

CAMBRIDGE IELTS LISTENING BOOK 14 TEST 4

SECTION 1 Questions 1–10

Questions 1–7

Complete the notes below.

Write **ONE WORD AND/ OR A NUMBER** for each answer.

Enquiry about booking hotel room for event

Andrew is the Events Manager

Rooms

Adelphi Room

number of people who can sit down to eat: **1**

has a gallery suitable for musicians

can go out and see the **2** in pots on the terrace

terrace has a view of a group of **3**

Carlton Room

number of people who can sit down to eat: 110

has a **4**

view of the lake

Options

Master of Ceremonies

can give a **5** while people are eating

will provide **6** if there are any problems

Accommodation:

in hotel rooms or **7**

Questions 8–10

What is said about using each of the following hotel facilities?

Choose **THREE** answers from the box and write the correct letter, **A**, **B** or **C**, next to Questions 8–10.

Availability

- A** included in cost of hiring room
- B** available at extra charge
- C** not available

Hotel facilities

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| <p>8 outdoor swimming pool</p> <p>9 gym</p> | <p>10 tennis courts</p> |
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SECTION 2 Questions 11–20

Questions 11–16

What information does the speaker give about each of the following excursions?

Choose **SIX** answers from the box and write the correct letter, **A–H**, next to Questions 11–16.

Information

- A** all downhill
- B** suitable for beginners
- C** only in good weather
- D** food included
- E** no charge
- F** swimming possible
- G** fully booked today
- H** transport not included

Excursions

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| 11 dolphin watching | | 14 local craft tour | |
| 12 forest walk | | 15 observatory trip | |
| 13 cycle trip | | 16 horse riding | |

Questions 17 and 18

Choose **TWO** letters **A–E**.

Which **TWO** things does the speaker say about the attraction called *Musical Favourites*?

- A** You pay extra for drinks.
- B** You must book it in advance.
- C** You get a reduction if you buy two tickets.
- D** You can meet the performers.
- E** You can take part in the show.

Questions 19 and 20

Choose **TWO** letters, **A–E**.

Which **TWO** things does the speaker say about the Castle Feast?

- A** Visitors can dance after the meal.
- B** There is a choice of food.
- C** Visitors wear historical costume.
- D** Knives and forks are not used.
- E** The entertainment includes horse races.

SECTION 3 Questions 21–30

Questions 21–25

Choose the correct letter **A**, **B** or **C**.

- 21** What does Trevor find interesting about the purpose of children's literature?
- A** the fact that authors may not realise what values they're teaching
 - B** the fact that literature can be entertaining and educational at the same time
 - C** the fact that adults expect children to imitate characters in literature
- 22** Trevor says the module about the purpose of children's literature made him
- A** analyse some of the stories that his niece reads.
 - B** wonder how far popularity reflects good quality.
 - C** decide to start writing some children's stories.
- 23** Stephanie is interested in the Pictures module because
- A** she intends to become an illustrator.
 - B** she can remember beautiful illustrations from her childhood.
 - C** she believes illustrations are more important than words.
- 24** Trevor and Stephanie agree that comics
- A** are inferior to books.
 - B** have the potential for being useful.
 - C** discourage children from using their imagination.
- 25** With regard to books aimed at only boys or only girls, Trevor was surprised
- A** how long the distinction had gone unquestioned.
 - B** how few books were aimed at both girls and boys.
 - C** how many children enjoyed books intended for the opposite sex.

Questions 26–30

What comment is made about each of these stories?

Choose **FIVE** answers from the box and write the correct letter, **A–G**, next to Questions 26–30.

Comments

- A** translated into many other languages
- B** hard to read
- C** inspired a work in a different area of art
- D** more popular than the author's other works
- E** original title refers to another book
- F** started a new genre
- G** unlikely topic

Stories

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|--|-------|--|-------|
| 26 Perrault's fairy tales | | 29 <i>The Lord of the Rings</i> | |
| 27 <i>The Swiss Family Robinson</i> | | 30 <i>War Horse</i> | |
| 28 <i>The Nutcracker</i>
and <i>The Mouse King</i> | | | |

SECTION 4 Questions 31–40

Complete the notes below.

Write **ONE WORD ONLY** for each answer.

The hunt for sunken settlements and ancient shipwrecks

ATLIT-YAM

- was a village on coast of eastern Mediterranean
- thrived until about 7,000 BC
- stone homes had a courtyard
- had a semicircle of large stones round a **31**
- cause of destruction unknown – now under the sea
- biggest settlement from the prehistoric period found on the seabed
- research carried out into structures, **32** and human remains

TRADITIONAL AUTONOMOUS UNDERWATER VEHICLES (AUVS)

- used in the oil industry, e.g. to make **33**
- problems: they were expensive and **34**

LATEST AUVS

- much easier to use, relatively cheap, sophisticated

Tests:

- Marzamemi, Sicily: found ancient Roman ships carrying architectural elements made of **35**

Underwater internet:

- **36** is used for short distance communication, acoustic waves for long distance
- plans for communication with researchers by satellite
- AUV can send data to another AUV that has better **37**, for example

Planned research in Gulf of Baratti:

- to find out more about wrecks of ancient Roman ships, including
 - one carrying **38** supplies; tablets may have been used for cleaning the **39**
 - others carrying containers of olive oil or **40**