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Paper 1 - Use of English Test – 2013 (L1G13V1)

Poziom 1

Time allowed 60 minutes

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NAME BOX	
Full	
Name	(Please print clearly)
<i>Please do not identify yourself in any way on any other parts of the test paper.</i>	

Instructions:

Please write in BLACK or BLUE INK ONLY.

Write your answers on the test paper, **and** transfer them to the ANSWER TRANSFER SHEET in black or blue ink. The test papers themselves will not be scored. You will be given a few extra minutes at the end of the test to transfer your answers.

Write your **FULL** name on this cover sheet in the name box. Do not write your name or other identifying marks anywhere else on the test paper or answer transfer sheet.

Follow the instructions for each task.

Legible handwriting and correct spelling is required in all answers to gain points.

During the exam you should work alone and not talk.

Do not leave the exam room until you have handed in your test paper.

You are kindly asked to sign the declaration below at the end of the test if you agree with it.

Declaration: *I have been able to answer the questions on this test paper to the best of my ability without any external disturbances and have no complaints about the execution of the exam procedures.*

Signed date

SECTION A – Multiple-Choice (10 points)

*For each of the questions 1-10 circle one suitable option a) b) c) or d) for each gap. Mark your answer on the test paper **and** transfer your answer to the answer transfer sheet.*

1. The situation was a little embarrassing when Alice served roast beef for dinner. I wish I _____ her that Greg was vegetarian.
a) would tell b) told c) better told d) had told
2. We were both very excited about the visit, as we _____ each other for ages.
a) never saw b) hadn't seen c) didn't see d) haven't seen
3. What's the matter with your parrot? It doesn't seem very _____ today.
a) living b) lively c) lifelike d) alive
4. It was a _____ escape. I could have been killed any minute during the rescue operation.
a) happy b) wide c) narrow d) successful
5. The rich banker she married was almost _____.
a) in twice her age b) at twice of her age c) at her age twice d) twice her age
6. The programme _____ at 11:15 when most people were at work.
a) was broadcast b) was broadcasted c) broadcast d) was broadcasting
7. She eventually _____ to crawl to the exit and escaped from the burning plane.
a) succeeded b) managed c) could d) had
8. He is a very good worker; and what is more important, he gets on very well with all his _____.
a) colleagues b) mates c) fellows d) collaborators
9. The mother was really proud _____ her son.
a) in b) about c) for d) of
10. If the company's bank account remains blocked, they _____ to pay us back next month.
a) can't be able b) may have been unable c) might not be able d) can be unable

SECTION B – Cloze test (10 points)

Fill in each numbered gap (11-20) in the text below with *ONE* suitable word. Write your answer on the test paper **and** transfer your answer to the answer transfer sheet.

Tobacco, as generations of schoolchildren have been taught, was brought to Europe from the Americas along **11)** ----- potatoes and piles of gold. Latin America remains **12)** ----- to the stuff. But the region has now begun to **13)** ----- the habit. This month Chile became the 14th Latin American country to ban smoking in enclosed public spaces.

Chile's conversion is significant, since it is something of a smokers corner. The World Health Organisation says over 40% of Chileans smoke, compared **14)** ----- 27% of Argentines and 17% of people in Brazil, **15)** ----- the ban on smoking began in the late 1990s. Chile's health minister, Jaime Manalich, says that treating tobacco victims takes a quarter of the \$ 10 billion public health-care budget.

Chile's smokers are **16)** ----- younger. According to the Tobacco Atlas, a study of the industry, nearly 40% of girls **17)** ----- 13–15 in Santiago, Chile's capital, smoke cigarettes. That is up from just 20% in 2003, and is the highest rate in the world. Growing prosperity **18)** ----- partly to blame. Mr Manalich also points to a cultural change: "Chile has **19)** ----- been a very macho country but that is changing. For women, smoking in public is somehow a sign they are liberated."

The anti-smoking lobby wants to see pricing and taxing of cigarettes be co-ordinated across Latin America, to discourage contraband. With income varying widely among countries, that would be hard. But governments could discourage smoking with other steps, **20)** ----- as curbs on advertising, bigger health warnings and subsidizing nicotine-replacement therapy.

SECTION C – Verb forms (10 points)

Put the verbs in numbered brackets (21-30) in correct grammatical form and change to the correct word order if necessary. Write your answer on the test paper **and** transfer your answer to answer transfer sheet.

America's killing machine

IN SEPTEMBER 2011 a fleet of Predator and Reaper drones* took off from a secret CIA base in the Saudi desert. They crossed into Yemen and **21)** */begin/* patiently tracking a convoy of vehicles that **22)** */travel/* near the border with Saudi Arabia. America's spy agency had earlier recruited an informer within al-Qaeda in the Arabian peninsula. He **23)** */provide/* now information about the movements of Anwar al-Awlaki, the group's chief propagandist and strategist, and the man at the top of the CIA's wanted list since the killing of Osama bin Laden a few months before.

The group had stopped for breakfast but, **24)** */sense/* the circling drones, they rushed back to the cars. Moments later, lasers from the Predators **25)** */light up/* the vehicles and the Reaper launched its missiles. Everyone **26)** */kill/* including al-Awlaki and Samir Khan, the editor of an online jihadist magazine. Both **27)** */be/* Americans.

The targeted assassination of al-Awlaki, who had been behind a number of high-profile plots, from the Fort Hood shootings to the Christmas "underwear bomber" and an attempt **28)** */bring down/* a cargo aircraft with exploding toner cartridges, created a minor stir among civil-liberties groups claiming that his citizenship **29)** */entitle/* him to "due process". But for most Americans it was further evidence that the secret war to protect them from their enemies **30)** */go/* pretty well. Drones had become the weapon of choice. To the surprise of some, a programme that had begun under George W. Bush had been dramatically ramped up by Barack Obama. [...].

*unmanned (crewless) aircraft

SECTION D – Word formation (10 points)

*Transform the words given in BOLD CAPITALS in the sentences to make a new word which will suit the context grammatically and logically. Write your answer in the space provided **and** transfer your answers to the answer transfer sheet.*

31. I'm studying medicine. I want to **(SPECIAL)** _____ in immunology.
32. She's invited me to her party. It would be **(POLITE)** _____ to say no.
33. In 1906 an **(EARTH)** _____ destroyed much of San Francisco.
34. To my **(AMAZE)** _____, I was offered \$22,000 for the old Cadillac!
35. I **(WEIGHT)** _____ myself yesterday and I found out I'd lost almost a kilo.
36. He drives really so **(CARE)** _____ that one day he's going to cause a bad accident.
37. Don't touch these plants! They are **(DEAD)** _____ poisonous.
38. You need a lot of **(PATIENT)** _____ if you want to work with little children.
39. To pass this course you need 100% **(ATTEND)** _____.
40. This photograph is too small. Could you **(LARGE)** _____ it for me, please?

(You can make rough notes on this space).

Answer transfer sheet – WRITE ONLY THE ANSWERS ON THIS SHEET

	Section A - Multiple-Choice (1 pt each)	score	Chk
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	SECTION C - Verb Forms (1 pt each)	score	Chk
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	SECTION B – Cloze (1 pt each)	score	Chk
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	SECTION D - Word Formation (1 pt each)	score	Chk
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Section D Total			

Do not write additional words – they will be treated as wrong answers.