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SECTION 1 18

LISTENING

Task 1

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Questions 1-7

For Questions 1 –7, decide which answer A, B, C or D fits best.

You will hear the recording twice.



- **1** What is the teacher mainly discussing?
- A Insects that feed on plants.
- **B** Animals that feed on insects.
- C Pants that use insects to survive.
- **D** Insects that are attractive to plants.
- 2 Why is the teacher discussing this topic?
- A He is lecturing about something that the students will see the next day.
- **B** He is preparing the students for an exam that is tomorrow.
- C He is explaining something that the students have just seen.
- **D** He is discussing something that the students will be required to read.

| 3 What does an insectivorous plant get from an insect? |
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| A All of its nutrients. B Chlorophyll C Nitrogen D Digestive liquid |
| 4 According to the teacher, how widespread are insectivorous plants? |
| A There are hundreds of varieties in the world. B They exist in 500 countries of the world. C They exist only in North America. D There are five different types throughout the world. |
| 5 What is stated in the lecture about the Venus flytrap? |
| A It is the largest insectivorous plant. B It is found only in South America. C It has movable parts. D It has only one trap leaf. |
| 6 /7 What is stated in the lecture about the sensory bristles? (<i>Choose TWO ANSWERS</i>) |
| A They are divided into two parts. B There are three of them. C They are on the outside of the leaf. D They cause the trap leaf to close. |

Questions

Letters

Task 2

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For Questions 1-11, decide which answer A, B, C or D fits best.

You will hear the recording twice.







- **1** What is the main idea of the talk?
- All of the Mother Goose stories were probably written by Charlemagne's mother.
- **B** Though there may have been a real Mother Goose, the Mother Goose stories were not all written by her.
- C Two different versions of the Mother Goose stories have been published by different authors.
- **D** Three characters in Mother Goose stories are based on historical figures.
- 2Why does the teacher say that she is sure the students all think they know about Mother Goose, but she'll find it out.
- A To show that there is more to the topic than the students might think.
- **B** To indicate that she thinks the students do not know anything about the topic.
- C To clarify that they have already discussed this topic before.
- **D** To encourage the students to say what they know about the topic.
- 3 How does the teacher seem to feel about the Mother Goose stories?
- A The only important stories in children's literature come from Mother Goose.
- **B** It is important to create a complete overview of children's literature.
- The Mother Goose stories are an important part of children's literature.
- **D** The Mother Goose stories are too complex for children to understand.
- 4 When was the earliest Mother Goose book compiled by Charles Perrault?
- **A** In 200 A.D.
- \mathbf{B} In the early 1500s.
- **C** In 1697.
- **D** In 1760.
- 5 The Mother Goose stories did not include
- A "Sleeping Beauty".
- **B** Hans Christian Andersen's collection of fairy tales.
- C "Old King Cole".
- **D** about fifteen Shakespearean songs.

| 6 /7 What TWO statements are true about the | authorship of the Mother Goose books? (Choose TWO |
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- A The Mother Goose rhymes probably had different authors.
- **B** Perrault and Newbery contributed significantly to the writing of Mother Goose stories.
- C Charlemagne's mother wrote most of the Mother Goose rhymes.
- **D** Different Mother Goose stories were probably written at different times.
- **8** Who is the real Mother Goose believed to be?
- A Charlemagne's pet.
- **B** Bertha's goose.
- C The mother of Charlemagne.
- **D** A goose with multiple owners.
- 9/10 What does the teacher say is known about King Cole? (*Choose TWO ANSWERS*)
- A He was a famous musician.
- **B** He was a king of Britain.
- C He lived more than 1,800 years ago.
- **D** He was only a fictional character.
- 11 What does the teacher say about Jack Horner?
- A He became King of England.
- **B** He ate 12 pies.
- C He became owner of an estate illegally.
- **D** He stole some plums.

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TRANSFER ALL YOUR ANSWERS TO YOUR ANSWER SHEET

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READING

You should spend about 25 minutes on Questions 1-13 which are based on reading the text "Ozette" below. Choose the appropriate letters **A—D** and write them in boxes 1—13 on your answer sheet.

