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TEST

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Please check the table below for the total time given to complete the written test at this level and score points available for each section. Please use the accompanying audio files for sections 1–3. Answer keys and transcripts are provided at the back of this document.

Section	Skills	Score points	Level A1	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Level 4	Level 5
1	Listening	10	1 hour 15 mins	1 hour 35 mins	1 hour 35 mins	2 hours	2 hours 30 mins	2 hours 55 mins
2	Listening and writing	10						
3	Listening	10						
4	Reading	5						
5	Reading	5						
6	Reading	8						
7	Reading	7						
8	Writing	10						
9	Writing	10						

The written test is scored out of **75 points** in total at all levels. Please see the Guide to PTE General at this level for further information.

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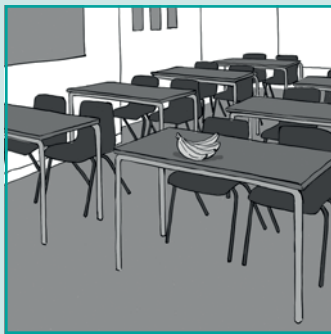
**This test takes 1 hour and 35 minutes.**

## SECTION 1



You will have ten seconds to read each question and the corresponding options. Then listen to the recording. After the recording you will have ten seconds to choose the correct option. Put a cross in the box next to the correct answer, as in the example.

**Example: Where are the bananas?**



A

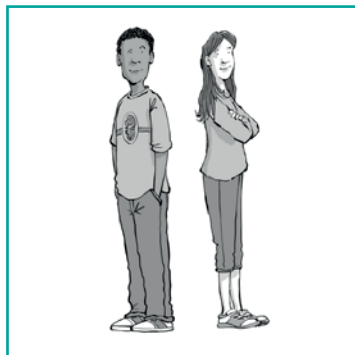


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1. Which is the correct picture?



A



B



C

2. Where are the speakers?



A

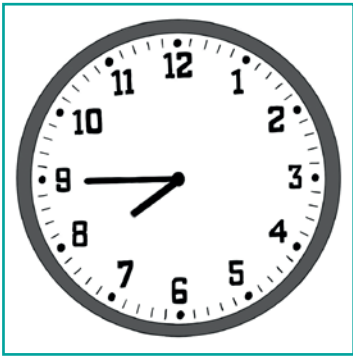


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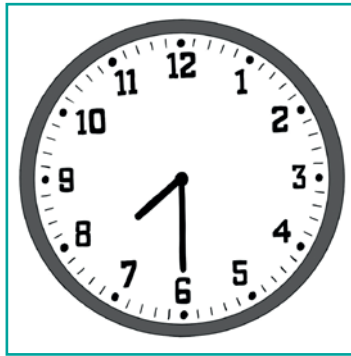


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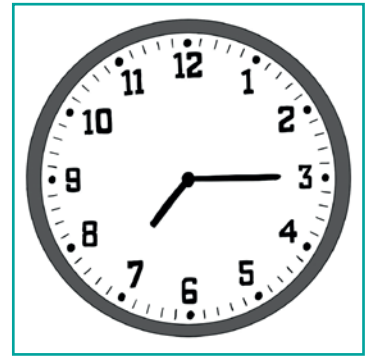
3. What time does the football start on TV?



A



B



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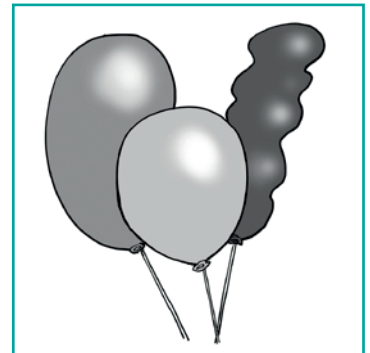
4. What will the young man buy?



A



B



C

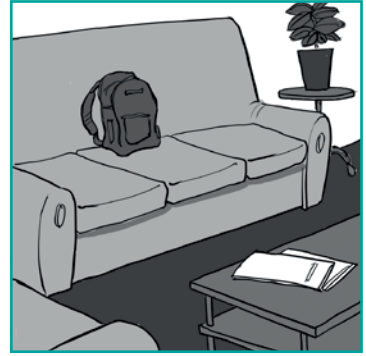
5. Where is the boy's bag?



