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Test 3

LISTENING

SECTION 1 Questions 1–10

Questions 1–3

Complete the form below.

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

Rented Properties Customer's Requirements	
Name:	Steven Godfrey
<i>Example</i>	<i>Answer</i>
No. of bedrooms:	four.....
Preferred location:	in the 1 area of town
Maximum monthly rent:	2 £
Length of let required:	3
Starting:	September 1st

Questions 4–8

Complete the table below.

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

Address	Rooms	Monthly rent	Problem
Oakington Avenue	living/dining room, separate kitchen	£550	no 4
Mead Street	large living room and kitchen, bathroom and a cloakroom	£580	the 5 is too large
Hamilton Road	living room, kitchen-diner, and a 6	£550	too 7
Devon Close	living room, dining room, small kitchen	8 £	none

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Questions 9 and 10

Choose **TWO** letters, **A–E**.

Which **TWO** facilities in the district of Devon Close are open to the public at the moment?

- A** museum
- B** concert hall
- C** cinema
- D** sports centre
- E** swimming pool

SECTION 2 Questions 11–20

Questions 11–16

Complete the notes below.

Write **NO MORE THAN TWO WORDS AND/OR A NUMBER** for each answer.**THE NATIONAL ARTS CENTRE**

Well known for:	11
Complex consists of:	concert rooms
	theatres
	cinemas
	art galleries
	public library
	restaurants
	a 12
Historical background:	1940 – area destroyed by bombs
	1960s–1970s – Centre was 13 and built
	in 14 – opened to public
Managed by:	the 15
Open:	16 days per year

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Questions 17–20

Complete the table below.

Write **NO MORE THAN THREE WORDS AND/OR A NUMBER** for each answer.

Day	Time	Event	Venue	Ticket price
Monday and Tuesday	7.30 p.m.	'The Magic Flute' (opera by Mozart)	17	from £8.00
Wednesday	8.00 p.m.	18 '.....' (Canadian film)	Cinema 2	19 £
Saturday and Sunday	11 a.m. to 10 p.m.	20 '.....' (art exhibition)	Gallery 1	free

SECTION 3 Questions 21–30

Questions 21–26

Choose the correct letter, A, B or C.

Latin American studies

- 21** Paul decided to get work experience in South America because he wanted
- A** to teach English there.
 - B** to improve his Spanish.
 - C** to learn about Latin American life.
- 22** What project work did Paul originally intend to get involved in?
- A** construction
 - B** agriculture
 - C** tourism
- 23** Why did Paul change from one project to another?
- A** His first job was not well organised.
 - B** He found doing the routine work very boring.
 - C** The work was too physically demanding.
- 24** In the village community, he learnt how important it was to
- A** respect family life.
 - B** develop trust.
 - C** use money wisely.
- 25** What does Paul say about his project manager?
- A** He let Paul do most of the work.
 - B** His plans were too ambitious.
 - C** He was very supportive of Paul.
- 26** Paul was surprised to be given
- A** a computer to use.
 - B** so little money to live on.
 - C** an extension to his contract.

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Questions 27–30

What does Paul decide about each of the following modules?

Write the correct letter, **A**, **B** or **C**, next to questions 27–30.

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| <p>A He will do this.
B He might do this.
C He won't do this.</p> |
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Module

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| 27 | Gender Studies in Latin America | |
| 28 | Second Language Acquisition | |
| 29 | Indigenous Women's Lives | |
| 30 | Portuguese Language Studies | |

SECTION 4 Questions 31–40

Questions 31–34

Choose the correct letter, A, B or C.

Trying to repeat success

- 31** Compared to introducing new business processes, attempts to copy existing processes are
- A** more attractive.
 - B** more frequent.
 - C** more straightforward.
- 32** Most research into the repetition of success in business has
- A** been done outside the United States.
 - B** produced consistent findings.
 - C** related to only a few contexts.
- 33** What does the speaker say about consulting experts?
- A** Too few managers ever do it.
 - B** It can be useful in certain circumstances.
 - C** Experts are sometimes unwilling to give advice.
- 34** An expert's knowledge about a business system may be incomplete because
- A** some details are difficult for workers to explain.
 - B** workers choose not to mention certain details.
 - C** details are sometimes altered by workers.

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Questions 35–40

Complete the notes below.

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

Setting up systems based on an existing process

Two mistakes

Manager tries to:

- improve on the original process
- create an ideal **35** from the best parts of several processes

Cause of problems

- information was inaccurate
- comparison between the business settings was invalid
- disadvantages were overlooked, e.g. effect of changes on **36**

Solution

- change **37**
- impose rigorous **38**
- copy original very closely:
 - physical features of the **39**
 - the **40** of original employees

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LISTENING

Section 1, Questions 1–10

- 1 central
- 2 600
- 3 2 year(s)
- 4 garage
- 5 garden
- 6 study
- 7 noisy
- 8 595

9&10 IN EITHER ORDER

- B
- E

Section 3, Questions 21–30

- 21 C
- 22 C
- 23 A
- 24 B
- 25 C
- 26 A
- 27 C
- 28 A
- 29 B
- 30 C

Section 2, Questions 11–20

- 11 classical music/(classical/music) concerts
- 12 bookshop/bookstore
- 13 planned
- 14 1983/(the) 1980s
- 15 City Council
- 16 363
- 17 (the) Garden Hall
- 18 Three Lives
- 19 4.50
- 20 Faces of China

Section 4, Questions 31–40

- 31 B
- 32 B
- 33 B
- 34 A
- 35 combination/system
- 36 safety
- 37 attitude(s)
- 38 control(s)
- 39 factory/factories
- 40 skills

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