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ΑΠΟΤΕΛΕΙΤΑΙ ΑΠΟ ΠΕΝΤΕ (5) ΣΕΛΙΔΕΣ

Όλες οι απαντήσεις να γραφούν στο φυλλάδιο.

Να απαντήσετε σε όλα τα ερωτήματα.

PART I: LISTENING

(30 MARKS)

TASK 1

(10x1=10 marks)

You will hear five short recordings. For each question choose the correct answer A, B or C. You will hear each recording twice.

Recording 1

1. How does the woman believe classical music should be approached?

- A.** As a genre open to modern adaptations.
- B.** As music faithful to the composer's intentions.
- C.** As a blend of classical and contemporary elements.

2. What advice does the woman give to aspiring musicians?

- A.** To rely on natural talent.
- B.** To persevere.
- C.** To focus on immediate success.

Recording 2

3. How does Gemma feel about her friend not attending the concert?

- A.** Disappointed
- B.** Furious
- C.** Indifferent

4. Gemma tries to persuade her friend to lend her his notes by ____.

- A.** offering to lend him the CD of the concert
- B.** promising to help him finish his history essay
- C.** expressing gratitude for his willingness to help

Recording 3

5. What makes the film *Dragon Fire* stand out?

- A. Its groundbreaking storyline.
- B. The quality of its special effects.
- C. The lead actors' exceptional performances.

6. Which film genre helped the director become well-known?

- A. Romantic comedies
- B. Fantasy films
- C. Thrillers

Recording 4

7. What is the man reading an article about?

- A. Environmental matters
- B. Economic issues
- C. Political affairs

8. Why doesn't the woman take up the man's suggestion about what to read?

- A. She generally prefers shorter articles.
- B. She is not interested in the topic.
- C. She wants to check job adverts and TV listings.

Recording 5

9. Walking the full 90km of the Ocean Walk is ____.

- A. optional
- B. compulsory
- C. advisable

10. The opinions of locals and visitors regarding the best picnic location ____.

- A. coincide
- B. differ
- C. overlap

TASK 2

(5x1=5 marks)

You will hear five people talking about photography. For each of Speakers 1-5, choose from the list, A-F, which opinion each speaker expresses. Write the letter in the box. Use each letter only once. There is one extra letter which you do not need to use. You will hear the recordings twice.

Speaker 1	<input type="checkbox"/>	A. Where skill falls short, determination fills the gap.
Speaker 2	<input type="checkbox"/>	B. My father takes pride in the fact that I am carrying on the family tradition of photography.
Speaker 3	<input type="checkbox"/>	C. I think that turning your hobby into a paycheck may spoil the enjoyment.
Speaker 4	<input type="checkbox"/>	D. A new interest sparked to life during a monotonous family activity.
Speaker 5	<input type="checkbox"/>	E. For me it was a way to vent my emotions, even though I was not proficient enough.
		F. The new hobby helped me find my footing in an unfamiliar environment.

TASK 3

(5x1=5 marks)

You will hear a talk about robot footballers. For each question, choose the correct answer A, B or C. You will hear the recording twice.

1. The purpose of the Robot Football annual competition is to ____.

- A. entertain audiences with futuristic sports
- B. boost the study of Artificial Intelligence
- C. demonstrate the latest trends in Artificial Intelligence

2. What challenge are these robots currently facing?

- A. Staying balanced consistently
- B. Resembling an adult human
- C. Knowing which position to occupy

3. What is a robot football match like?

- A. Well-planned and organised
- B. A display of precise teamwork
- C. Potentially chaotic and unpredictable

4. Robots are nowadays capable of ____.

- A. making decisions almost instantly
- B. functioning autonomously
- C. cooperating towards a common goal

5. For the moment, robots are NOT able to ____.

- A. perform household tasks
- B. take on more complicated tasks
- C. play in sports competitions

TASK 4

(10x1=10 marks)

Listen to the interview with an aquatic ecologist and complete the details below. Write one or two words or a number in each gap. You will hear the recording twice.



Mark Robinson – Aquatic Ecologist

Job and Responsibilities

- Travels globally to protect some endangered fish species from becoming (1) _____; ensures fishermen maintain their (2) _____ way of life.

Childhood Interest in Wildlife

- Grew up in a city with a large garden; early memories associated with the (3) _____ and animals, especially observing insects; developed fascination with animal shows on TV.

Career Path

- Parents hoped he'd study (4) _____; teacher suggested a zoo career; followed his passion, leading to current career, despite the (5) _____ involved along the way.

Work During Non-Travel Days

- Prepares for projects and compiles trip reports; teaches at a university; manages emails, plans ahead, buys equipment, engages with students; attends seminars; writes (6) _____ about his research.

Journalism and Outreach

- Writes for a (7) _____ magazine that funds his work; enjoys creating news stories and TV shows to help people learn about (8) _____ fish and their habitats.

Relaxation Activities

- Socialises with friends, watches movies, tends to his garden; engages in work-related activities like helping other scientists, visiting aquariums and fishing; spends time on the (9) _____.

Best Advice

- By tutor: take risks, embrace failure – teaches important life lessons and builds resilience; feels disappointed by failure, but it has (10) _____ him to cope.

