

Listening Test

Task 1

A – B 3 C 5 D 4 E 2 F – G 1 H –

Task 2

1 A 2 C 3 B 4 C

Task 3

cups → caps
 stability → ability
 lane → line
 fit → fix
 immense → intense
 path → part

Task 4

1. (the) parcel service / (the service) CP Express / (the) service that brought the package
2. ► tracking number
 - proof of value / digital bill
 - photos of (the) damaged product
3. (within) 60 days after mailing date
4. ► free shipping
 - 20 % discount
5. Y3 – 0068 – HA92

Task 5

1. seagrass and (other) plants
2. ► (ensuring) food security
 - reducing (the) demand for natural resources/materials
3. ► (fully) compostable (in 4 – 6 weeks)
 - holds liquids
 - adds minerals to (the) food (in hot water)
4. ► would require/need more raw material(s)
 - (thousands of) tons of toxic waste (in mining)
5. funding for (further) research

Written Test

Part I: Reading

Task 1

A	B	C	D	E	F
3	7	0	6	1	4

► Task 2

Nr.	T	F	N
1		X	
2			X
3	X		
4		X	
5	X		
6		X	
7	X		
8		X	
9		X	
10	X		

► Task 3

A	B	C	D	E	F
7	4	1	8	3	5

► Task 4

- wir fühlen uns nachts sicherer
 - sie verbessert die Sichtbarkeit
 - sie erhöht die Anzahl der Personen, die nachts ihr Haus verlassen
- sie wird weitgehend übersehen / sie ist in vielen Ländern (immer noch) unreguliert
- es stört den normalen Anstieg und Abfall des Melatoninspiegels
- sie haben keine Orientierung mehr
 - sie können Mond und Sterne nicht als Kompass nutzen
- Leuchtmittel wählen, die weniger blaues Licht abstrahlen
- Empfindlichkeit des Bewegungsmelders anpassen
 - Lichter sollen nach kurzer Zeit ausgehen
 - verhindern, dass die Lichter unnötig angehen

Part II: Use of English

Task 1

1. (to) depart / departed
2. (to) generate
3. mystic
4. caution
5. influx

Task 2

A	B	C	D	E	F
0	6	4	7	3	5

Task 3

1. industrial
2. create
3. enter
4. usual
5. appear

Task 4

1. Einstein was the first (person) to have the idea that stimulated light could produce a laser.
2. The first laser was built by Theodore Mainman at Hughes Laboratories in California in 1960.
3. Since the 1980s, NASA missions have used lasers to measure the distance between the Moon and the Earth.
4. Instead of (containing) a mixture of all the colours of light, laser light consists of only one colour.
5. Travelling at the speed of light, which is 299,792,458 metres per second, laser light is/goes/moves/travels (just) as fast as every other light.

Task 5

1. lay / lies
2. have contributed / have been contributing
3. revealed
4. theoretically
5. honouring / being honoured
6. would name
7. whose
8. on
9. worse
10. will be perceived

Part III: Guided Writing

Task A – Letter of application

Dear Sir or Madam,

Recently I read your advertisement for a new member of the lighting team in the concert hall and I immediately decided to apply for this apprenticeship.

It is exactly what I have been looking for. As a child, my parents often took me to concerts because we all like music. But this is only one reason. Apart from that the presentation of the pieces was extremely fascinating and the lights cast a spell on me. Last but not least I would contribute to making people have a good time, which is one of my dreams.

During my time at school I worked twice as an intern, which enabled me to gain some work experience. First I helped in a store selling all kinds of technical devices. So I had the chance to see the newest products on the market. For my second work placement I joined a group of technicians whose job it was to install the computer system for a new office building. Moreover I was in a team of students who were responsible for the lights and sound whenever the drama club performed at school.

I have always enjoyed working in teams. Listening to others or sticking to rules is easy for me. These are necessary social skills for a member of a team. In addition, I have always been described as a very reliable and friendly person. I am open to new challenges and I am a quick learner.

Finally, I would like to know the exact working hours. Can you also tell me how much I will earn in the first year and when the training begins?

Please let me know if you consider me. I am looking forward to hearing from you soon.

Yours faithfully

Emilio Conte

Task B – Article for the group's website

SAVING ENERGY

Hello everybody,

On the occasion of the second anniversary of SAVING ENERGY I decided to write this article in order to raise awareness of our project.

In 2021, together with three classmates of mine, I became aware of the problem after we had experienced the complaints of our parents about increasing energy prices. So we founded this project group to support our families. For two years now we have been working on several improvements.

Since the beginning we have already saved a few hundred megawatt hours of energy in our town. We have made posters to inform people about power guzzlers in the home and many of our ideas have been put into practice. Even our parents' electricity bills could be reduced slightly. Last year we convinced the mayor to turn off the streetlights one hour earlier every day.

In addition, the traditional bulbs should be replaced by LED bulbs soon. You can also do without lights in shop windows after 10 pm. Therefore we asked the city council for a regulation. Finally the towns have to invest in windmills and solar farms because not only saving power is important but also producing clean energy.

If you share our concern about saving energy, here are some ideas about how you can support us. If you are interested in our project, come and join the team and take part in future actions. Please share the link of this article together with the attached list of useful tips and contact details. And above all, save energy!

All the best,

Laura



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