#### Read the instruction carefully!

**Switch off your mobile phone and any other electronic devices**. You will be asked to place these with other personal belongings at the teacher's desk. In case you use any electronic devices, any references or dictionaries you will be asked to leave the room.

The Reading, Use of English, Listening and Writing tests take **2 hours** and there are no breaks between each part of the test. When the test time is over, you have to submit your paper. No additional time is given.

You will only be allowed to have a pen or pencil, an eraser and your ID on your desk. Use a pen to write in your answer sheet otherwise it is not checked.

Tell the test supervisor or invigilator at once:

- if you think you have not been given the correct question paper.
- if the question paper is incomplete or illegible.

Raise your hand to attract attention if you are in doubt about what you should do. An invigilator will come to your assistance. Candidates may not ask for, and will not be given, any explanation of the test questions.

**Follow instructions carefully during the test**. In case you do not follow the task instructions by any reason, you lose points.

Remember that the Writing part of the test have specific word length requirements.

**Spelling mistakes** in any section of the test are counted as **errors**.

If you need to go to the bathroom during the test, put your hand up to attract the attention of the invigilator. Do not disturb other candidates.

When you take the Listening test, check that you can hear the test properly. Raise your hand straightaway and let the invigilator know if you cannot hear the recording. You are not allowed to leave the room during the Listening Test.

Please remember that **you will not have time after the test**, so please make sure that you write your answers on your answer sheet as you complete each section.

Allow enough time for each question. Stay aware of the time during the test so that you can complete all the questions. You will not be given additional time in case you do not complete some tasks.

### Make your writing <u>legible!</u>

#### 11 Grade Maximum score – 100 points Total time - 120 minutes

NB! Make your handwriting neat and legible. If examiners cannot read what a candidate has written no marks can be awarded.

# I. Listening Maximum score -20 points Time – 30 minutes

NB! You will hear all the recordings twice. All necessary pauses are included in the recording. Please do not stop the audio until you hear these words 'That is the end of the test. Please stop now'.

## Task 1. You will hear three different extracts. For questions 1-6, choose the answer (A, B or C) which fits best according to what you hear. There are two questions for each extract.

#### Extract 1: You hear two friends talking about a trip to help someone need.

- 1. The woman seems surprised that the man and his colleagues
  - A. found time to organize the trip.
  - B. managed to fit all the toys and clothing into two lorries.
  - C. were able to find the money to finance the trip.
- 2. When the lorries arrived, the man felt
  - A. proud of his achievements.
  - B. sympathetic for the children's predicament.
  - C determined that he would return

#### Extract 2: You hear a presenter making a charity appeal on TV.

- 3. The man emphasizes the fact that
  - A. making a donation is not the only way to help people in need.
  - B. whatever help we can give is welcome.
  - C. it's up to us all to ensure funds reach their target.
- 4. In the man's opinion, anyone making a donation will
  - A. be motivated to do more in future.
  - B. feel guilty for not having done so earlier.
  - C. have a clear conscience tonight.

#### Extract 3: You hear two people on a radio programme talking about sponsoring a child.

- 5. Why did the man find Opportunity International inspiring?
  - A. It's prepared to advertise in newspapers.
  - B. It interviews sponsors personally.
  - C. It cooperates with the local population.
- 6. The man regards the donation he makes as
  - A. a means of obtaining information.
  - B. a small contribution towards a good cause.
  - C. an insignificant gesture given the circumstances

### Task 2. You will hear a nutritionist talking about the production and uses of mastic, a spice that is found in the Mediterranean area. Complete the sentences with a word or short phrase.

Mastic is collected from a tree which looks like a smaller form of the ... 7 tree.

Mastic resin will ... 8 only in the region around the Mediterranean.

Basic tools like ... 9 are employed to remove impurities from the mastic.

Crystals of mastic have been referred to as ... 10 in literature.

The sale of mastic crystals is handled by a ... 11 to ensure that the growers get a fair deal.

It is thought that mastic was first used as ... 12 by ancient peoples.

When mastic is added to ... 13 it slows down the melting process.

Flavoured drinks are made in ... 14 which have had mastic burned under them.

Some people believe that mastic can help in the treatment of health problems, especially some ... 15 conditions.

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### Task 3. You will hear an interview with Dr Lafford, a leading expert in the field of forensic science. For questions 16-20 choose the answer (A, B, C or D) which fits best according to what you hear.

- 16. According to Dr Lafford, Sherlock Holmes was a good forensic scientist because of his
  - A. psychological insight.
  - B. unbiased approach.
  - C. detailed observations.
  - D. medical knowledge.
- 17. Forensic scientists pay particular attention to
  - A. evidence of mutual contact.
  - B. items criminals have touched.
  - C. a suspect's clothing.
  - D. carpet fibres and human hair.
- 18. Dr Lafford mentions the broken headlight to show that forensic science nowadays is
  - A. more complex than it used to be.
  - B. just as reliable as it was in the past.
  - C. not as time-consuming as it once was.
  - D. more straightforward than it was in the past.
- 19. According to Dr Lafford, electron microscopes can
  - A. produce conflicting results.
  - B. sometimes damage evidence.
  - C. provide a chemical analysis.
  - D. guarantee total accuracy.
- 20. Dr Lafford feels that the value of forensic science lies in
  - A. how its significance to a case is explained.
  - B. the use of advanced genetic fingerprinting.
  - C. the possibility of eliminating human error.
  - D. reducing the number of possible suspects.

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