

Annual Examinations for Secondary Schools 2022

YEAR 9 LISTENING COMPREHENSION MARKING SCHEME

SECTION: LISTENING

25 MARKS

Text 1: Watch and listen to this video.

(14 marks)

1. Are the following True or False? Tick (✓) the correct answer.

5 x 1 mark = 5 marks

		True	False
a.	Coral is the largest living thing on Earth.	✓	
b.	Humans are taking special care of the coral.		✓
c.	Coral is really important for all sea life.		✓
d.	High temperatures are good for the coral.		✓
e.	Coral protects the land from tsunamis.	✓	

2. Fill in with digits or words from the text.

3 x 1 mark = 3 marks

- Coral has been forming for 250/two hundred and fifty million years.
- But now one out of 5/five of it has gone.
- One out of 4/four of all sea life need coral to survive.

3. Fill in with words from the text.

6 x ½ mark = 3 marks

- Some people think coral is just a rock.
- Coral is so big it can be seen from space.
- It can be found at the bottom of the sea.
- It is the nursery of the sea.
- It is like a protein factory for our planet.
- The life of coral depends on the temperature of the ocean.

4. Underline the correct answer.

3 x 1 mark = 3 marks

- a. How does coral help little fish?
 - i. It makes their living space comfortable
 - ii. It protects them from storms
 - iii. It feeds and hides them
- b. What are humans doing to the coral reef?
 - i. Swimming and diving in it
 - ii. Poisoning and exploding it
 - iii. Making documentaries about it
- c. What should we do to save coral?
 - i. Take pictures of it
 - ii. Keep it safe from storms
 - iii. Stop destroying it

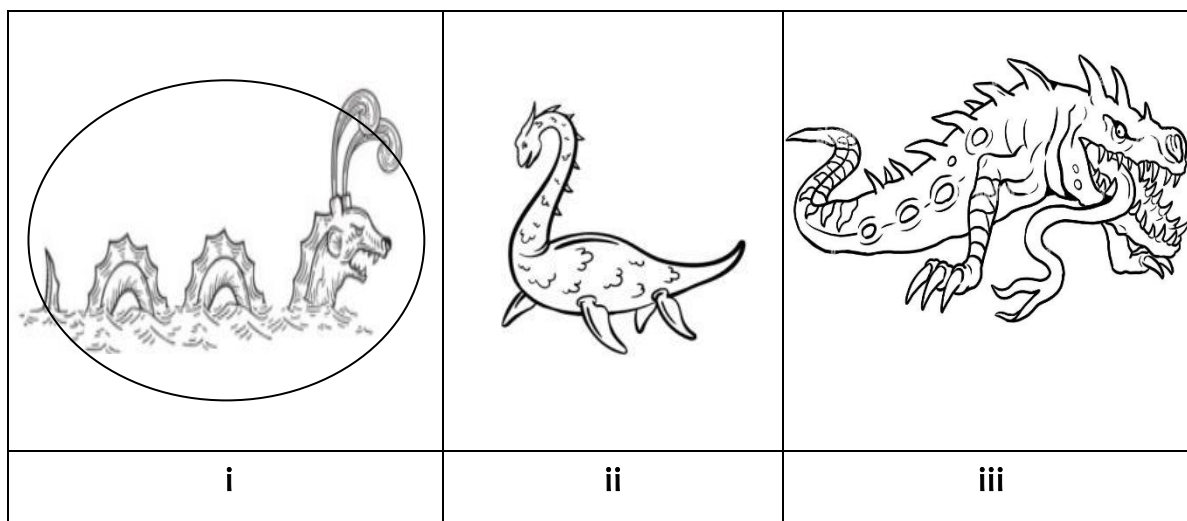
Text 2: Listen to this podcast.

(11 marks)

1. Listen to the podcast and circle the correct answer from the three options in the table below. 6 x ½ mark = 3 marks

	Option A	Option B	Option C
Episode Number	48	<u>49</u>	50
Name of Programme	American Tales	<u>American Folklore</u>	American Show
Name of Presenter	Annie Houston	<u>Amy Hudson</u>	Angela Newport
Name of Legend	<u>The Bear Lake Monster</u>	The Pecos Bill Fight	The Scottish Beast
Length of Programme	2 minutes	<u>3 minutes</u>	5 minutes
Frequency of Programme	Every day	<u>Every week</u>	Every two weeks

2. Listen carefully to the description of the monster and circle the picture that best describes it. 1 mark []



3. Put the events of the story in order (1-6). The first one (0) has been done for you. 6 x ½ mark = 3 marks

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| a. A man was walking along the lake. | 0 |
| b. He dropped his camera. | 4 |
| c. The monster swam up to shore. | 3 |
| d. The man returned home. | 5 |
| e. The man saw the monster. | 1 |
| f. He tried to take a photo. | 2 |
| g. The monster ate the camera. | 6 |

4. Tick (✓) the TWO things that show how the fight between Pecos Bill and the monster was a big one. 2 x ½ mark = 1 mark

i.	It was a wrestling match.	
ii.	It took two weeks.	✓
iii.	Pecos Bill made a bet.	
iv.	It created a natural disaster around the lake.	✓
v.	The monster was gone forever.	

5. Underline the correct answer. 6 x ½ mark = 3 marks

<p>a. Where do people believe the monster lives today?</p> <p>i. Canada</p> <p>ii. England</p> <p>iii. <u>Scotland</u></p>	<p>b. When does the monster come out?</p> <p>i. in the morning</p> <p>ii. in the afternoon</p> <p>iii. <u>in the evening</u></p>
<p>c. How does the monster move around?</p> <p>i. It never goes on land</p> <p>ii. Fast on land but slow in water</p> <p>iii. <u>Slow on land and fast in water</u></p>	<p>d. This podcast is</p> <p>i. giving advice</p> <p>ii. <u>telling a story</u></p> <p>iii. giving directions</p>
<p>e. People who listen to this podcast like</p> <p>i. true stories</p> <p>ii. <u>myths and legends</u></p> <p>iii. romantic tales</p>	<p>f. This podcast is meant to</p> <p>i. scare you</p> <p>ii. <u>make you laugh</u></p> <p>iii. make you cry</p>