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SECTION 2

Exercise 1 – Questions 1–4

Your French friend Martin leaves you the following voice note on your cellphone.

Listen to the messages and answer in **ENGLISH** or tick (✓) the appropriate box.

Read through questions 1–4.

1. Where did Martin go on vacation last year?

_____ [1]

PAUSE

2. How often will they be required to work?

- A. every day
B. once a week
C. on weekends
D. twice a week

[1]

PAUSE

3. List **TWO** places that Jérôme and Martin can visit in Lourdes.

_____ [1]

_____ [1]

4. What activity does Martin suggest he and Jerome could do during his stay?

_____ [1]

TOTAL MARKS [5]



Exercise 2 – Questions 5–11

The following students are discussing their opinions on jobs. Listen to what they say and indicate whether each statement is true or false. (Tick (✓) the appropriate box.)

Read through questions 5–11.

- 5. Jean-Marc wants to be a doctor.
- 6. Jean-Marc hopes to make an electric car.
- 7. Sarah loves her math class.

TRUE	FALSE

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- 8. Luc likes technology.
- 9. Luc is well-known.
- 10. Jasmine dislikes crime dramas.
- 11. Jasmine is learning Dutch.

TRUE	FALSE

TOTAL MARKS [7]



Exercise 3 – Questions 12–19

Alicia is talking about her daily routine.

Listen to what she says and answer the questions in **ENGLISH**.

Read through questions 12–19.

12. In which country was Alicia born?

_____ [1]

13. What does Alicia's mother do for a living?

_____ [1]

14. When does Alicia plan to go to university?

_____ [1]

PAUSE

15. List **ONE** item Alicia has for breakfast.

_____ [1]

16. How does Alicia get to school?

_____ [1]

17. When does Alicia do her homework?

_____ [1]

PAUSE

18. At what time do Alicia's classes end? Be specific.

_____ [1]

19. Why does Alicia like to cook?

_____ [1]



TOTAL MARKS [8]

SECTION 3

Exercise 1 – Questions 1–6

While waiting in your doctor’s office, you hear the following podcast.
Listen to the podcast and answer in **ENGLISH** or tick (✓) the appropriate box.

Read through questions 1–6.

1. In France, smoking is banned in schools.

2. Casinos must have “no smoking” signs.

TRUE	FALSE

[1]

[1]

PAUSE

3. Smoking rooms must be separate and closed.

4. There are no smoking restrictions on workers in the private sector.

TRUE	FALSE

[1]

[1]

PAUSE

5. According to the text, who is responsible for protecting the health of the French?

A. the individual himself/herself

B. an insurance company

C. the French government

D. tobacco companies

[1]

6. Based on the text, list **THREE** diseases other than cancer that can be caused by smoking.

_____ [1]

_____ [1]

_____ [1]

TOTAL MARKS [8]

[Turn over]



Exercise 2 – Questions 7–15

While in Morocco, you hear the following interview.

Listen to the interview and answer in **ENGLISH** or tick (✓) the appropriate box.

Read through questions 7–15.

7. Where was Samuel's father born?

- A. America
- B. Canada
- C. England
- D. Ireland

[1]

8. Samuel's family loves...

- A. Arts
- B. Humanities
- C. Sciences
- D. Sports

[1]

9. What does Samuel prefer?

- A. listening to music
- B. painting
- C. reading novels
- D. watching movies

[1]



PAUSE

10. What inspired Samuel to become an actor?

_____ [1]

11. List **THREE** of Samuel's hobbies.

_____ [1]

_____ [1]

_____ [1]

PAUSE

12. How often does Samuel work out?

_____ [1]

13. Which of the following does Samuel drink?

A. juice

B. protein shakes

C. soda

D. water

[1]

14. What is Samuel's favourite kind of meat?

_____ [1]

15. Why does Samuel eat vegetables?

_____ [1]

TOTAL MARKS [11]



[Turn over

Exercise 3 – Questions 16–24

While at a school in Guadeloupe, you overhear the following lesson.

Listen to the lesson and answer in **ENGLISH** or tick (✓) the appropriate box.

Read through questions 16–24.

16. Artificial languages are created for...

- A. computers
- B. games
- C. movies
- D. music

[1]

17. French replaced Latin as the _____ language of France.

- A. creole
- B. formal
- C. modern
- D. second

[1]

18. French is known for which of the following?

- A. its beauty
- B. its elegance
- C. its patterns
- D. its rhythm

[1]



19. According to the text, list **TWO** things that speaking French allows you to do.

_____ [1]

_____ [1]

PAUSE

20. Based on the text, French is the _____ most learned language in the world.

- A. first
- B. second
- C. third
- D. fourth

[1]

PAUSE

21. The first group of French speakers mentioned speak French as...

- A. a foreign language
- B. a language used exclusively for work
- C. one of many languages
- D. their native language

[1]

PAUSE

22. Which plural body part listed below was mentioned in the text?

- A. ears
- B. eyes
- C. hands
- D. feet

[1]

[Turn over



23. How many letters does the longest word in the French dictionary have?

- A. 22
- B. 24
- C. 25
- D. 30

[1]

24. List the **ENGLISH** translation of any **TWO** words from the lesson that the speaker says the learners of French find difficult to pronounce.

_____ [1]

_____ [1]

TOTAL MARKS [11]



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