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Anglia Examinations

AIM Qualifications ESOL International

Intermediate Level

Reading and Writing Examination

Qualification: 601/4946/2

Paper Number: **Sample 2**

Exam Date:

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Answer **ALL** the questions.
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If you make a mistake, please cross out your answer neatly.
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Time allowed – ONE hour and FORTY minutes.

INVIGILATOR: PLEASE ENSURE THAT CANDIDATES UNDERSTAND THESE INSTRUCTIONS

Each of the sections carries the following number of marks:

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Writing Section [50]

Reading Section [50]

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Section W1 (25 marks)

Write a composition on **ONE** of the following topics (you should write about 150-200 words):

1. Imagine you wake up in the year 3024. What is your life like?
2. Write a description of the area you live in when it is summer.
3. 'As soon as I got home, I noticed something different.' Continue the story.
4. What would you do if you were a film star for one day?

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You are going on a cycling holiday with your family. Write an email to your friend on one of the following topics. You should write about 80-100 words.

Either

1. Tell your friend about the holiday and why you are looking forward to it.
- or
2. Invite your friend and say why you would like him/her to join you.

Email 2 ☐

From:

Subject:

Message:

SAMPLE

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Section R1 (13 marks)

Read the following article and answer all the questions.

A Ha-Pea Ending

A 75-year-old man who was admitted to hospital with symptoms of a heart attack was relieved to discover that the cause was a pea plant. Last Saturday, Ron Sveden started coughing. He had been finding it rather difficult to breathe for six months but believed this was due to his age and the fact that he was unfit. However, the coughing went on and his chest started to hurt terribly. His wife, Nancy, was so concerned that she called for an ambulance and Ron was rushed to hospital.

The doctors X-rayed Ron to look at the two *lungs* inside his chest. When they looked at the images, they saw a large white area on his left lung. They feared the worst - that Ron had lung disease. However, further tests showed that Ron actually had a small pea plant growing inside him. Doctors believe that when he was eating peas, one 'went down the wrong way' and ended up in his lung rather than his stomach. Most peas are around 1 cm in size but this one started to grow into a plant. By the time doctors found it, it was 1.5 cm long. If they hadn't removed it, they say it could have grown to be 10 cm long.

Although Ron has no idea *when* the pea went into his lung, Nancy has a memory of one day last summer, when Ron was coughing at the dinner table. She believes that's when it happened. That was eight months ago.

Ron is now getting over the operation. His friends have sent him a massive tin of peas as a joke, which he thought was funny. 'As soon as I got back from hospital I went into the garden. I wanted to check my vegetable plants. I'm enjoying being home and the first meal Nancy cooked for me included peas from our garden,' he smiled. 'They'll always be my favourite vegetable.'

In questions 1-3, please answer in complete sentences. (2 marks each)

1. Why did Ron Sveden think he was having breathing problems?

2. What did the doctors see on the X-ray, and what did they think it was?

3. What is the first thing that Ron did when he got home?

For questions 4-8, tick (✓) the box. (1 mark each)

4. Ron can remember the day when the pea went into his lung.

True ☐ False ☐

5. The pea had probably been in Ron's lung since the summer.

True ☐ False ☐

6. Nancy called an ambulance last weekend because Ron

- A stopped breathing.
B had bad chest pains.
C had terrible headaches.

A ☐ B ☐ C ☐

7. What size was the pea plant that was found in Ron's lung?

- A 1 cm long
B 1.5 cm long
C 10 cm long

A ☐ B ☐ C ☐

8. Since the operation on his lung, Ron has

- A not eaten peas again.
B only eaten tinned peas.
C eaten peas regularly.

A ☐ B ☐ C ☐

Write the words in the box. (1 mark each)

9. Find the word in the passage which means the **OPPOSITE** of:

very small (paragraph 4)

10. Find the word in the passage which means the **SAME** as:

worried (paragraph 1)

Section R2 (7 marks)

Read the five short texts below, which are all descriptions of places to go on holiday. Choose from the texts (A to E) and complete the answer grid. The texts may be chosen more than once. One has been done for you as an example.

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A This is an amazing holiday, packed full of discovery, nature and plenty of activity. Up in the mountains, away from the heat and stress of the crowded holiday beaches, you will have the chance to follow the mountain paths at your leisure. The scenery is spectacular and if you're lucky, you might see foxes or red deer, goats or even a bear. Bring your binoculars to get a better view - they can be hard to spot.

B. Experience the wild beauty of this incredible island and visit the wonderful ancient Roman ruins which still remain along the west coast. A small museum houses all of the fascinating objects that have been dug up, including pottery, statues and jewellery. The 13th century village of Santa Anna is amazingly preserved, and there are several hostels there offering basic but inexpensive accommodation. It's rare to find somewhere so unspoilt by modern hotels and package holidays.

C. The region of Belamar lies in the northeast of the country and is hugely popular with tourists. There are several hotels along the coast which cater for visitors with young families. Competitively priced, they offer a range of kids' clubs and activity centres to keep your little ones occupied, leaving you time to relax on the sun lounger, reading your favourite book or sunbathing. You may even find enough energy to walk across the sand for a gentle swim. Perfect!

