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HIPPO 3

JETSET (JET Version)

Reading

Level 3

Time allowed: 35 minutes

Information

- There are 40 questions in this examination.
- Total marks available: 40

Instructions

- Do **not** open this paper until you are told to do so by the supervisor.
- You may **not** use a dictionary.
- Read each question carefully.
- Select the correct answer and then mark your selection on your answer sheet.
- Make sure you only mark **one** answer for each question.
- At the end of the examination hand the question paper, your answer sheet and all notes to the supervisor.

Part One

Read the following texts and select True (A), False (B) or Not in Text (C), in answer to each of the statements on the next page. Mark your selections on your answer sheet.

Days Out in Bristol

Bristol Zoo

Bristol Zoo is the perfect place for a family day out. You can see 450 different kinds of animal, as well as beautiful gardens. Most of the animals are outdoors, but there are also nine animal houses indoors, so there is something to see when the weather is wet; you can visit the Monkey Jungle, feed our colourful parrots or enjoy watching the penguins play in the water. In July 2011, Bristol Zoo had its 175th birthday!



Open all year, every day from 9.00 - 5.30

Adults £15, Children £8, Family ticket (2 adults, 2 children) £40

The SS Great Britain

Built in Bristol in 1843 by Isambard Kingdom Brunel, this famous ship used to take passengers to New York. It was the fastest and most modern ship of its day. You can look all around the ship and learn about the passengers who used to travel across the Atlantic. There is also a museum with an exhibition about the history of the ship, where you can buy toy ships which look like the SS Great Britain.

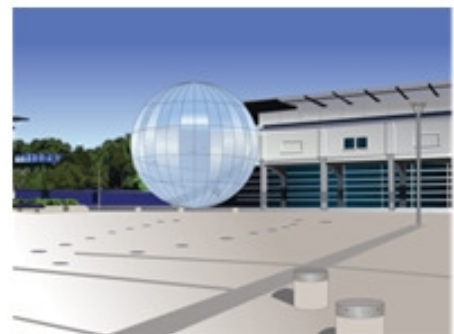


Open all year, daily, from 10 - 6 (4.30 in winter)

Adults £12, Children £6

At-Bristol

At-Bristol is one of the UK's largest and most exciting 'hands-on' science centres with over 300 scientific exhibits and shows. You can learn how to make a film, climb inside a giant wheel, see the beautiful shapes made by ice or look at the Moon and stars. In 2011, a new exhibition opened which teaches you all about the human body. There is plenty to entertain everybody so you will never be bored!



Open all year, Monday to Friday 10 - 5, Weekends 10 - 6

Adults £12, Children £8, Family ticket (2 adults and 2 children) £35

For more information phone the Bristol Tourist Centre

Part One continued

1. At Bristol Zoo, all the animals are kept outdoors.
A = True B = False C = Not in Text

2. You can feed the parrots at Bristol Zoo.
A = True B = False C = Not in Text

3. Bristol Zoo opens at the same time every day.
A = True B = False C = Not in Text

4. It took four hundred people to build the SS Great Britain.
A = True B = False C = Not in Text

5. SS Great Britain toys cost £10 each.
A = True B = False C = Not in Text

6. The SS Great Britain closes earlier in the winter.
A = True B = False C = Not in Text

7. At-Bristol is the only hands-on science centre in the UK.
A = True B = False C = Not in Text

8. At-Bristol has an exhibition about the human body.
A = True B = False C = Not in Text

9. All of these places have special tickets for families.
A = True B = False C = Not in Text

10. The most popular place for tourists is the SS Great Britain.
A = True B = False C = Not in Text

(10 marks)

Part Two

Read the conversation and then answer the questions on the next page. Mark your answers on your answer sheet.



Hello, Bristol Tourist Centre, Sandra speaking. How can I help you?

Hello. My name's Mike Taylor. My family and I are travelling to Bristol by train next week. We're going to stay for three or four nights and I'd like some information about things to do in and around the city.



What day will you arrive, Mr Taylor? Do you need to book a hotel?

We'll arrive on Saturday evening but we're going to stay with friends so we don't have to book a hotel, thank you. I only want to find out about things to do with the family. We have an eight-year-old girl and a ten-year-old boy.



They would like the zoo. Children their age always love going to the zoo, don't they?

Yes. I used to love going to the zoo when I was a child. We used to go to Chester Zoo because it was the nearest zoo to where we lived in Manchester. I hear Bristol Zoo has lovely gardens. My wife will enjoy the gardens because she loves gardening. How much does it cost for a family of four?



I'm not sure, let me check. Ah, yes, it's £40 for a family ticket.

That's not bad for four of us. Can we buy lunch there?



Yes, of course. There are cafés and restaurants where you can have a snack or a hot meal, or you can take your own food and have a picnic. Another good day out is the At-Bristol science centre. There are lots of things for the children to do there. They can have fun and learn at the same time.

That sounds great. Where is it and how much does it cost?



Part Two continued



It's on Anchor Road, opposite the library, and I think it's a little bit cheaper than the zoo. In the same area, there's the old ship that Brunel built, the SS Great Britain. That's a good place to visit, too.

I don't think my wife would like that very much. She hates boats and she can't swim - she's afraid of water because she fell in a pond when she was little. My son is interested in boats. Maybe I'll take the children to see the SS Great Britain and my wife can go shopping. Women love shopping, don't they?



Not all women, Mr Taylor. I think shopping's boring! I prefer to do my shopping online. It's much quicker.

I agree! Well, I think that's all. Thank you for your advice. You were very helpful.



