EXAM PAPER

Language Conventions Year 10 — Practice Exam 2

PREVIEW
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Total time: 45 minutes

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- Language Conventions — 45 min

INSTRUCTIONS

Answer every question you can. Write your working in the space provided for long-answer questions. Marking guidance and full explanations are provided in the separate answer key.

Language Conventions

45 minutes

1. Which sentence punctuates “however” correctly?

A. The results were promising, however more testing is needed.

B. The results were promising; however, more testing is needed.

C. The results were promising however, more testing is needed.

D. The results were promising; however more testing, is needed.

2. One word in this sentence is spelt incorrectly. Write the correct spelling of that word.
The success of the project was wholy due to her planning.

3. Which sentence uses nominalisation to sound more formal?

A. They introduced the policy and people worried.

B. The introduction of the policy caused widespread concern.

C. People worried when the policy started.

D. The policy started, so people were worried.

4. One word in this sentence is spelt incorrectly. Write the correct spelling of that word.
Young plants are susceptable to frost.

5. Which sentence correctly uses "fewer" rather than "less"?

A. There are fewer students in this class.

B. There is less students in this class.

C. There are less students in this class.

D. There are fewer student in this class.

6. One word in this sentence is spelt incorrectly. Write the correct spelling of that word.
The film had a great cast but a medeocre script.

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7. Which is the correct reported speech for this sentence?
“I am tired,” said Ella.

A. Ella said that she was tired.

B. Ella said that she is tiring.

C. Ella said that I was tired.

D. Ella says that she had been tired yesterday.

8. One word in this sentence is spelt incorrectly. Write the correct spelling of that word.
The aurora australis is a stunning natural phenomanon.

9. Which sentence is written correctly?

A. Walking to school, I saw a kookaburra on the fence.

B. Walking to school, a kookaburra was on the fence.

C. Walking to school, the fence had a kookaburra on it.

D. A kookaburra, walking to school, was on the fence.

10. One word in this sentence is spelt incorrectly. Write the correct spelling of that word.
The council will acommodate the new residents next year.

11. Which sentence uses "fewer" and "less" correctly?

A. There were less students and fewer noise this year.

B. There were fewer students and fewer noise this year.

C. There were less students and less noise this year.

D. There were fewer students and less noise this year.

12. One word in this sentence is spelt incorrectly. Write the correct spelling of that word.
The two accounts were basicly identical.

13. Which sentence means that nobody except Maya ate cake?

A. Maya only ate the cake.

B. Only Maya ate the cake.

C. Maya ate only the cake.

D. Maya ate the only cake.

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14. One word in this sentence is spelt incorrectly. Write the correct spelling of that word.
The pilot performed a difficult manouvre to land safely.

15. Why does a writer use an ellipsis (…) inside a quotation?

A. to show the end of a paragraph

B. to mark a question

C. to show that words have been left out

D. to add emphasis to a word

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