Task 1

13

Ozette

The availability of archeological evidence for study is dependent on the natural conditions in which the archeological remains are found; certain types of natural conditions favor preservation of organic substances and therefore lend themselves to sheltering wellpreserved organic remains, while other types of natural conditions lead to the degradation or destruction of organic remains that may have existed. An important distinction in land archeology can be made between dryland and wetland archeological sites. The vast majority of sites are dry sites, which means that the moisture content of the material enveloping the archeological evidence is low and preservation of the organic material as a result is quite poor. Wetland archeological sites are sites such as those found in lakes, swamps, marshes, and bogs; in these wetland archeological sites, organic materials are effectively sealed in an environment that is airless and wet and that therefore tends to foster preservation.

It has been estimated that on a wet archeological site often 90 percent of the finds are organic. This is the case, however, only when the site has been more or less permanently waterlogged up to the time of excavation; if a wet site has dried out periodically, perhaps seasonally, decomposition of the organic material has most likely taken place. Organic material such as textiles, leather, basketry, wood, and plant remains of all kinds tends to be well preserved in permanently waterlogged sites, while little or none of this type of organic material would survive in dryland archeological sites or in wetland sites that have from time to time dried out. For this reason, archeologists have been focusing more on wet sites, which are proving to be rich sources of evidence about the lifestyles and activities of past human cultures.

1. The word "which" in paragraph 1 refers to?

A serious problem with archeological finds in waterlogged environments is that the organic finds, and wood in particular, deteriorate rapidly when they are removed from the wet environment and begin to dry out. It is therefore important that organic finds be kept wet until they can be treated in a laboratory; the need for extraordinary measures to preserve organic finds taken from wetland environments in part explains the huge cost of wetland archeology, which has been estimated to be quadruple the cost of dryland archeology.

One wetland site that has produced extraordinary finds is the Ozette site, on the northwest coast of the United States in the state of Washington. Around 1750, a huge mudslide that resulted from the seasonal swelling of an completely underground stream covered sections of a whaling village located there. Memories of the village were kept alive by descendants of the surviving inhabitants of the village in their traditional stories, and an archeological excavation of the site was organized. The mud was removed from the site, and a number of well-preserved cedarwood houses were uncovered, complete with carved panels painted with animal designs, hearths, and benches for sleeping. More than 50,000 artifacts in excellent condition were found, including woven material such as baskets and mats, equipment for weaving such as looms and spindles, hunting equipment such as bows and harpoons, fishing equipment such as hooks and rakes, equipment used for water transportation such as canoe paddles and bailers, containers such as wooden boxes and bowls. decorative items such as a huge block of cedar carved in the shape of the dorsal fin of a whale and miniature carved figurines.

- **A.** availability
- **B.** evidence
- C. study
- **D.** conditions
- 2. The word "remains" in paragraph 1 is closest in meaning to
 - A. remnants
 - **B.** studies
 - C. stays
 - **D.** survivors
- **3.** The word "themselves" in paragraph 1 refers to
 - A. archeological remains
 - **B.** certain types
 - C. organic substances
 - **D.** organic remains
- **4.** The word "poor" in paragraph 1 could be best replaced by
 - A. needy
 - **B.** penniless
 - C. inadequate
 - **D.** impoverished
- **5.** The word "those" in paragraph 1 refers to
 - A. sites
 - **B.** lakes
 - C. swamps
 - **D.** marshes
- **6.** The word "bogs" in paragraph 1 is closest in meaning to
 - A. bodies of water
 - **B.** deserts
 - C. muddy areas
 - **D.** caves
- 7. The phrase "this type" in paragraph 2 refers to
 - A. textiles, leather, basketry, wood, and plant remains
 - **B.** all kinds
 - C. waterlogged sites
 - **D.** dryland archeological sites

| 8. The word "rich" in paragraph 2 could best be replaced by |
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| A. wealthy |
| B. substantial |
| C. prosperous |

- **9.** The word "they" in paragraph 3 refers to
 - A. human cultures

D. probable

- **B.** archeological finds
- C. waterlogged environments
- **D.** organic finds
- **10.** The word "which" in paragraph 3 refers to
 - **A.** organic finds
 - **B.** wetland environments
 - C. huge cost
 - **D.** wetland archeology
- 11. The word "quadruple" in paragraph 3 is closest in meaning to
 - A. one-quarter
 - **B.** four feet
 - **C.** four-sided
 - **D.** four times
- 12. The phrase "kept alive" in paragraph 4 is closest in meaning to
 - A. animated
 - **B.** maintained
 - C. endured
 - **D.** lodged
- 13. The word "harpoons" in paragraph 4 is closest in meaning to
 - **A.** spears
 - **B.** fishing rods
 - C. dishes
 - **D.** ornaments

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Task 2

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Read the passage *Chocolate*. For Questions 1-13, decide which answer (A, B, C or D) fits best. Write the appropriate letters A-D in boxes I-13 on your answer sheet. You should spend about 25 minutes.

