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ITALIAN

Higher Tier Paper 1 Listening

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Time allowed: 45 minutes approximately (including 5 minutes' reading time before the test)

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You will need no other materials.

- **THE PAUSES ARE PRE-RECORDED FOR THIS TEST.**

At the top of the page, write your surname and other names, your centre number, your candidate number and add your signature.

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INSTRUCTIONS

- Use black ink or black ball-point pen.
- **DO NOT OPEN THIS BOOK UNTIL YOU ARE TOLD TO DO SO.**

INFORMATION

- The marks for questions are shown in brackets. The maximum mark for this paper is 50.
- You must **NOT** use a dictionary.

ADVICE

This is what you should do for each item.

- After the question number is announced, there will be a pause to allow you to read the instructions and questions.
- Listen carefully to the recording and read the questions again.
- Listen to the recording again, and then answer the questions.
- When the next question is about to start you will hear a bleep like this (*).
- You may write at any time during the test.



- In **SECTION A**, answer the questions in **ENGLISH**.
In **SECTION B**, answer the questions in **ITALIAN**.
- You must answer **ALL** the questions in the spaces provided. Do **NOT** write on blank pages.
- Write neatly and put down **ALL** the information you are asked to give.
- Ask any questions now. **YOU MUST NOT ASK QUESTIONS OR INTERRUPT DURING THE TEST.**
- You now have five minutes to read through the question paper. You may make notes during this time. You may open your answer book now.
- **THE TEST STARTS NOW.**

DO NOT TURN OVER UNTIL TOLD TO DO SO



SECTION A

Questions and answers in **ENGLISH**.

Answer **ALL** questions in the spaces provided.

FARMING IN ITALY

Listen to a local farmer on Italian radio discussing farming.

Write **TWO** advantages of his job.

Answer in **ENGLISH**. [2 marks]

0 1 . 1

| Advantage 1 | Advantage 2 |
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Write TWO problems that are caused by the rain. [2 marks]

0 1 . 2

| Problem 1 | Problem 2 |
|-----------|-----------|
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A PERFECT HOLIDAY

Which of the following aspects is the most important to each person?

Write the correct letter in each box.

| | |
|----------|-------------------------------|
| A | A pool |
| B | Not in the countryside |
| C | Great nightlife |
| D | Child-friendly |
| E | Winter sports |
| F | Not too expensive |



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Benedetta
[1 mark]

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Rosa
[1 mark]

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Carla
[1 mark]

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[Turn over]



CHANGES IN EDUCATION

On Italian radio, you hear a report about changes in Italian schools.

What was the main problem in the past and what is it nowadays?

Answer in ENGLISH.

0 3 . 1

**Past problem in schools
[1 mark]**



0 3 . 2

Present problem with technology
[1 mark]

[Turn over]



A GENERATIONAL ISSUE

Listen to this news item on a local Italian radio station.

What do you learn about the jobs market in Italy?

Write the correct letter in each box.

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Italy has the highest number of young people who, up to the age of 24...
[1 mark]

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| A | stay in education. |
| B | are employed but not in education. |
| C | are unemployed. |



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For the situation to improve, Italy must...
[1 mark]

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| A | provide more training. |
| B | allocate funding fairly. |
| C | raise taxes. |

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ITALIAN WEDDINGS

Your Italian host is telling you about Italian weddings.

What does she say about weddings?

Write the correct letter in each box.

0 6 . 1

Nowadays, weddings are...
[2 marks]

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|---|------------------------------|
| A | celebrated mainly in church. |
| B | celebrated with just family. |
| C | mainly a civil ceremony. |
| D | too expensive. |

0 6 . 2

In the past they were...
[1 mark]

| | |
|---|------------------------------------|
| A | often held at home. |
| B | less enjoyable. |
| C | important events for local people. |



FRIENDSHIP

Your Italian friend Elisa tells you about her best friend Tanya.

Answer in **ENGLISH**.

Give **ONE** detail for each answer.

0 7 . 1

How did they become friends? [1 mark]

0 7 . 2

What was special about her friendship with Tanya? [1 mark]

0 7 . 3

How has their friendship changed? [1 mark]

6

[Turn over]



STUDY TRIPS

Listen to this advert by 'ViaggiSicuri' on Italian radio for study holidays.

Complete the sentences in ENGLISH.