D. The main resort at Carla Bay is famous for its excellent golf course, and wonderful sailing opportunities. The beautiful clear waters of Carla Bay are perfect for those of you who want to get *into* the sea and have some fun. We are the best-rated dive site on the island, with a wide range of activities, including kitesurfing, scuba-diving and water skiing. We also offer paddle-boarding for those who prefer a more relaxing activity.

E. Sometimes, choosing the right place for your annual holiday can be a challenge. For those of you who like variety, a multi-centre trip is the perfect solution. With no more than two nights in the same hotel, we have a choice of destinations to choose from. You can visit the museums of Madrid on Monday, then walk in the mountains on Wednesday and the markets of Barcelona on Friday. There's never a dull moment on one of our holidays.

Which holiday, A, B, C, D or E, is suitable for someone who

has young children?	e.g.	C
is a student with very little money?	1	
is interested in very old architecture?	2	
wants to try some exciting water sports?	3	
dislikes very hot weather?	4	
is keen to visit different places?	5	
wants to see different wild animals?	6	
loves lying on the beach?	7	

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Section R3 (10 marks)

Choose the correct answer for each sentence and tick the box.

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Example:

We really must leave now.

☐ A to leave ☒ B leave ☐ C left ☐ D leaving

1. Before _____ on holiday, Sally checked her passport was in date.

☐ A to go ☐ B is going ☐ C gone ☐ D going

2. The family had _____ visited Rome before. It was their first time.

☐ A hardly ☐ B sometimes ☐ C never ☐ D rarely

3. Tom wouldn't _____ his sister borrow his computer.

☐ A give ☐ B let ☐ C take ☐ D go

4. If she'd tuned on the TV, she would _____ the news about the train strike.

☐ A be seen ☐ B have seen ☐ C to seeing ☐ D be seeing

5. Jim _____ the kitchen when the postman knocked on the door.

☐ A was cleaning ☒ B has cleaned ☐ C was cleaned ☐ D is cleaning

6. He's just got a new job as a teacher, _____

☐ A isn't he? ☐ B wasn't he? ☐ C doesn't he? ☐ D hasn't he?

7. The weather in the south is far _____ in the summer than in the north.

☐ A as hot as ☐ B hottest ☐ C hotter ☐ D so hot

8. These beautiful bags are all _____ by hand in Italy.

☐ A making ☐ B makes ☐ C make ☐ D made

9. In the library yesterday I found a book _____ is all about the local area.

☐ A where ☐ B when ☐ C which ☐ D what

10. _____ a pet can take a lot of time and money.

☐ A Have ☐ B Having ☐ C Had ☐ D Has

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Section W3 (10 marks)

Rewrite the sentences to give the same meaning as the original. The beginning of the sentence has been provided. Also use the word in brackets. Do not change it in any way. Other changes to the sentence will be necessary.

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Example:

I've never seen a better film than this. (the)

This is the best film I've ever seen.

1. The man was so kind that he made friends easily. (such)

He

2. They couldn't afford to go to the concert. (enough)

They didn't

3. The driving test wasn't as difficult as she'd expected. (than)

The driving test

4. The chefs are preparing a special dessert. (by)

A special dessert

5. 'I can't remember my phone number,' he said. (that)

He said

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Section R4 (10 marks)

Complete the sentences with the correct form of the word in brackets.
Write **ONE WORD ONLY** on the line.

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Example:

Please cross the road carefully. (careful)

1. Rosie's bedroom is always so _____ because she never puts her things away. (tidy)
2. The road through the mountains was _____ and very narrow. (danger)
3. Jasmine thought the film was really _____. (interest)
4. You need to be very _____ to win the lottery. (luck)
5. The _____ tourist got lost travelling around Rome. (Britain)
6. He shouted _____ at the football coach's decision. (angry)
7. She was very _____ about starting her new job. (worry)
8. Maria's grandfather felt _____ of her success. (pride)
9. The couple accepted the _____ to the wedding. (invite)
10. Brett has worked as a _____ all his life. (build)

Section R5 (10 marks)

Choose the correct word from the box and write it on the line to complete the phrasal verb in each sentence. You can use a word more than once. There are some words you do not need to use. There is one example.

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Example:

It took him several weeks to get over the flu, but he finally returned to school last week.

- SAMPLE
1. They had only been driving for 20 minutes when the car broke _____.
 2. My alarm clock usually goes _____ at 6.30 am.
 3. I am similar to my father, but my brother takes _____ our mother.
 4. She feels much healthier since she gave _____ eating sugar.
 5. You don't need to take the bus. I'll pick you _____ on my way into town.
 6. The crime was committed six years ago, but the police are still looking _____ the case.
 7. The workmen are making so much noise! I can't put _____ with it any more.
 8. If you're going into town, could you go to the supermarket because we have run _____ of butter?
 9. I was depending on her but she really let me _____ when she didn't come to help me.
 10. My sister is looking _____ my cat when I go on holiday.

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