A



B



C

6. Where is the man?



A



B



C

7. What are the speakers doing?



A



B

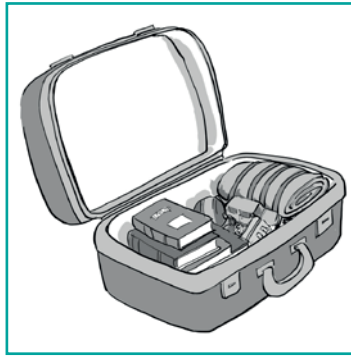


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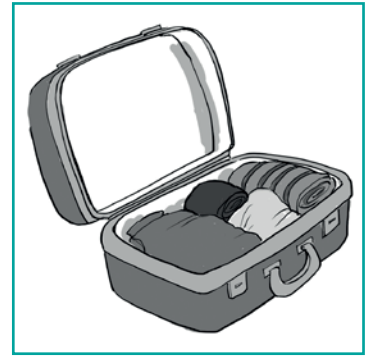
8. What has the woman packed already?



A



B



C

9. Which is the picture of Michelle?



A



B

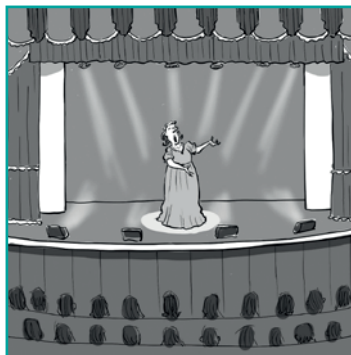


C

10. What is the woman's job?



A



B



C

## SECTION 2



You will hear a recording about a restaurant. Listen to the whole recording once. Then you will hear the recording again with pauses for you to write down what you hear. Make sure you spell the words correctly.

## SECTION 3 (PART A)



You will hear a short recorded message. First, read the notes below then listen and complete the notes with information from the short recorded message. You will hear the recording twice.

Example: Milo wants to buy a *painting*

12. He visited the shop on: .....
13. Painting was next to: .....
14. Painting price: .....
15. Painting of a: .....
16. Milo's phone number: .....

## SECTION 3 (PART B)



You will hear a phone conversation. First, read the notes below then listen and complete the notes with information from the conversation. You will hear the recording twice.

Example: Isla will have a *birthday party*

17. Party at: .....
18. Friends will come from: .....
19. Time: Sunday at: .....
20. Free meal and: .....
21. Car park on: .....



## SECTION 4

Read each text and put a cross  by the missing word or phrase, as in the example.

Example: Welcome to Kingsford Hospital \_\_\_\_\_ & Emergency.

- A Accident
- B Restaurant
- C Ticket

22. Make yourself more comfortable. Wear these \_\_\_\_\_ inside your boots.

- A belts
- B gloves
- C socks

23. Do you like football? You can \_\_\_\_\_ the school football team, this Thursday at 7pm. Everybody is welcome!

- A join
- B become
- C attach

24. Your children must wear \_\_\_\_\_ clothing, e.g. coats, jumpers. We will play outside even if the weather is cold.

- A cool
- B warm
- C modern

25. DRIVING LESSONS

Learn to drive. \_\_\_\_\_ parking. Get ready for your driving test.  
Only £21 per hour

- A Follow
- B Practise
- C Repeat

26. STAN'S ICECREAMS

We are sorry, but no credit card payments accepted here. \_\_\_\_ only!