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The study holidays are aimed at...
[1 mark]

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| 0 | 9 |
|---|---|

After arriving in England you will...
[1 mark]

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| 1 | 0 |
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To save money you...
[1 mark]



THE EFFECT OF MUSIC

You listen to a broadcast on Italian radio about the effect of listening to music.

What are the people's opinions?

Write **P** for a **POSITIVE** opinion.

N for a **NEGATIVE** opinion.

P+N for a **POSITIVE** and **NEGATIVE** opinion.

1 1 . 1

Fiorello
[1 mark]

1 1 . 2

Agnese
[1 mark]

1 1 . 3

Silvio
[1 mark]

1 1 . 4

Alba
[1 mark]

7

[Turn over]



THE PROS AND CONS OF SOCIAL MEDIA

Listen to this Italian radio phone-in where callers are discussing social media.

What does each person say about social media?

Answer in ENGLISH.

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Lorella
[2 marks]

| Positive aspect | Negative aspect |
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Federico
[2 marks]

| Positive aspect | Negative aspect |
|------------------------|------------------------|
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| 1 | 4 |
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Olivia
[2 marks]

| Positive aspect | Negative aspect |
|------------------------|------------------------|
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[Turn over]



PLACES OF INTEREST

Which of the following facilities is each person most interested in?

Write the correct letter in each box.

| | |
|----------|-------------------------------|
| A | Local market |
| B | Shopping centre |
| C | Theatre |
| D | Parks and open spaces |
| E | Multiple-screen cinema |
| F | Sports clubs |

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Paola
[1 mark]

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| 1 | 6 |
|---|---|

Enrico
[1 mark]

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| 1 | 7 |
|---|---|

Annabella
[1 mark]

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A HEALTH CAMPAIGN

Your Italian friend is telling you about a health campaign at her school.

Is she talking about now, the past or the future?

Write P for PAST.

 N for NOW.

 F for FUTURE.

1 8 . 1

Settimana sana
[1 mark]

1 8 . 2

Dieta mediterranea
[1 mark]

1 8 . 3

Premi
[1 mark]

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LOCAL NEWS

Listen to this news item on local Italian TV.

Answer in ENGLISH.

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| 1 | 9 |
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Why did he lose his business? (Mention TWO details). [2 marks]

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2 _____



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What was positive about his next idea?
(Mention TWO details). [2 marks]

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SECTION B

Questions and answers in ITALIAN.

Answer ALL questions in the spaces provided.

LA SCUOLA PROFESSIONALE

Ascolta questa pubblicità alla radio in Italia.

Scrivi le DUE lettere giuste nelle caselle.

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Alla scuola alberghiera...
[2 marks]

| | |
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| A | insegnano a cucinare. |
| B | si studia per un anno. |
| C | offrono un lavoro permanente. |
| D | è obbligatorio lavorare all'estero. |
| E | offrono un'esperienza lavorativa in Italia. |

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UN LAVORO IN MEDICINA

La tua amica italiana Carlotta parla delle sue ambizioni.

Scrivi la lettera giusta in ogni casella.

2 **2** . **1**

Carlotta...
[1 mark]

| | |
|----------|------------------------------|
| A | trova facile studiare. |
| B | vorrebbe lavorare in Italia. |
| C | è sempre troppo occupata. |

2 **2** . **2**

La madre di Carlotta...
[1 mark]

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|----------|--------------------------|
| A | fa l'infermiera a Roma. |
| B | vuole sua figlia vicino. |
| C | lavora all'ospedale. |

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LE FESTE ITALIANE

Il tuo professore d'italiano parla di due feste meno conosciute.

Scrivi la lettera giusta nella casella.

2 3 . 1

La festa a Castiglione del Lago è...
[1 mark]

| | |
|---|---------------------------------------|
| A | in onore del bellissimo lago. |
| B | per festeggiare l'arrivo di un fiore. |
| C | una sfilata delle donne. |

2 3 . 2

La festa a Venezia è...
[1 mark]

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| A | del sedicesimo secolo. |
| B | in onore della Basilica. |
| C | per ricordare la fine di una malattia. |



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LO SPORT

Il tuo amico italiano ti parla dello sport.

Scrivi in ITALIANO.

2 4 . 1

In carrozzina*, Sebastiano può...
[1 mark]

2 4 . 2

Si sente...
[1 mark]

2 5 . 1

Grazie alla carrozzina, Sebastiano è diventato...
[1 mark]



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Perché ha potuto...
[1 mark]

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*carrozzina = wheelchair

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