

Practice Tests

Practice Test 1

LISTENING

SECTION 1 Questions 1-10

Questions 1-5

Circle the appropriate letter.

Example

What has the woman lost?

- | | |
|--|-------------|
| ☒ A a briefcase | C a handbag |
| B a suitcase | D a wallet |

1 What does her briefcase look like?



A



B

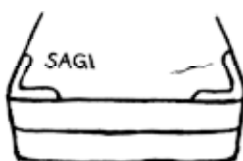


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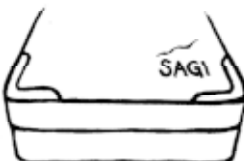


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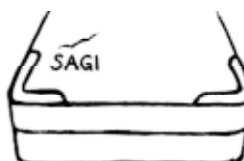
2 Which picture shows the distinguishing features?



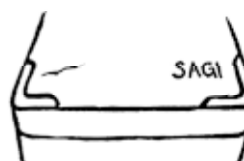
A



B



C



D

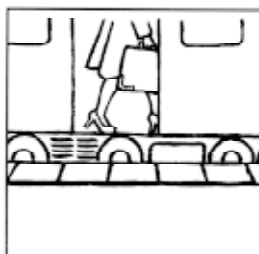
3 What did she have inside her briefcase?

- | | |
|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| A wallet, pens and novel | C pens and novel |
| B papers and wallet | D papers, pens and novel |

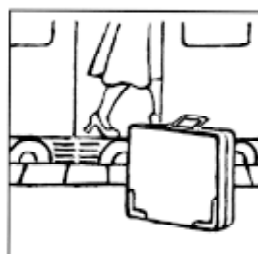
- 4 Where was she standing when she lost her briefcase?



A



B



C



D

- 5 What time was it when she lost her briefcase?



A



B



C



D

Questions 6-10

Complete the form Write **NO MORE THAN THREE WORDS** for each answer.

PERSONAL DETAILS FORM	
Name:	Mary (6)
Address:	Flat 2
	(7) (8) Road
	Canterbury
Telephone:	(9)
Estimated value of lost item:	(10) £

SECTION 2 Questions 11-21

Questions 11-13

Tick the **THREE** other items which are mentioned in the news headlines.

NEWS HEADLINES	
A Rivers flood in the north	☐
<i>Example</i> B Money promised for drought victims	☒
C Nurses on strike in Melbourne	☐
D Passengers rescued from ship	☐
E Passengers rescued from plane	☐
F Bus and train drivers national strike threat	☐
G Teachers demand more pay	☐
H New uniform for QANTAS staff	☐
I National airports under new management	☐

Questions 14-21

Complete the notes below by writing **NO MORE THAN THREE WORDS** in the spaces provided.

The Government plans to give **(14)** \$ to assist the farmers. This money was to be spent on improving Sydney's **(15)** but has now been re-allocated. Australia has experienced its worst drought in over fifty years. Farmers say that the money will not help them because it is **(16)**

An aeroplane which was carrying a group of **(17)** was forced to land just **(18)** minutes after take-off. The passengers were rescued by **(19)** The operation was helped because of the good weather. The passengers thanked the **(20)** for saving their lives but unfortunately they lost their **(21)**

SECTION 3 Questions 22-31

Questions 22-25

Circle the appropriate letter.

