

**Annual Examinations for Secondary Schools 2020**

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**YEAR 11**

**ENGLISH**

**TIME: 20 min**

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**LISTENING COMPREHENSION**

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**TEACHER'S PAPER**

**Instructions for the conduct of the Listening Comprehension Examination**

In the event of a power cut, teachers of English are to read the instructions below.

You have been given a sheet containing the Listening Comprehension questions. I will now read the questions for TEXT 1 aloud to you.

Teacher reads the questions for TEXT 1 aloud

I will be reading TEXT 1 twice. You will now listen to TEXT 1 for the FIRST time. You may answer the questions while listening.

Teacher reads TEXT 1

Now you have three minutes to answer the questions on TEXT 1 – 3 minutes.

You will now listen to TEXT 1 for the LAST time and you may answer the rest of the questions.

Teacher reads TEXT 1

Now you have three minutes to finish answering all the questions on TEXT 1 – 3 minutes.

I will now read the questions for TEXT 2 aloud to you.

Teacher reads the questions for TEXT 2 aloud

I will be reading TEXT 2 twice. You will now listen to TEXT 2 for the FIRST time. You may answer the questions while listening.

Teacher reads TEXT 2

Now you have three minutes to answer the questions on TEXT 2 – 3 minutes.

You will now listen to TEXT 2 for the LAST time and you may answer the rest of the questions.

## Text 1

**Good morning. You are listening to Sky Radio News.**

An 8-year-old boy swam from Gozo to Comino to make people aware of the problem of plastic in our seas. The mayor and his relatives all cheered him when he left at 7.30 am and he finished the 2 km swim in 51 minutes.

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A flat caught fire at about 5 am. Two fire engines rushed to Mosta, where firefighters saved a young couple and their 6-year-old son from the fire. They also saved the family's pet dog. The flat was badly damaged.

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Last night, thieves entered an electronics shop in Paola by removing stone slabs. They broke all the showcases and stole many mobiles and tablets. The alarm rang at 2.30 am.

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## Text 2

**And now for the latest traffic update.**

There is heavy traffic in Main Street Qormi, due to a bus that broke down. There are long queues up to the supermarket. Please avoid this area and find alternative routes.

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At the moment, workers are resurfacing Old Railway Street in Lija and therefore the road is closed to traffic. An alternative route is in front of the park. Please follow the traffic signs and drive carefully.

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There is an accident close to the tunnels leading towards Regional Road. One lane is blocked. Expect delays, as three cars are involved. The police are on site and are diverting traffic through Valley Road, B'Kara.

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**That was the traffic update. The next update is in an hour.**