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Part 2

Answer all questions in Part 2 according to the directions for Parts 2a, 2b, and 2c.

**Part 2a**

*Directions (1–10):* There are 10 questions in this part. For each question, you will hear some background information in English. Then you will hear a passage in Italian *twice,* followed by the question in English. Listen carefully. After you have heard the question, read the question and the four suggested answers in your test booklet. Choose the best suggested answer and write its *number* in the appropriate space on your answer sheet. [20]

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<td>(1) to study together  (2) to go to the library  (3) to meet at her house  (4) to get ice cream</td>
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<td>2. What type of contest is being described?</td>
<td>(1) a writing contest  (2) a science contest  (3) a history contest  (4) an art contest</td>
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<td>3. How is John’s school best described?</td>
<td>(1) small  (2) new  (3) rural  (4) old</td>
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<td>(1) The house is very big.  (2) The house has a beautiful garden.  (3) The house is very small.  (4) The house has a large terrace.</td>
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<td>5. What did your friend invite you to do?</td>
<td>(1) go to a restaurant  (2) go to a soccer game  (3) go to a theater  (4) go to a party</td>
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<td>6. Where is your friend going to live?</td>
<td>(1) at the university  (2) at the seashore  (3) in the city  (4) in the country</td>
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<td>7. What does the doctor want you to do today?</td>
<td>(1) return to school  (2) drink more fluids  (3) stay home  (4) eat healthy foods</td>
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<td>8. Why is your host mother going to the park?</td>
<td>(1) to go for a walk  (2) to have a picnic  (3) to hear a speech  (4) to take some photos</td>
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<td>9. What does Teresa ask you to do?</td>
<td>(1) send her an English book  (2) send her an e-mail message  (3) send her a postcard of your town  (4) send her the mailing address of your family</td>
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<td>10. What are they planning to open?</td>
<td>(1) a theater and a hospital  (2) a travel agency and a museum  (3) a restaurant and an animal park  (4) a school and an art gallery</td>
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Part 2b

Directions (11–15): There are 5 questions in this part. For each question, you will hear some background information in English. Then you will hear a passage in Italian twice, followed by the question in Italian. Listen carefully. After you have heard the question, read the question and the four suggested answers in your test booklet. Choose the best suggested answer and write its number in the appropriate space on your answer sheet. 

11 Che cosa desidera fare Elena?
   (1) la cantante   (2) la violinista   (3) l’attrice   (4) la direttrice

12 Qual è la materia preferita di Susanna?
   (1) scienze   (2) inglese   (3) matematica   (4) arte

13 Che ti suggerisce la persona?
   (1) di visitare il mese prossimo   (2) di aspettare trenta minuti
   (3) di comprare il biglietto adesso   (4) di ritornare domani

14 Dove vuole andare Caterina domani pomeriggio?
   (1) ad un concerto rock   (2) ad una partita di calcio
   (3) al negozio d’abbigliamento   (4) a casa di sua nonna

15 Dove va l’amico?
   (1) alla spiaggia   (2) alla piscina
   (3) allo stadio   (4) al ristorante
Part 2c

Directions (16–20): There are 5 questions in this part. For each question, you will hear some background information in English. Then you will hear a passage in Italian twice, followed by the question in English. Listen carefully. After you have heard the question, read the question and look at the four pictures in your test booklet. Choose the picture that best answers the question and write its number in the appropriate space on your answer sheet. [10]

16 Which activity does your friend like?

17 Which means of transportation makes Maurizio uncomfortable?

18 What does this person want the waiter to bring?
19 What will Adriana see on her trip?

(1) [Image of a bird]

(2) [Image of a whale]

(3) [Image of a polar bear]

(4) [Image of an elephant]

20 What is the occupation of Leonardo’s mother?

(1) [Image of a painter and a model]

(2) [Image of a nurse with a stethoscope]

(3) [Image of a woman brushing a child’s hair]

(4) [Image of a scientist with a beaker]
Part 3

Answer all questions in Part 3 according to the directions for Parts 3a and 3b.

Part 3a

Directions (21–26): There are 6 questions in this part. For each, you must answer a question in English based on a reading selection in Italian. Choose the best answer to each question and write its number in the appropriate space on your answer sheet. [12]

21 According to the advertisement, what is available in this residence?

(1) a post office
(2) a grocery store
(3) a library
(4) a swimming pool
Le feste d’autunno in Italia

In Italia, in autunno ci sono molte feste.

A Terra del Sole, in Emilia Romagna, c’è la sagra popolare chiamata Festa della Fugarena. È una festa agricola di origine antica che avviene alla fine dell’anno della coltivazione, il 19 novembre.

La gente vende frutta e verdura della loro terra e in sera ta tutti si riuniscono nella piazza principale dove c’è un grande fuoco.

Intorno al fuoco ci sono bancarelle di dolci e di giocattoli.