11. Which is the first place Sandra advises Mr Taylor to go to?
 - A Bristol Zoo
 - B The SS Great Britain
 - C At-Bristol

12. Mr Taylor thinks the price of a family ticket at the zoo is
 - A fair
 - B expensive
 - C too much

13. What do Mr Taylor and Sandra **NOT** talk about?
 - A Places to eat
 - B Opening times
 - C Shopping

14. What does Mr Taylor's son like?
 - A Shopping
 - B Swimming
 - C Boats

15. Mr Taylor thought Sandra's advice was
 - A useful
 - B boring
 - C polite


(5 marks)

Part Three

Read about these four classes (A, B, C and D) and then choose the best class for each person on the next page. Mark your answers on your answer sheet.

AFTER SCHOOL CLASSES

A




COMPUTER CLASS

Learn how to get the best from your computer and play the latest computer games.

With Mr Watson in Room 23.
Mondays 4 – 6.

B




KEEP FIT

Have fun at a dance class with Miss Davies in the School Hall. You can bring your own music.

Thursdays 4 – 5. (age 13 – 15)

C



Pet Care

This class will help you to look after your pet and keep it healthy. Pete Sharp, who is a local vet, will be your teacher.

Wednesdays 4 – 5.30, in Room 44.

D



Guitar Class

A special class for young musicians (age 11 – 13).

You do not need to have your own guitar.

Thursdays 4 – 6,
in the Music Room.

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Part Three continued

16.



My parents gave me a puppy for my birthday. I have to take him for a walk every morning before school.

17.



I love music - but Miss Davies is my least favourite teacher!

18.



I want to stay healthy. I don't like sitting still at school all day.

19.



I play football every Thursday after school and I don't like animals.

20.



I'm 12 years old and my dad says that's a good age to learn how to play a musical instrument.

(5 marks)

Part Four

Select the correct answer (A, B, C or D) to fill the gaps in the conversations. Mark your choice on your answer sheet.

21. He won a gold medal in the Olympics, _____?

- A** don't he **B** doesn't he
C didn't he **D** does he

22. She sits next to you in class, _____?

- A** don't you **B** doesn't she
C does she **D** do you

23. Tim and his dad went fishing last weekend, _____?

- A** didn't they **B** don't they
C didn't you **D** did they

24. It's very hot in here, _____?

- A** wasn't it **B** is it
C isn't it **D** isn't he

25. Ben and Dennis play football every Saturday, _____?

- A** aren't they **B** did they
C isn't it **D** don't they

(5 marks)

Part Five

Read each question and then choose the correct response (A, B or C). Mark your choice on your answer sheet.

26. How long does it take you to get to school?

- A In an hour
- B About an hour
- C Every hour

27. What did you do at the weekend?

- A We go to the beach
- B Let's go for a walk
- C I went to see my grandmother

28. Can I borrow your pen, please?

- A Of course
- B Off course
- C Yes, please

29. Did Ivan use to ride a red bike?

- A Yes he does
- B Yes he will
- C Yes, I think so

30. What's this paint for?

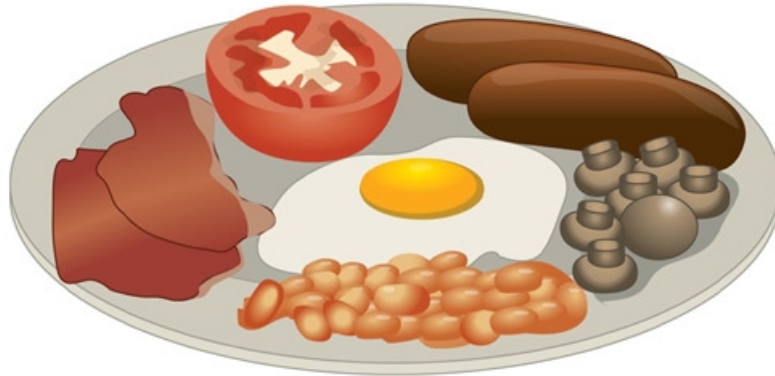
- A It's dark blue
- B For the last three years
- C To paint my bike

(5 marks)

Part Six

Choose the correct answer to fill the numbered gaps. Mark your answers on your answer sheet.

A Full English Breakfast



Most people agree that breakfast is the ³¹ _____ important meal of the day
³² _____ a good breakfast helps you work hard all morning without getting
too tired. One of the ³³ _____ ways to start your day is with a full English
breakfast. ³⁴ _____ you ask for a full English breakfast in a hotel or café, the
waiter will probably bring you bacon, eggs, sausages and toast ³⁵ _____ a
nice hot cup of tea. You might also be given other side dishes ³⁶ _____
mushrooms, baked beans, or tomatoes. In the north of England you might also be
offered black pudding, which is a type of sausage made from animal blood,
³⁷ _____ this is not popular with everybody! In the past, many people used to
begin their day with this delicious meal, but today people are ³⁸ _____ more
interested in their health ³⁹ _____ they prefer to eat food
⁴⁰ _____ has less fat, such as bread, cereal or fruit. Is this the end of the full
English breakfast? I hope not!

Part Six continued

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|------------|------------------|---------------------|-------------------|
| 31. | A much | B most | C very |
| 32. | A because | B so | C if |
| 33. | A fast | B food | C best |
| 34. | A Which | B When | C What |
| 35. | A as | B as well as | C another |
| 36. | A such as | B along | C suddenly |
| 37. | A why | B because | C but |
| 38. | A much | B many | C less |
| 39. | A why | B soon | C so |
| 40. | A what | B which | C with |

(10 marks)