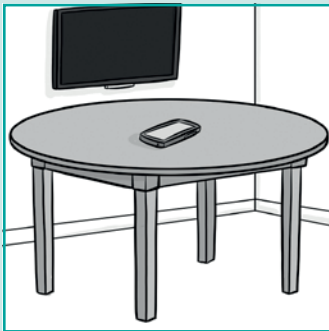
- A Cash
- B Food
- C Visa

## SECTION 5

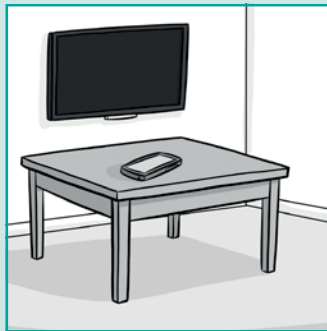
For each question, put a cross  in the box below the correct picture, as in the example.

**Example:** Hi Samina, I left my phone at home. Could you look for it for me?  
It is next to the TV. On the small square table. Let me know when you find it.

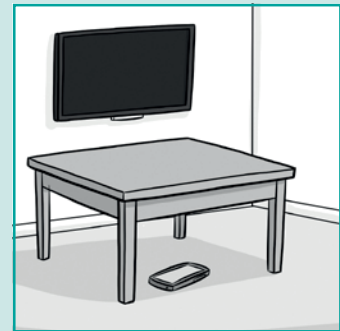
Where is the phone?



A



B



C

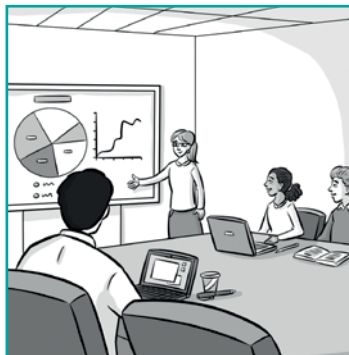
### 27. International Students Welcome Day

Please arrive at 9:30. Tea and coffee will be available. First, there is a talk from the university's president. After a great lunch, there will be sports activities for everyone. Then in the evening we are going to a night club!

What will international students do in the afternoon?



A



B



C

28. Hi Tom, I am sorry but I cannot come to football. I am busy on Saturday. We are going to paint my daughter's bedroom. We are going to do it with lots of stars. Have a great weekend! Walter.

Where will Walter be at the weekend?



A



B



C

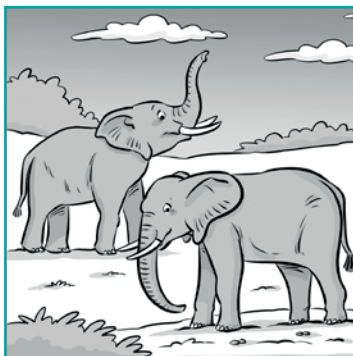
29. In this week's WILD magazine...

A photograph competition on pages 2-6. You can choose which one wins a prize!

On pages 7&8: an amazing story about the world's largest elephants in Angola, Africa.

You can read about the best zoos on pages 9-12. Then, pages 13-20, information about animal clubs.

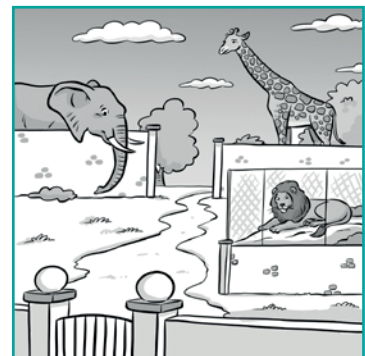
What can readers vote on?



A



B

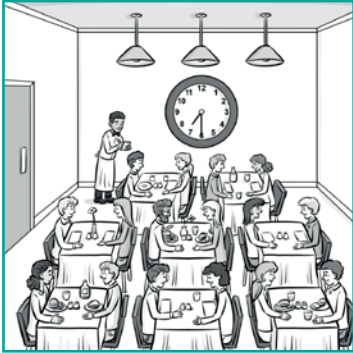


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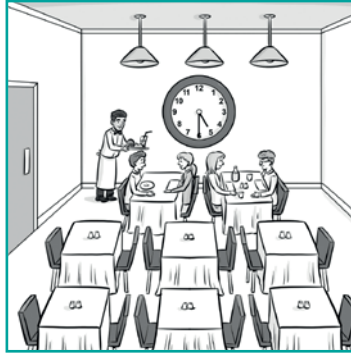
**30. Boli's French Restaurant, open 6pm-11pm.**

Delicious dishes from France and other countries. If you want to visit, it is necessary to reserve a table before you come. Call us on 333-7654 to make a booking.

