

ANGLIA EXAMINATION SYNDICATE

LISTENING SCRIPT (for recording artists)

Please record the following.

Cast needed:

Part One – male and female

Part Two – male

Part Three – female

Do not record words in brackets.

This is Anglia Examinations, England.

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Listening Examination

(pause)

Entry Level 3 Intermediate, Set 3

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Candidate Instructions

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Listen to the recording and answer the questions.

You will hear each part of the recording twice.

There will be a pause before each part so you can read the questions. There will be other pauses to let you think about your answers.

When you hear the tone (**example of tone**), write your answers on the question paper.

Write clearly in the spaces provided.

Use a black PEN in the spaces provided.

You must ask any questions now as you cannot speak during the test.

(pause 5 seconds)

Listen to the first part of the test

(pause 3 seconds)

Section L1.

Listen to these six conversations and put a tick in the box which shows the correct answer to the man's question. The first one is done for you as an example.

(pause 3 seconds)

A.

- (M)** Where is Pippa going now? Is she going to the shops?
(F) I'm sure she wishes she was. She's got an appointment, actually.
(M) Will she still be able to meet us at the café at three? Is it with that Doctor Beckett again?
(F) No not him, it's not at the doctor's. She's having a tooth out. She said she would be able to make it, but I think she'll be late, and she might not be able to eat or drink for a bit.

(tone) (pause 3 seconds)

B.

- (M)** Who is Betty going to visit? Is it her sister?
(F) Actually, her sister and brother surprised her by turning up at her house yesterday. She's on her way to see her grandfather now because he has health issues and can't travel.
(M) I know she's been missing her family since she moved into her own flat. Did her mother go round yesterday too?
(F) She would have done if she'd been free, but she was busy working.

(tone) (pause 3 seconds)

C.

- (M)** Why is the school football match starting later today? Is it likely to rain?
(F) There's no mention of even a shower on my weather app. The team they're competing against is arriving early to watch the drama club's outdoor performance before the match.
(M) So will the actors be using the field then?
(F) Yes, and the football coach will be in the audience too because his son's acting in the play.

(tone) (pause 3 seconds)

D.

- (M)** Why did Carlos leave his job in Brighton? I thought his job at his new company really suited him.
(F) Yes, he was happy with it, but his wife, Jenny, successfully applied for a new job in Liverpool so they had to move.
(M) He'd just been promoted too and was doing really well.
(F) Yes, that's true. He would have earned more money but I'm sure he'll be able to find another post soon. Anyway, Jenny's new job is *really* well-paid so there's no immediate pressure.

(tone) (pause 3 seconds)

E.

- (M)** What did Raheem forget to take with him? Was it his phone?
(F) If he forgot that, I would be absolutely amazed, but he did leave his charger at home. He said he'd noticed the battery was really low and couldn't do anything about it.

- (M) Oh dear, so he can't use his phone at all? Does he have a tablet?
(F) Well, luckily I had one in my bag so he used mine to charge the phone.

(tone) (pause 3 seconds)

F.

- (M) How much did Janet pay for her holiday in Greece? Did she pay more than £300?
(F) Actually, it was double that for a week. She saw an advert for £150 off for new customers, but was disappointed because that was only for UK holidays.
(M) I really didn't expect you to say £600!
(F) It's gone up a lot since we went last year when it cost us £450 per person.

(tone) (pause 3 seconds)

Now listen to the first part of the test again. (pause 3 seconds and repeat)

Now listen to the second part of the test.

Listen to this passage about the Holi Festival and write the words which are missing in the spaces given. Remember to write two words in each space. The first one has been done for you as an example.

(tone) (pause 3 seconds)

Holi is one of India's **most famous** religious festivals. It is mainly a *Hindu* celebration. However, **despite this**, different religions celebrate together. The reason is because the event is **so exciting** and colourful that everyone wants to join in. The Holi festival is also **known as** the festival of colours, festival of love and festival of spring.

Holi is celebrated every year in March but the exact date **depends on** when the last full moon of the month is. Celebrations start that evening and **after making** a large fire, everyone prays together. The fire **is lit** to burn all that is bad and signal the end of winter. People **look forward** to the next morning, when the fun part of the festival starts.

Before going out in the morning, they collect balloons **filled with** coloured water. Then, hundreds gather in the streets, dancing and throwing the balloons at other people. Everyone's faces are covered with many bright colours, for example, yellow made from the powder *turmeric*, which is used in cooking. Food such as *gujiya*, which is a **sweet, fried** snack, also plays a big part in the festival. At the end of the day, the whole community is covered in colour.

(pause 5 seconds)

Now listen to the second part of the test again. (pause 3 seconds and repeat)

Now listen to the third part of the test.

Section L3.

Listen to the passage about skateboarder Tony Alva and decide if the following sentences are true or false, or if the passage doesn't say. Put a tick in the correct column. There will now be a 20-second pause to allow you to read the questions.

(tone) (pause 20 seconds) (please read slowly)

Tony Alva is a skateboarder. He was born in Los Angeles, to parents who were Mexican American. He was brought up in California, and in 1967, at aged 10, he started two new hobbies which he loved. The first was skateboarding, for which he is famous. Alva also loved surfing. He was influenced by the modern Hawaiian surfing style, which was popular worldwide.

Alva's style of skateboarding became popular because it was different from traditional skateboarding. He soon became a professional skateboarder with the Zephyr Skateboard team, also known as the Z-boys.

At aged 19, Alva formed his own company, *Alva Skates*, and designed new skateboards. He also worked on the design of the famous *Vans* shoes, which are popular with skateboarders.

In 1977, California had had no rain for two years. Therefore, the state banned people from filling their swimming pools. The Z-boys used these empty pools for skateboard practice, and Alva made up a new *move* by skating up and down the walls. This became known as the *Frontside Air* move.

Alva won the World Skateboarding Championship in 1977 and was voted *Skateboarder of the Year* the following year. He still skateboards today and plays the guitar for a Los Angeles rock band.

(pause 3 seconds)

Now listen to the third part of the test again. **(pause 3 seconds and repeat)**

(tone) (pause 3 seconds)

That is the end of the listening test. You will now have three minutes to check your answers. Your listening paper will then be collected.