Example

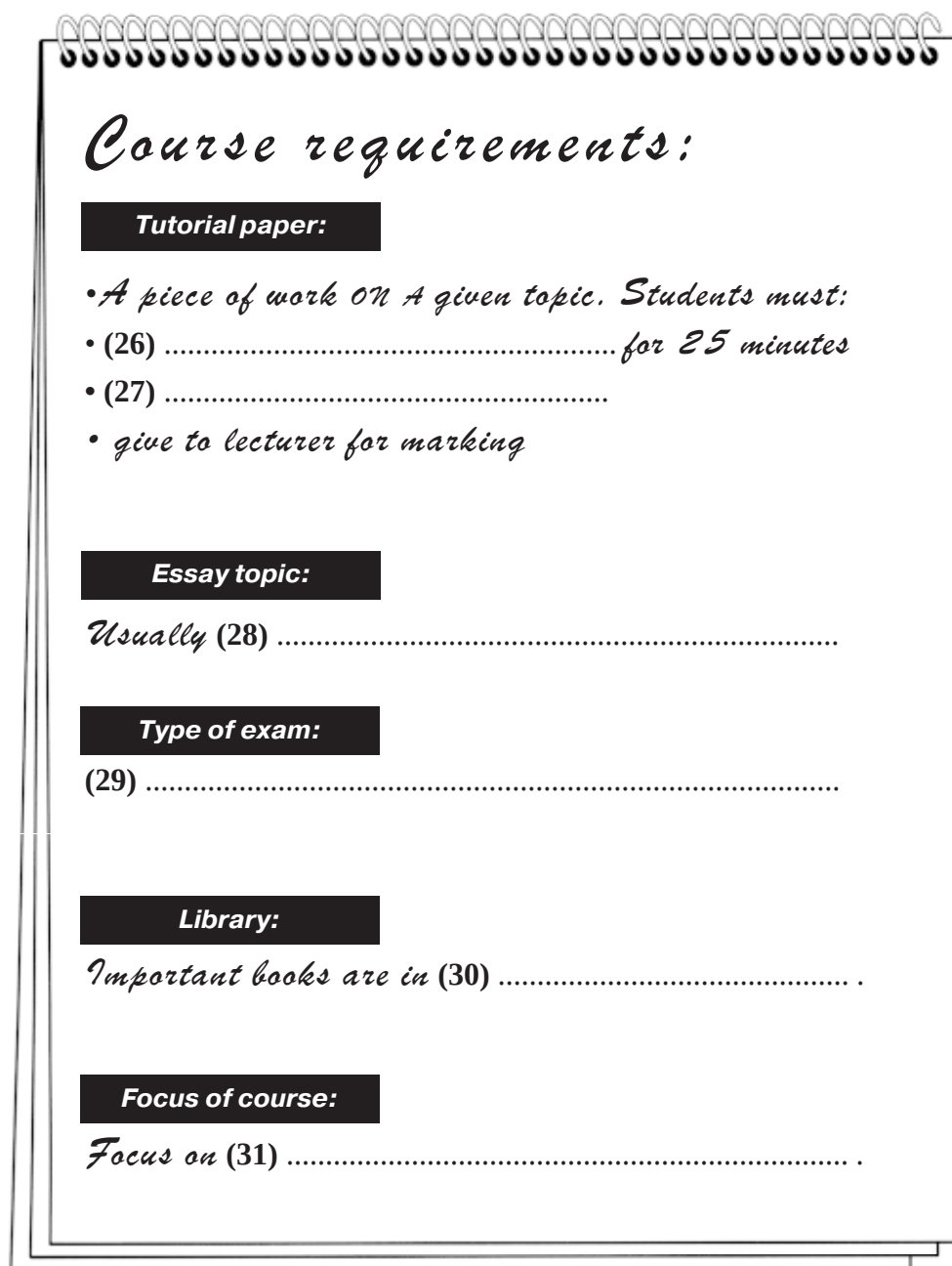
The student is looking for the School of

- A Fine Arts.
- B Economic History.
- ☒ C Economics.
- D Accountancy.

- 22 The orientation meeting
- A took place recently.
 - B took place last term.
 - C will take place tomorrow.
 - D will take place next week.
- 23 Attendance at lectures is
- A optional after 4 pm.
 - B closely monitored.
 - C difficult to enforce.
 - D sometimes unnecessary.
- 24 Tutorials take place
- A every morning.
 - B twice a week.
 - C three mornings a week.
 - D three afternoons a week.
- 25 The lecturer's name is
- A Roberts.
 - B Rawson.
 - C Rogers.
 - D Robertson.

Questions 26-31

Complete the notes below using **NO MORE THAN THREE WORDS**.



Course requirements:

Tutorial paper:

- *A piece of work ON A given topic. Students must:*
- (26) *for 25 minutes*
- (27)
- *give to lecturer for marking*

Essay topic:

Usually (28)

Type of exam:

(29)

Library:

Important books are in (30)

Focus of course:

Focus on (31)

SECTION 4 Questions 32-41

Questions 32-33

Circle the appropriate letter.