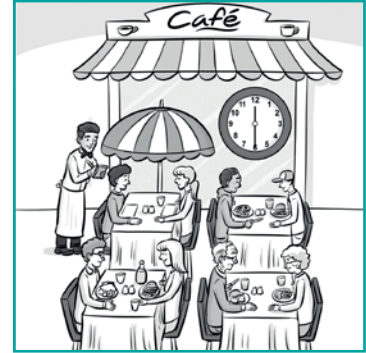
**Which is Boli's restaurant?**



A



B



C

**31. Dear Santa,**

*This year I have been really good. You can ask my parents. For Christmas, I would like a bicycle, a dart gun, and a new ball for playing football. Please!*

*Yours, John*

**What does John want for Christmas?**



A



B



C

## SECTION 6

Read the email below and answer the questions.

From: David Jones <d.jones@bmail.com>  
To: Thomas Michaelson <t.m.36@homeline.com>  
Subject: Next week's party  
Sent: 11:00, 12 August 2019

Hi Tom,

How are you? Are you coming to next week's party at the restaurant? I must make the reservation this week, so I need to know how many people will come. Afterwards, we will probably go to see a film or something. I think you will need between £20 and £30 for the whole evening.

**Example:** Who sent the email? *David Jones*

32. What is the email about? .....
33. What time of day did he send the email? .....
34. What is it necessary to do before going to the restaurant? .....
35. What is the lowest amount of money Tom will need? .....

Read the notice below and answer the questions.

### **Opening soon...**

Touchstone Shopping Centre, the newest place for shopping in Sutton. Eat at one of seven fantastic restaurants, where you will find hundreds of different dishes. Open from Tuesday to Sunday, 9am to 8pm, there is so much to see and do. We have a toy shop, where you can buy gifts for children, clothing stores for adults, and much more. Watch movies at our cinema, play games at the game centre, relax and have fun.

**Example:** Where is Touchstone Shopping Centre? *Sutton*

- 36. How many places to eat are there? .....
- 37. Which day is the shopping centre closed? .....
- 38. Where can presents for young children be bought? .....
- 39. Where can people enjoy films? .....

## SECTION 7

Read the passage and complete the notes. Write no more than three words from the passage in each gap.

Steffi Graf is one of the most successful tennis players of all time. Although she now lives in America, she was born in Germany, where her father was a car salesman. He introduced her to tennis on TV when she was only three years old and one year later she began playing tennis at a local park. She was only seventeen when she won her first international tennis competition, the French Open, in 1987. The next year she won all four of the most important tennis competitions: the Australian Open, French Open, Wimbledon and the US Open. During her career, she won 22 major competitions in total and she was very well-known around the world. Many people saw her on TV wearing clothing by Adidas or selling other products. In 1999 she finished playing, and then in 2001 she got married to Andre Agassi, another successful tennis player.

**Example: What sport did Steffi Graf play? *Tennis***

- 40. In what country was she born? .....
- 41. What did her father sell? .....
- 42. How old was she when she began playing tennis? .....
- 43. What did she win for a second time in 1988? .....
- 44. Which sportswear company did she work for? .....
- 45. Which year did her tennis career end? .....
- 46. Who is her husband? .....

## SECTION 8

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Use the information in **Section 7** to help you write your answer. **Use your own words.**

**47** You have read a passage about a successful person. Now write a website article about the most successful thing you have done in your life. **Write 50–70 words** and include the following information:

- what you did that was successful
- why you were successful
- how being successful made you feel



## SECTION 9

48. Choose **one** of the topics below and write your answer in **80–100 words**.

**Either:** Yesterday, you went shopping with a friend. Write a diary entry about what happened



A

**Or:** Ashley is a girl who likes riding bicycles. Look at the pictures of Ashley and write a short story about what happened.



B

Put a cross  in the box next to the task you have chosen.

Write your answer on the next page. Do not write outside of the box.