Chocolate

The chocolate of today has undergone numerous changes from its beginnings as an ingredient in a spicy and bitter drink. Numerous cultures have made contributions to create the product that we know today.

→ Cocoa trees are indigenous to South America's river valleys. By the seventh century, the Mayans had brought the trees north into Mexico, and numerous other cultures, including the Aztecs and the Toltecs, seem to have been involved in the production of cocoa trees. In fact, the words "chocolate" and "cocoa" both came from the Aztec language. When Spanish explorers arrived in Central America in the fifteenth century, they noted that cocoa beans were valued as a currency for trading and were also used to prepare a special drink, cacahuatl, which was made from roasted cocoa beans with red pepper, vanilla, and water. The explorers at first were not very impressed with the cacahuatl because it was so bitter.

The Spanish explorers eventually developed a drink that was more appealing to their tastes. They created a paste by heating a mixture of ground sugar, cinnamon, cloves, anise, almonds, hazelnuts, vanilla, dried cocoa beans, and orange-flavored water; they then smoothed the paste onto flat plantain leaves and let it harden into slabs. Using pieces of the hardened paste, they prepared a drink, which they called chocolatl, by dissolving pieces of the hardened paste into hot water or broth.

The explorers returned to Spain with their discovery, and chocolate soon became an exotic treat. From Spain, the use of chocolate spread to England, where a chocolate drink was served in chocolate houses, which were fashionable versions of the coffeehouses that had sprung up in London in the 1600s. By the mid-seventeenth century, chocolate was being dissolved in milk rather than water, the precursor of milk chocolate.

► In the nineteenth century, a number of inventions led to refinements in chocolate. In

1. It is indicated in **paragraph 2** that cocoa trees are native to

1828. Dutch chocolate maker Conrad van Houten invented a press that would squeeze much of the cocoa butter out of cocoa beans. With van Houten's press, it was possible to separate cocoa beans into cocoa powder and cocoa butter, which enabled the production of more refined products. It was possible to create a much smoother and tastier drink by blending cocoa powder without the cocoa butter into hot liquids, and the cocoa butter blended more easily with sugar to create a smoother paste for the production of chocolate candies. Then, in the 1870s, Swiss candy makers improved chocolate production by adding the dried milk recently created by the Nestle Company to chocolate to make solid milk chocolate.

By the end of the nineteenth century, chocolate was quite a popular treat, yet it was rather expensive and was not widely enjoyed because of its prohibitive price. American candy maker Milton Hershey set out to make chocolates more affordable and available. Hershey was operating the successful Lancaster Caramel Company, a company that he had founded in 1886. He was using fresh milk in the production of his caramels, and he soon began experimenting with a combination of fresh milk and chocolate. He created the Hershey Chocolate Company in 1894 to make chocolate coatings for his caramels. He also decided to use mass production techniques to create large quantities of individually wrapped and affordable chocolates for the public. The company began selling the "Hershey Bar" in 1900 for only a nickel apiece, and in that year Hershey also decided to sell his caramel factory to concentrate entirely on chocolates. He began building a new factory in Derry Church, Pennsylvania; the company began operating there in 1905, and by 1906 the community had been renamed Hershey. Hershey's product, a single serving of reasonably priced chocolate, was to become a huge success.

