

BUFS Teacher Training Program
Pre-Course Listening Test, March 2019

Name: _____ Elementary Secondary

Section 1

You will hear 10 short recordings. Each recording ends with a bell.

After each recording, write down the last four words you hear before the bell. You do not need to use punctuation or separate the words by commas.

There is a 10-second gap between each recording.

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Section 2 (IELTS Listening)

Write **NO MORE THAN THREE WORDS AND/OR A NUMBER** for each answer.

THE NATIONAL ARTS CENTRE	
Well known for:	11
Complex consists of:	concert rooms theatres cinemas art galleries public library restaurants 12
Historical background:	1940 – area destroyed by bombs 1960s – Centre was 13 In 14 – opened to public
Managed by:	15
Open:	16 days per year

Day	Time	Event	Venue	Ticket price
Monday and Tuesday	7.30 p.m.	‘The Magic Flute’ (opera by Mozart)	17	from £8.00
Wednesday	8.00 p.m.	18 ‘.....’ (Canadian film)	Cinema 2	19
Saturday and Sunday	11 a.m. to 10 p.m.	20 ‘.....’ (art exhibition)	Gallery 1	free

Section 3 (TOEFL Lecture)

You have 60 seconds to read the questions before starting the test.

21 Which of the following characterise anthropological study before the time of Franz Boas?

- A. Few people were interested or involved in anthropological study.
- B. Anthropologists were not expected to support their claims with evidence.
- C. Anthropology was not studied seriously
- D. Data was not collected in a systematic and objective way.

22 How did Boas's early life influence his work in anthropology?

- A. His religious upbringing meant that he was respectful to people from other backgrounds.
- B. His fondness for collecting things inspired him to gather artefacts from little-known cultures.
- C. His liberal upbringing helped him to understand different cultures.
- D. His scientific studies ensured that he approached experiments systematically.

23 Why is Charles Darwin mentioned in the talk?

- A. Darwin's work in the natural sciences inspired Boas to study the world around him.
- B. Both Darwin and Boas believed that individuals change according to their situations.
- C. Darwin and Boas both went on expeditions to study human societies.
- D. Both Boas and Darwin believed that humans evolved along a fixed route towards civilization.

24 What did Boas object to about museums?

- A. The type of artefacts that were on display
- B. The fact that certain cultures were not represented
- C. The fact that some cultures were not considered important.
- D. The order in which the displays were laid out

25 What did Boas prove about head shape?

- A. Intelligence is not linked to head shape and size.
- B. Injuries to the head can alter its shape and size.
- C. People in some cultures had larger brains than those in others.
- D. The shape and size of people's heads is not predetermined.

- 26 What did Boas make people realise?
- A. To study a culture, one can't be a member of it.
 - B. Anthropology is broad and covers multiple disciplines.
 - C. Cultures can be effectively studied at a distance.
 - D. Many indigenous cultures were being lost to globalization.

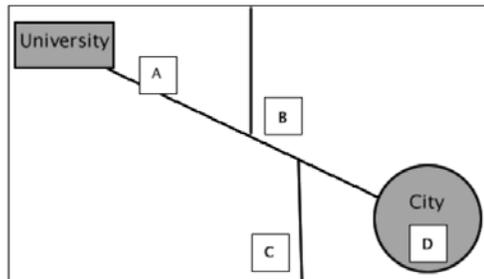
Section 4 (Toefl Conversation)

You have 60 seconds to read the questions before starting the test. You will hear a short conversation once. Listen to a student talk to someone in the accommodation office and then answer the questions.

27. When is this conversation taking place?
- A) July
 - B) before term starts
 - C) at the beginning of term
 - D) midway through a term
28. Whose mistake was it that led to the problem?
- A) The student's
 - B) The warden's
 - C) Godfrey White's
 - D) The accommodation office

29. Where is the YMCA on the map?

- A B C D



30. Which of the following TWO things does the accommodation officer provide for the student?
- A) a telephone
 - B) a map
 - C) information about bus routes
 - D) a pen

31. Match the information to the type of accommodation. Match a letter with a number.

- A _____ B _____ C _____

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> A. University Dormitories B. Private Houses C. YMCA | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1. You can buy meals cheaply. 2. Meals are not included in the price. 3. Meals are included in the rent. |
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