

CANDIDATE NUMBER:

English Examination -Use of English

Do not open this examination paper until instructed to do so.

Answer all the questions in the spaces provided.

Writing time is **60 minutes**.

Good luck!

Use of English

PART 1

For questions 1-12, read the sentences below and decide which answer **A**, **B**, **C** or **D** best fits each space. There is an example at the beginning (**0**).

Mark your answers on the separate answer sheet.

Example:

0 After I drank two cups of coffee I felt wide

A awoken **B** woken **C** awake **D** waken

0	A	B	C	D
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1. The adolescents spend on average 50 hours a week in front of a computer, so doctors and teachers areworried about the effects.

A over **B** increasingly **C** further **D** excessively

2. Theof living has risen drastically in the last six months.

A expenditure **B** expense **C** cost **D** price

3. What would you say to a member of your staff who alwayshis work in late?

A delivered **B** handed **C** produced **D** completed

4. The boys prefer competitive sports,the girls seem to enjoy more cooperative activities.

A unlike **B** whereas **C** contrary **D** comparing

5.politicians have promised to improve road safety, little has been achieved so far.

A although **B** despite **C** as **D** even

6 Don'tuntil tomorrow what can be done today.

A put of **B** put off **C** put up **D** put by

7 I like football, but I am noton basketball.

A likeable **B** keen **C** enthusiastic **D** dislike

8 Would you allplease, to welcome our visiting speaker.

A stand **B** rise **C** go up **D** raise

9 Most young workers suffer fromof experience.

A a shortage **B** an absence **C** a lack **D** a break

10 Peter's parents do nothim going to discos.

A. agree of **B** disapprove in **C** disagree of **D** approve of

11 The police freed a suspected murderer because they didn't have enoughto charge him.

A questions **B** prove **C** issue **D** evidence

12 I hate tests!!

A So do I **B** So I do **C** Neither do I **D** Neither I do

Part 2

For questions **13-28**, read the text below and think of the word that best fits each space. There is an example at the beginning **(0)**.

Mark your answers on the separate answer sheet.

Example:

0	<i>Dear</i>
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(0)..... Madam,

I (13)..... to inform you that the Rev. John Whittier died two weeks ago, leaving one child, a girl eleven years old. He left practically nothing else save (14)..... few books; for, (15)..... you doubtless know, he was the pastor of this small mission church, and had a very meager salary.

I believe he (16)..... your deceased sister's husband, but (17)..... gave me to understand the families were not on (18)..... best of terms. He thought, (19)..... , that for your sister's sake you (20)..... wish to take the child and bring her (21)..... among her own people in the East. Hence I am writing to you.

The little girl will (22)..... ready to start (23)..... the time you get this letter; and if you can take her, we would appreciate (24)..... very much if you would write that she might come at (25)..... , as (26)..... is a man and his wife here who are going East very soon, and they would take her with them to Boston, and put her on the Beldingsville train. Of (27)..... you would be notified (28)..... day and train to expect Pollyanna on.

Hoping to hear from you soon, I remain,

Respectfully yours ,

Jeremiah O. White

“POLLYANNA” by Eleanor H. Porter

Part 3

For questions **29-40**, complete the second sentence so that it has similar meaning to the first sentence, using the word given. **Do not change the word given.** You must use between two and five words, including the word given. Here is example (**0**).

Example: 0 Your hair needs cutting.

get

You cut.

The gap can be filled by the words 'need to get your hair' so you write:

0	<i>need to get your hair</i>
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Write **only the missing words** on the separate answer sheet.

29. You must do exactly what your parents tell you.

carry

You must instructions exactly.

30. We need to consider various factors before coming to our final decision.

taken

Various factors need tobefore we make our final decision

31. Why didn't you warn me it was going to rain?.

have

You it was going to rain.

32. Kate's parents make her study very hard. .

made

Kate hard by her parents. .

33. I should be going home now.

high

It's home now.

34. Worrying about someone else's problems doesn't make sense.

no

There about someone else's problems.

35. Jim doesn't get on with his neighbour any more.

fallen

Jim has his neighbour.

36. I always travel to work by train in order not to waste time in traffic jams.

avoid

I always travel to work by train in traffic jams.

37. My younger sister is too young to drive a car .

not

My younger sister drive a car .

38. "You stole my purse, Jenny!" said Monica.

accused

Monica her purse.

39. They aren't selling tickets for the ABC concert until next Friday.

being

Tickets for the ABC concert until next Friday.

40. I think that history is more difficult than geography.

as

I think that geography history .

Part 4

For questions **41-50**, read the sentences below. Use the word given in capitals at the end of each line to form a word that fits in the space in the same line. There is an example at the beginning **(0)**. Write your answers **on the separate answer sheet**.

Example:

0	<i>breeding</i>
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They did research on sea turtle on the beaches of the Gulf of Mexico during the (0)..... season . Breed

He could afford far more than his peers as he was lucky to have (41)..... and generous parents. wealth

Poland is inhabited by a great number of ethnic (42)..... . minor

Her paintings received (43)..... from her fellow artists. recognize

You need a degree to be (44)..... in today's job market. compete

Unfortunately, the world is (45)..... globalized. increase

He presented a more (46)..... point of view. optimism

Nancy swept and scrubbed (47)..... every corner of their new flat. vigour

As my toothache didn't ease I made another (48)..... with a dentist. appoint

He researched the topic of his thesis with great (49)..... . thorough

She spent many a (50)..... night worrying about her sons at war. sleep