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| | B. Mexico |
| | C. Spain |
| . | D. Central America |
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| 2. It is m | entioned in paragraph 2 that all of the following were involved in the cultivation of cocoa |
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| | A. the Mayans |
| | B. the Aztecs |
| | C. the Toltecs |
| | D. the Spanish |
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| 3. It is N | OT stated in paragraph 2 that <i>cacahuatl</i> was |
| | A. used as a currency |
| | B. a special drink |
| | C. rather spicy |
| | D. rather bitter |
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| 4. What i | is NOT listed in paragraph 3 as an ingredient in the paste developed by the Spanish? |
| | A. A sweetener |
| | B. Spices |
| | C. Nuts |
| | D. Orange peel |
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| 5. It is in | dicated in paragraph 3 that <i>chocolatl</i> |
| | A. contained plantain leaves |
| | B. was a slab of hardened paste |
| | C. was cut into pieces |
| | D. was a hot beverage |
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| 6. It is sta | ated in paragraph 4 that |
| | A. chocolate appeared in England before it appeared in Spain |
| | B. chocolate candies were quite popular in London in the 1600s |
| | C. coffeehouses were popular in London before chocolate houses were |
| Дамасма | D. by the sixteenth century it was popular to dissolve chocolate in milk |
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| 7. Accord | ding to paragraph 5 , it is NOT true that van Houten's invention was used to |
| | A. press cocoa beans |
| | B. mix cocoa butter and cocoa beans |
| | C. separate cocoa powder from cocoa beans D. remove cocoa butter from cocoa beans |
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| 8. Which | of the following is true, according to paragraph 5? |
| | A. It was easier to blend cocoa powder with sugar than it was to blend cocoa butter with |
| sugar. | |

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B. Better candies could be prepared using cocoa powder rather than cocoa butter.

C. Adding cocoa butter to drinks made the drinks smoother and tastier.

SECTION 3 – 20

USE OF ENGLISH

Task 1 - 10

For questions 1-10, write down the name of the object to complete the gaps.

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Task 2

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For Questions 1-10, match the reasons (1-10) with the consequences (A-K). Complete the sentence by choosing an appropriate reason and linking it to the first half-sentence with an appropriate connective.

Example: 0 ___ I stayed at home because it was raining

- 1 She had to pay by cheque ...
- **2**_ Leaves are green ...
- **3**_ An object falls when you drop it ...
- **4**_A match ignites when you strike it ...
- **5**_ She decided not to buy the coat ...
- **6**_People get diseases ...
- **7**_ She overslept ...
- **8** She didn't post the letters ...
- **9**_She decided to resign ...
- 10_She cried all the way through ...

- A ... because friction produces heat.
- **B** ... because the alarm clock wasn't working.
- C ... because she forgot her purse.
- **D** ... because she forgot.
- **E** ... because she had an argument with her boss.
- F... because of bacteria.
- **G** ... because of gravity.
- H ... because they contain chlorophyll.
- $I\ldots$ because the film was so sad.
- **J** ... because she couldn't afford it.

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TRANSFER ALL YOUR ANSWERS TO YOUR ANSWER SHEET

SECTION 4

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SOCIO-CULTURAL COMPETENCE

For Questions 1-10, match the names of authors (1-10) with the titles of literary works that belong to them (A-K). There is **one extra title**, which you do not need to use:

1 Jane Austen

2_Elizabeth Gaskell

3_Helen Fielding

4 Jonathan Swift

5_Charlotte Brontë

6_Lewis Carroll

7_J. Fenimore Cooper

8 Charles Dickens

9_Sir Arthur Conan Doyle

10_Daniel Defoe

A Gulliver's Travels

B Bridget Jones's Diary

C Jane Eyre

D Pride and Prejudice

E Wuthering Heights

F North and South

G The Last of the Mohicans

H Robinson Crusoe

I Oliver Twist

J The Adventures of Sherlock Holmes

K Alice in Wonderland

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TRANSFER ALL YOUR ANSWERS TO YOUR ANSWER SHEET

SECTION 5

| WRITING |
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| Personal Letter You have 20 minutes to do this task. You've received a letter from your English pen-friend Jane who writes: |
| Dear N I am writing a report on prisons. Do you think that prisons should be abolished? It seems that all arguments against prisons are arguments against conditions in prisons. Do you believe that a good way to punish is to limit freedom? Let me know what you think. Write back soon. Best wishes, |
| Jane |
| Write a letter to Jane. Answer her questions. Ask 3 questions about her mobile phone. Write 100-140 words. |
| Remember the rules of letter-writing. |
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SECTION 2

READING

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SECTION 3

USE OF ENGLISH

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SECTION 4

SOCIO-CULTURAL COMPETENCE

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