22 What is being celebrated in the region of Emilia Romagna?

(1) the victory of a battle  (3) the winning of a soccer match
(2) the seasonal food festival  (4) the introduction of a new product

23 Who would like to receive letters written in German?

(1) Stefano  (2) Adrian  (3) Allam  (4) Linda

24 What is Kordata?

(1) a bookbag  (2) a magazine  (3) a café  (4) a camera
This advertisement will help people

1. find books about animals
2. find comfortable seating
3. be respectful to animals
4. find proper eye care

What is the purpose of this product?

1. to brush your hair
2. to get rid of a headache
3. to relieve an upset stomach
4. to brush your teeth
### Part 3b

*Directions (27–30):* There are 4 questions in this part. For each, you must answer a question in Italian based on a reading selection in Italian. Choose the best answer to each question and write its *number* in the appropriate space on your answer sheet.

27 In che giorno fa più freddo?

- (1) martedì mattina
- (2) mercoledì mattina
- (3) mercoledì a mezzogiorno
- (4) giovedì a mezzogiorno

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Rimini, il quindici giugno, 2010

Ciao Federico,

Come va? Io sono in vacanza a Rimini. È una bella città della Toscana situata sul mar Adriatico. Sono con la mia famiglia ed i miei genitori hanno trovato una piccola pensione poco lontano dalla spiaggia e ogni sera ci divertiamo molto cantando e suonando la chitarra.

In estate, molte persone visitano Rimini per il suo splendido mare e le lunghe e belle spiagge. Ieri ho incontrato una ragazza milanese molto simpatica. Stasera andiamo a ballare insieme in una discoteca sulla spiaggia.

Saluti,
Il tuo amico
Beppe

28 Che cosa dice Beppe?

(1) Gioca ai videogiochi.  (2) Si diverte con la famiglia.  (3) Segue corsi di ballo.  (4) Lavora in un negozio.

29 Perché vai al Centro Giovani?

(1) per incontrare nuovi amici  (3) per comprare un dizionario
(2) per prepararti per un esame  (4) per vestirti bene
Gita al Carnevale di Viareggio

Domenica 7 febbraio 2010

A coronamento del proprio Carnevale, la Pro Malo organizza, come di consueto, una gita culturale per celebrare il Carnevale d’Italia e d’Europa di Viareggio con partecipazione al Corso Mascherato, apoteosi del Carnevale, parata di luci, colori e musica, strabiliante spettacolo pirotecnico finale.

Programma

Ore 10.30  Partenza in pullman GT dalla Sede in Piazza Zanini, 1 Malo per l’autostrada Vicenza-Bologna- Viareggio. Soste e colazione lungo l’autostrada.

Ore 16.00  Arrivo a Viareggio.

Ore 17.00  Partecipazione alla sfilata dei Carri Allegorici e allo spettacolo pirotecnico

Ore 20.00  Ballo in Maschera con il vostro costume preferito.

Ore 22.30  Partenza per Malo. Soste lungo il percorso e rientro in tarda serata a Malo.

Quota di partecipazione

Biglietti d’entrata ridotti comitiva Euro 13,00
Bambini fino a 8 anni gratis

30 Quest’annuncio è interessante per chi vuole

(1) andare alla spiaggia (3) visitare dei musei
(2) prendere lezioni di cucina (4) celebrare un evento culturale
Part 4

Directions (31–33): Choose two of the three writing tasks provided below.

Your answer to each of the two questions you have chosen should be written entirely in Italian and should contain a minimum of 30 words. Your answers must be written in your own words; no credit will be given for a response that is copied or substantially the same as material from other parts of this examination.

Place names and brand names written in Italian count as one word. Contractions are also counted as one word. Salutations and closings as well as commonly used abbreviations are included in the word count. Numbers, unless written as words, and names of people are not counted as words.

Be sure that you have satisfied the purpose of the task. The sentence structure and/or expressions used should be connected logically and demonstrate a wide range of vocabulary with minimal repetition. [10]

31 You recently met a student from Italy who was on vacation in the United States. In Italian, write a journal entry describing this person. You may wish to include:

- whether the student is a boy or girl
- the age of the student
- his or her name
- where and when you met him or her
- what his or her family is like
- where he or she lives
- what the student likes to do in his or her free time
- what places he or she has seen in the United States
- when he or she will return to Italy

32 You are staying in Italy as an exchange student. In Italian, write a journal entry describing the home where you are staying. You may wish to include:

- what kind of home it is (house, apartment, etc.)
- where it is located
- how many rooms it has
- what the rooms look like
- whether it looks new or old
- what the outside of the home looks like
- whether you like it or not

33 You are an exchange student in Italy. Your Italian friends would like to meet you downtown after school. In Italian, write a note to your host family telling them about your plans. You may wish to include:

- where you are going
- why you are going there
- how you plan to get there and back
- how long you will be gone
- who you are going with
- how many friends you are meeting
- what you plan to do
- when you will return
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ANSWER SHEET

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