32 The speaker works within the Faculty of

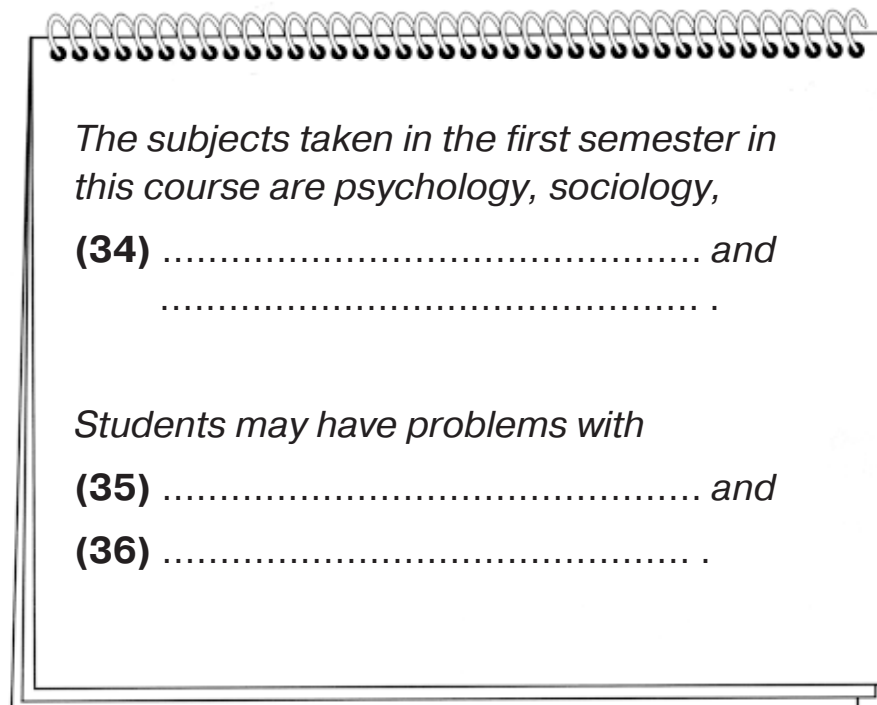
- A Science and Technology.
- B Arts and Social Sciences.
- C Architecture.
- D Law.

33 The Faculty consists firstly of

- A subjects.
- B degrees.
- C divisions.
- D departments.

Questions 34-36

Complete the notes in **NO MORE THAN THREE WORDS**.



The subjects taken in the first semester in this course are psychology, sociology,

(34) *and*
.....

Students may have problems with

(35) *and*

(36)

Questions 37-41

Circle the appropriate letter.

- 37** The speaker says students can visit her
- A** every morning.
 - B** some mornings.
 - C** mornings only.
 - D** Friday morning.
- 38** According to the speaker, a tutorial
- A** is a type of lecture.
 - B** is less important than a lecture.
 - C** provides a chance to share views.
 - D** provides an alternative to groupwork.
- 39** When writing essays, the speaker advises the students to
- A** research their work well.
 - B** name the books they have read.
 - C** share work with their friends.
 - D** avoid using other writers' ideas.
- 40** The speaker thinks that plagiarism is
- A** a common problem.
 - B** an acceptable risk.
 - C** a minor concern.
 - D** a serious offence.
- 41** The speaker's aims are to
- A** introduce students to university expectations.
 - B** introduce students to the members of staff.
 - C** warn students about the difficulties of studying.
 - D** guide students round the university.

Answer keys

PRACTICE TEST 1

LISTENING

Section 1

- 1 A
- 2 C
- 3 D
- 4 D
- 5 C
- 6 Prescott (*must be correct spelling with capital "P"*)
- 7 41
- 8 Fountain (*must have capital "F"*)
- 9 752239
- 10 £65

Section 2

- 11 E } in
- 12 F } any
- 13 H } order
- 14 \$250 million
- 15 roads//road system
- 16 too late
- 17 school children//boys
- 18 3
- 19 boats//pleasure crafty/boats and pleasure craft
- 20 pilot
- 21 (musical) instruments

Section 3

- 22 A
- 23 B
- 24 C
- 25 A
- 26 talk//give a talk
- 27 write up work
- 28 can choose
- 29 open book
- 30 closed reserve
- 31 vocational (subjects)//(preparing for) work/employment

Section 4

- 32 B
- 33 C
- 34 history and economics
- 35 (meeting) deadlines (for essays)
- 36 attendance
- 37 B
- 38 C
- 39 B
- 40 D
- 41 A