

ANGLIA EXAMINATION SYNDICATE

LISTENING SCRIPT (for recording artists)

Cast needed: **Part One:** **Adult M and F**
 Part Two: **Adult M or F**
 Part Three: **Adult M or F**

Please record the following (once again, this should be recorded at only a slightly faster pace than the Preliminary script):

(DO NOT RECORD THE TEXT IN BRACKETS)

This is Anglia Examinations, England.

(pause)

Listening Examination

(pause)

Elementary Level, Sample

(pause)

Candidate Instructions

(pause)

Listen to the recording and answer the questions.

You will hear each part of the recording twice.

There will be a pause before each part so you can read the questions. There will be other pauses to let you think about your answers.

When you hear the tone (**example of tone**), write your answers on the question paper.

Write clearly in the spaces provided.

Use a black PEN in the spaces provided.

You must ask any questions now as you cannot speak during the test.

(pause 5 seconds)

Listen to the first part of the test.

(pause 3 seconds)

Section L1.

Listen to these six conversations and put a tick in the box that shows the correct answer to the man's question. There is one example.

(pause 3 seconds)

A.

(M) What sport does Jeremy do on Saturdays? He used to play tennis.

(F) Yes, but he wanted a change and he thought about swimming.

(M) Oh yes, a new swimming pool has opened near his house.

(F) That's right. He thought about football too but in the end he decided to play volleyball. He's in a team with his best friend.

(tone)(pause 3 seconds)

B.

(M) What room is the art club in today? Is it in room 62?

(F) No. That was last week. It's in room 43.

(M) Ok and the music club is in room two tomorrow, isn't it?

(F) No, that's changed too. It's in room four. See you later.

(tone)(pause 3 seconds)

C.

(M) Where is Samir's new job? Is it in the sports centre?

(F) That's where he would like to work. He's working in a bicycle shop now.

(M) Oh. Is it the one near the swimming pool?

(F) That's right, next to my favourite ice cream shop.

(tone)(pause 3 seconds)

D.

(M) How did Serena get to the football match? By bus?

(F) Yes, that's right. She wanted to get the train but it cost too much.

(M) Oh, no. I went by car with my dad. How did you get there?

(F) I didn't go. I called a taxi but it didn't come. So I missed the match.

(tone)(pause 3 seconds)

E.

(M) What did Clive buy at the market? He usually buys his shoes there.

(F) He found a really interesting book about trees but it was too expensive so he bought a picture for his room instead.

(M) Oh. And did you find the book you were looking for?

(F) No. I just bought chocolate.

(tone)(pause 3 seconds)

F.

(M) What kind of holiday is Ali going on next week?

(F) He wanted to go to the coast for a sailing holiday but it was too expensive.

(M) Oh. So is he going skiing in the mountains like he usually does?

(F) No. He tried to book a cycling holiday but it was too late. So, he's decided on a tennis camp.

(tone)(pause 3 seconds)

Now listen to the first part of the test again. (pause 3 seconds and repeat)

Now listen to the second part of the test.

(pause)

Section L2.

Listen to this passage about bees and write the missing words in the spaces given. **(The words in bold are those that are gapped in the exam paper. They are to be spoken clearly although not emphasised)**

(tone) (pause 3 seconds)

Everyone knows that bees make honey but not everyone realises that they are the **only** insects that make food we can eat. The honey **which** they make is very healthy. In the world there are over 16, 000 kinds of bees. We can find them everywhere in the world but not in Antarctica, the **coldest** and windiest place on earth. They have **excellent** eyesight because they have two large eyes that cover most of their head. They also have three **smaller** eyes.

Scientists have studied bees to **discover** how they communicate with each other. When a bee sees some food, it **often** does a kind of dance, called a 'bee waggle'. This **shows** the other bees that there is some good food nearby.

Bees are also very **important** because they help flowers and plants grow. Many people are worried about bees. The number of bees is going **down** because the world is changing. Scientists say we need to take care of our world and make sure there are **enough** places in nature for bees to live.

(pause 3 seconds)

Now listen to the second part of the test again. **(pause 3 seconds and repeat)**

Now listen to the third part of the test.

(pause 3 seconds)

Section L3.

Listen to the passage about Kim Chambers and decide if the sentences are true or false. Put a tick in the correct column. There will now be a 20-second pause to allow you to read the questions.

(tone)(pause 20 seconds)

Kim Chambers is an open-water marathon swimmer. She's from New Zealand and grew up on the North Island. As a child she loved dancing and had lessons. She moved to America at 17 and studied science at university.

One day she had a serious accident when she fell down the stairs at home. She hurt her leg badly. She was wearing uncomfortable shoes and that is why she fell over. She couldn't walk for two weeks. She decided to start swimming in her local swimming pool and this helped her leg get better. Then Kim joined an open water swimming club. This is a club where people swim in the sea, lakes and rivers. She went all over the world, swimming in places which were not always safe. One of the most difficult challenges was in the ocean near San Francisco where the water was extremely cold. Kim never wears a wetsuit to keep warm as she likes cold water. Kim remembers this swim as one of the best days of her life.

There's a film about Kim and her life called *Kim Swims*. You can see it on Netflix.

(pause 3 seconds)

Now listen to the third part of the test again. **(pause 3 seconds and repeat)**

(pause 3 seconds)

That is the end of the listening test. You will now have three minutes to check your answers. Your listening paper will then be collected.