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Listening Test

Instructions

1. This test contains 4 tasks and 26 questions.
2. Write all your answers in this test booklet.

Task 1

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You are going to listen to an interview about choosing the right diet. First you will have 45 seconds to study the task below, then you will hear the recording twice. While listening, choose the correct answer (A, B, C or D) for questions 1-6. Put a in the correct box. The first one (0) has been done for you.

After the second listening, you will have 45 seconds to check your answers.

What are you having?



0 The information on the label makes us

- A well informed.
- B more undecided.
- C quite worried.
- D less interested.

Q1 Michael Pollan's book says that we mainly regard food as

- A something that makes us fat.
- B lacking in nutrients.
- C potentially harmful for us.
- D a collection of nutrients.

Q2 According to Pollan, in western societies people

- A should eat more seafood.
- B don't have enough variation in their diet.
- C eat food that is harmful for them.
- D shouldn't diet so much.

Q3 One piece of advice is: only eat food that

- A is in season.
- B isn't fattening.
- C contains vitamins.
- D can go bad.

Q4 Another piece of advice is: don't eat food that

- A says it's good for you.
- B has too detailed a label.
- C has an attractive label.
- D you don't know.

Q5 When deciding what to eat, we should

- A listen to our body.
- B trust the experience of our forefathers.
- C be guided by our own feelings.
- D take the advice of experts.

Q6 People should react to new scientific findings about food with

- A counter-arguments.
- B caution.
- C disbelief.
- D more intensive research.

Task 2

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You are going to listen to an interview with the director of time. First you will have 45 seconds to study the task below, then you will hear the recording twice. While listening, answer the questions (7-12) using a maximum of 4 words. Write your answers in the spaces provided. The first one (0) has been done for you.

After the second listening, you will have 45 seconds to check your answers.

Universal Time



0	Where is the Naval Observatory?	<i>Washington D.C.</i>
Q7	What does the Naval Observatory do?	
Q8	What is the advantage of atomic clocks, apart from them being exact?	
Q9	What special quality has the light got with regard to time?	
Q10	What is the function of the light?	
Q11	How many beats does one atomic second consist of?	
Q12	What timekeeping device runs on the same principle as an atomic clock?	

Task 3

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You are going to listen to a recording about a new anti-ageing technique. First you will have 45 seconds to study the task below, then you will hear the recording twice. While listening, choose the correct answer (A, B, C or D) for questions 13-18. Put a in the correct box. The first one (0) has been done for you.

After the second listening, you will have 45 seconds to check your answers.

Gene Therapy



0 Scientists have discovered how to

- A prolong the life of mice.
- B produce youthful human skin.
- C stop the ageing process.
- D make the skin of mice look younger.

Q13 Research on mice has shown that

- A the ageing process can be slowed down.
- B one particular gene affects the way other genes behave.
- C only one gene influences the ageing of the skin.
- D interfering with a vital gene can be dangerous.

Q14 The equivalent gene in human beings

- A functions in a completely different way.
- B works in a comparable way.
- C is not suitable for experiments.
- D has already been closely studied.

Q15 Trying out the procedure in humans might

- A have unpredictable effects.
- B reverse the ageing process too much.
- C produce too many other genes.
- D inspire people to mess around.

- Q16 Scientific findings show that ageing is
- A a consequence of the ups and downs of life.
 - B a genetic process that cannot be turned back.
 - C an ongoing development determined by genes.
 - D the result of a certain life style.
- Q17 This kind of therapy is not yet available for humans because
- A experiments on humans have not been successful so far.
 - B cosmetic surgeons are strictly opposed to it.
 - C developing treatments is a lengthy process.
 - D the cosmetic industry will suffer as a result.
- Q18 The problem when applying gene therapy to humans is how to
- A manipulate the little fatty particles.
 - B put the genes inside a virus.
 - C cure infected cells.
 - D influence genes in many cells simultaneously.

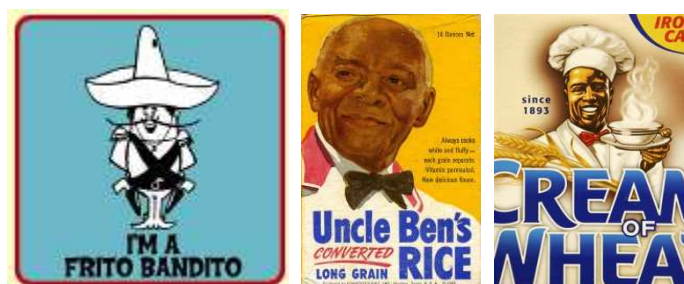
Task 4

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You are going to listen to a recording about racist advertising. First you will have 45 seconds to study the task below, then you will hear the recording twice. While listening, complete the sentences (19-26) using a maximum of 4 words. Write your answers in the spaces provided. The first one (0) has been done for you.

After the second listening, you will have 45 seconds to check your answers.

Racist Advertising



0	In 1967 Frito Bandito was used to increase the _____ to kids.	<i>sale of corn chips</i>
Q19	There have been reports about Uncle Ben because of _____ recently.	
Q20	The Uncle Tom character became a _____ soon after his creation in the 40s.	
Q21	It was typical of all Uncle Toms that they only aimed to _____.	
Q22	Strangely, Uncle Ben's clothes _____ since the 1940s.	
Q23	The language that Rastus used for his messages was _____.	
Q24	In the south, Uncle Tom characters were seen as evidence that _____.	
Q25	In the north, the Uncle Tom character was liked by people who dreamed of _____.	
Q26	A Shirley Temple movie suggests that the slaves _____ freedom.	