

### **C. LISTENING**

# **PART I**

For questions 111-123, you are going to hear 13 short conversations between two people. You will listen to the conversations TWICE. After each conversation, you are going to hear a question about it. Read the three possible answers on your sheet and fill in the letter of the correct answer on your answer sheet. Now you have two minutes to look at the questions.

### 111. What does the woman recommend?

- (A) Seafood linguine
- (B) Margherita pizza
- (C) Pasta

### 112. What does the woman focus at work?

- (A) Advertising mobile apps
- (B) Developing apps for healthcare
- (C) Analyzing data

### 113. What is the woman's main research focus?

- (A) The effect of global warming on a specific area
- (B) Urban air pollution in the Arctic zone
- (C) Climate change effects on agriculture

### 114. What did the woman find of interest?

- (A) The abstract art section
- (B) The ancient artifacts
- (C) The modern art section

## 115. What was the outcome of the meeting?

- (A) The contract was signed.
- (B) The meeting was rescheduled.
- (C) The budget was increased.

## 116. What distance is the woman going to run?

- (A) 3k.
- (B) 5k.
- (C) 10k.

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# 117. What did the man say about the concert?

- (A) Spectacular
- (B) Boring
- (C) Crowded

## 118. What does the man never miss?

- (A) A soccer game
- (B) A movie premiere
- (C) A tennis match

## 119. What did the man do on his vacation?

- (A) He took a long walk in nature.
- (B) He relaxed on the beach.
- (C) He visited a museum.

# 120. What did the woman think of the book's ending?

- (A) Unpredictable and satisfying
- (B) Original but monotonous
- (C) Long and thought-provoking

# 121. Why did the man sign up for the workshop?

- (A) To improve a skill
- (B) To meet new people
- (C) To take a break from work

# 122. What is the man's profession?

- (A) A florist
- (B) A pharmacist
- (C) A chef

### 123. Who are the speakers?

- (A) A doctor and a patient
- (B) A salesperson and a customer
- (C) Two colleagues

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#### **PART II**

For questions 124-131, you will hear an interview TWICE. After you listen to the interview for the second time, you will hear 8 questions about it. Read the four possible answers on your sheet and fill in the letter of the best answer on your answer sheet. Now you have 1 minute to look at the questions.

# Q.124: Who is Dr. Emily Watson?

- (A) A journalist
- (B) A renewable energy expert
- (C) A policy maker
- **(D)** A solar panel manufacturer

## Q.125: What is the focus of Dr. Watson's recent research?

- (A) Increasing the availability of solar energy in distant places
- (B) Developing new methods for storing solar energy
- (C) Studying the impact of solar energy on climate change
- (D) Enhancing the efficiency of solar panel materials

### Q.126: What is special about the new solar panel materials?

- (A) They are cheaper to produce.
- (B) They can work efficiently on cloudy days.
- (C) They are made from recycled materials.
- (D) They require less maintenance.

### Q.127: What is the potential impact of the new solar panel technology?

- (A) Increased energy consumption
- (B) Higher greenhouse gas emissions
- (C) Reduced reliance on fossil fuels
- (D) More expensive electricity utilities

# Q.128: What is a major challenge in implementing the new solar panel technology?

- (A) Lack of public interest
- (B) High production costs
- (C) Limited availability of materials
- (D) Opposition from the government

## Q.129: How can the public help advance renewable energy, according to Dr. Watson?

- (A) By using less electricity
- **(B)** By supporting renewable energy policies
- (C) By investing in fossil fuels
- **(D)** By reducing their energy consumption

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# Q.130: What is the main topic of the interview?

- (A) The benefits of wind energy
- (B) Advances in solar panel technology
- (C) The history of renewable energy
- (D) The cost of renewable energy

# Q.131: What is Dr. Watson's view on the future of renewable energy?

- (A) It is uncertain and risky.
- (B) It requires more awareness and support.
- (C) It will benefit large corporations more.
- (D) It is going to become more common.

#### **PART III**

For questions 132-135, you are going to hear 4 short talks. You will listen to the talks TWICE. After each talk, you are going to hear a question about the talk. After you hear the question, read the four possible answers on your sheet and fill in the letter of the correct answer on your answer sheet. Now you have 30 seconds to look at the questions.

# Q.132: Where is the announcement being made?

- (A) At an airport
- (B) At a hospital
- (C) At a train station
- (D) At a supermarket

### Q133: What is the woman talking about?

- (A) Planning a vacation
- (B) Organizing a family event
- (C) Discussing household chores
- (D) Persuading her family to buy something

## Q134: Where is the announcement being made?

- (A) At a shopping mall
- (B) At a movie theater
- **(C)** At a theme park
- (D) At a hospital

### Q135: What is the man's problem?

- (A) Not getting promoted at work
- **(B)** Having arguments with his officemates
- (C) Not Passing an important exam
- (D) Receiving a written notice

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