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Test 3

LISTENING

SECTION 1 Questions 1–10

Questions 1–5

Complete the table below.

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

Apartments	Facilities	Other Information	Cost
Rose Garden Apartments	studio flat	<i>Example</i> entertainment programme: Greek <i>dancing</i>	£219
Blue Bay Apartments	large salt-water swimming pool	- just 1 metres from beach - near shops	£275
2 Apartments	terrace	watersports	£490
The Grand	- Greek paintings - 3	- overlooking 4 - near a supermarket and a disco	5 £

Questions 6–10

Complete the table below.

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

GREEK ISLAND HOLIDAYS	
Insurance Benefits	Maximum Amount
Cancellation	6 £
Hospital	£600. Additional benefit allows a 7 to travel to resort
8 departure	Up to £1000. Depends on reason
Personal belongings	Up to £3000; £500 for one 9
Name of Assistant Manager: Ben 10	
Direct phone line: 081260 543216	

SECTION 2 Questions 11–20

Questions 11–13

Choose the correct letter, A, B or C.

Winridge Forest Railway Park

- 11** Simon's idea for a theme park came from
- A** his childhood hobby.
 - B** his interest in landscape design.
 - C** his visit to another park.
- 12** When they started, the family decided to open the park only when
- A** the weather was expected to be good.
 - B** the children weren't at school.
 - C** there were fewer farming commitments.
- 13** Since opening, the park has had
- A** 50,000 visitors.
 - B** 1,000,000 visitors.
 - C** 1,500,000 visitors.

Questions 14–18

What is currently the main area of work of each of the following people?

Choose **FIVE** answers from the box and write the correct letter, **A–H**, next to questions 14–18.

<p>Area of work</p> <p>A advertising</p> <p>B animal care</p> <p>C building</p> <p>D educational links</p> <p>E engine maintenance</p> <p>F food and drink</p> <p>G sales</p> <p>H staffing</p>
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People

- 14 Simon (the speaker)
- 15 Liz
- 16 Sarah
- 17 Duncan
- 18 Judith

Questions 19 and 20

Complete the table below.

Write **ONE WORD AND/OR NUMBERS** for each answer.

Feature	Size	Biggest challenge	Target age group
Railway	1.2 km	Making tunnels	
Go-Kart arena	19 m ²	Removing mounds on the track	20 year-olds

SECTION 3 Questions 21–30

Complete the notes below.

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

Study Skills Tutorial – Caroline Benning

Dissertation topic: the **21**

- Strengths:
- **22**
 - computer modelling

- Weaknesses:
- lack of background information
 - poor **23** skills

Possible strategy	Benefits	Problems
peer group discussion	increases 24	dissertations tend to contain the same 25
use the 26 service	provides structured programme	limited 27
consult study skills books	are a good source of reference	can be too 28

- Recommendations:
- use a card index
 - read all notes **29**

Next tutorial date: **30** January

SECTION 4 Questions 31–40

Questions 31 and 32

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

- 31** The owners of the underground house
- A** had no experience of living in a rural area.
 - B** were interested in environmental issues.
 - C** wanted a professional project manager.
- 32** What does the speaker say about the site of the house?
- A** The land was quite cheap.
 - B** Stone was being extracted nearby.
 - C** It was in a completely unspoilt area.

Questions 33–40

Complete the notes below.

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

The Underground House

Design

- Built in the earth, with two floors
- The south-facing side was constructed of two layers of **33**
- Photovoltaic tiles were attached
- A layer of foam was used to improve the **34** of the building

Special features

- To increase the light, the building has many internal mirrors and **35**
- In future, the house may produce more **36** than it needs
- Recycled wood was used for the **37** of the house
- The system for processing domestic **38** is organic

Environmental issues

- The use of large quantities of **39** in construction was environmentally harmful
- But the house will have paid its 'environmental debt' within **40**

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Section 1, Questions 1–10

- 1 300
- 2 Sunshade
- 3 balcony
- 4 forest/forests
- 5 319
- 6 10,000
- 7 relative
- 8 missed
- 9 item
- 10 Ludlow

Section 3, Questions 21–30

- 21 fishing industry
- 22 statistics
- 23 note-taking
- 24 confidence
- 25 ideas
- 26 student support
- 27 places
- 28 general
- 29 3 times
- 30 25

Section 2, Questions 11–20

- 11 C
- 12 A
- 13 C
- 14 E
- 15 H
- 16 F
- 17 C
- 18 G
- 19 120
- 20 5 to 12

Section 4, Questions 31–40

- 31 B
- 32 A
- 33 glass
- 34 insulation
- 35 windows
- 36 electricity
- 37 floor/floors
- 38 waste
- 39 concrete
- 40 15 years

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