 23rd March, so nothing's changed. I'll let her know.

J: What about Manuel? He's not here either. Is he still going to the music store in the High St.?

H: If it's Mainly Music, yes he's still down for that, on Friday afternoons, starting on the 9th.

J: Um ... the day's different - it's changed from Tuesday mornings, but that's OK, I'll tell him. He'll really enjoy listening to music all day!

H: Now where's my name ... Henry ... here it is ... I'm going to The Beauty Shop, and I said I preferred **Q22** Thursday afternoons ... oh good, that seems OK and my start date hasn't

changed either. Jo, what day did you opt for?

J: I'm going to Highway Hotels on Monday mornings.

H: Yes, that's OK ... and ... starting on **Q23 Monday 12th March?**

J: Oh, has that been changed? OK, I was scheduled to start the week before, I'll just make a note of that.

N: What about me, Henry? Have I still got the Explore Travel Service on Wednesday mornings?

H: Just a minute, where's your name? Uh, let's see ... Nancy. OK, here it is. Explore Travel on Wednesdays, yes ... but **Q24 afternoons and starting date is Wednesday 14th March.** Has the date changed?

N: **Q25 No, not the date, just the time,** which is fine -I'll get to sleep in!

H: You lazy thing Nancy! Chris's name is next on the list. Gorgeous Gowns Fashions, what a name!

N: Yes, it sounds good, doesn't it? I'm hoping he'll bring me some free samples! So has he still got **Q26 Wednesday mornings?**

H: Yes, Wednesday mornings, starting on the 14th March.

N: OK, I'll tell him when I see him tonight that his arrangements haven't changed.

J: Gordon, what about you?

G: I chose that software company that makes computer games, I can't remember its name, but I asked for Tuesday afternoons.

J: Oh yes, here it is. Games to Go on Wednesday mornings ... there's a note here saying they have their weekly staff meetings on Tuesday afternoons, so that wouldn't be much use to you.

Q26 That's why they've changed it to Wednesdays, starting on 21st March, so you can see their working set up.

G: OK, I'm glad they've changed it. I don't think I'd want to sit through a meeting every week!

(Pause)

G: Can someone remind me what time we have to get to our placement in the afternoons?

J: It says here 'mornings start at **Q27 9 am and afternoon sessions at 1 pm**'.

G: Oh, that's a shame. I thought Professor Jones was going to change it to 9:30 am and 1:30 pm.

J: Yes, he did say that he'd try to make it later, but obviously that wasn't possible.

G: By the way, just in case, what happens if we're ill or something and can't make it? Do we phone the college or the place we're going to?

N: I think we have to phone the **Q28** company first and then the college. Didn't you get the information sheet about work experience at our last seminar?

G: No, I missed it because I had to go to the dentist. What else did it say?

N: Well, we have to do a total of 24 hours altogether, so if we miss one of the arranged sessions, we have to organise another time to make up the hours. And he gave us details of the presentation we have to give, about our work experience.

G: Oh really, what do we have to do?

J: In week 10 we each have to give a presentation to the class about the company we've been with. It's **Q29** 30% of our final mark for this subject, so it's going to be a lot of work!

N: Yes, he's expecting us to do a lot of research while we're there, so that we can outline the history of the company, its management structure, number of employees, other branches, etc.

J: And he said we should use lots of visuals such as **Q30** diagrams and flow charts during the presentation.

H: Yes, and we should also include what we did each week, the different departments of the company or positions that we observed, and try to relate what we saw to our studies so far. He gave examples like management style, accounting systems, information technology, and so on.

G: You were right. It sounds like lots of work!

Part 4

A talk from a member of the Conservation Society about 'green cleaning'

Good morning, everyone. It's a pleasure to be here as a representative of the Conservation Society, to talk to you about 'Green Cleaning', in other words about ways you can help **Q31** to save the environment at the same time as saving money.

I'll start with saving money - as we're all interested in that, especially students who are living on a tight budget. Probably none of you has sat down and calculated how much you spend on cleaning products each year - everything from dishwashing detergent, window cleaners and so on through to shampoos and conditioners for your hair, and then those disasters - products to get stains out of carpets, or to rescue burnt saucepans. I can see some nods of agreement, even if **Q32** you don't spend a lot of time on housework, you'd end up spending quite a lot of money over a period of time, wouldn't you? We can save money on products and also use products which are cheap, biodegradable and harmless to the environment - these I will call 'green' products. Unfortunately most cleaning products on sale commercially are none of these, and many of our waterways and oceans are polluted with bleach, dioxins, phosphates and artificial colourings and perfumes. Also, **Q33** think how many plastic bottles each household throws away over a year - they'll still be around in landfill when you are grandparents! So we often feel

there's nothing we can do to make a difference, but we can. The actual 'recipes' are on handouts you can take at the end of the talk: The sorts of ingredients I'm referring to are things like bicarbonate of soda, eucalyptus oil, ammonia, vinegar, lemons, pure soap. Lastly many people find they're allergic to modern products, so for **Q34** all you asthma sufferers keep listening. Nothing in these recipes should cause you any problems, an end to itching and wheezing!

(Pause)

So let's start with spills and stains. **Q35** Soda water is wonderful as an immediate stain remover; mop up the excess spill, don't rub but apply soda water immediately - it's great for tea, coffee, wine, beer and milk - as is salt or bicarbonate of soda, which will absorb the stain - then vacuum when dry and shampoo if necessary.

While we are talking about disasters, let's quickly look at some others that can be avoided. Bicarbonate of soda is wonderful for removing smells, especially in the fridge - an open box in the fridge will eliminate smells for up to three months. And those terrible **Q36** burnt saucepans? Either sprinkle with our good friend bicarb again and leave it to stand, or cover with vinegar and a layer of cooking salt. Bring it to the boil and simmer for ten minutes, then wash when cool. Much cheaper than a new saucepan! Then there are heat rings on wooden furniture. Simply rub with a mixture of salt and olive oil, or for **Q37** scratched furniture use olive oil and vinegar.

Now let's look at general cleaning - first the floors. If your floor covering is made of slate, cork or ceramic tiles or lino, it probably only needs a mop or a scrub with vinegar in a bucket of water. Carpets can be shampooed using a combination of pure soap, washing soda, cloudy ammonia and some **Q38** boiling water. You put a small amount of this mixture onto the mark on the carpet, **Q39** rub with a cloth until it lathers and then wipe off **Q40** the excess. A smelly carpet can be deodorized by sprinkling bicarbonate of soda on the surface, leaving overnight and vacuuming off the next day.

Cleaning in the kitchen, bathroom and toilet is the next section ...