



# Coimisiún na Scrúduithe Stáit

## State Examinations Commission

**SCRÚDÚ NA hARDTEISTIMÉIREACHTA, 2012**  
**LEAVING CERTIFICATE EXAMINATION, 2012**

### FRAINCIS – GNÁTHLEIBHÉAL

### FRENCH – ORDINARY LEVEL

TRAIL CHLUASTUISCEANA (100 marc)  
LISTENING COMPREHENSION TEST (100 marks)

DÉ CÉADAOIN, 13 MEITHEAMH, 12.10 go dtí 12.50  
WEDNESDAY, 13<sup>th</sup> JUNE, 12.10 to 12.50

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ROINN I	
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N.B. Bíodh do fhreagraí as Gaeilge, ach ní gá dóibh a bheith i bhfoirm abairtí iomlána. Tá cead agat leithead iomlán an leathanach a úsáid do na freagraí.

N.B. Questions to be answered in English, not necessarily in complete sentences. You may use the full width of the page when answering.

## ROINN I

Anois cloisfidh tú Diane, déagóir Francach, ag caint faoina cuairt teanga ar Éirinn.

Cloisfidh tú an t-ábhar **trí** huaire: an chéad uair ó thosach deireadh, ansin **ina thrí mhír** agus sos eatarthu, agus ansin ó thosach deireadh arís.

1. Chuaigh Diane go Gaillimh

- (a) ar feadh coicíse
- (b) ar feadh trí seachtaine
- (c) ar feadh míosa
- (d) ar feadh sé seachtaine.



2. (i) Cén caitheamh aimsire is fearr le Diane?

1. Diane went to Galway

- (a) for a fortnight
- (b) for three weeks
- (c) for a month
- (d) for six weeks.

2. (i) What is Diane's favourite pastime?

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(ii) Bhí Diane míshona mar

- (a) labhair an teaghlaich Gaeilge
- (b) bhí an iníon ag achrann léi
- (c) níor thug an t-athair aon aird uirthi
- (d) níor dhuine deas í an mháthair.



(ii) Diane was unhappy because

- (a) the family spoke Irish
- (b) the daughter quarrelled with her
- (c) the father ignored her
- (d) the mother was unpleasant.

3. Cad a rinne Diane nuair nach raibh focal Béarla ar eolas aici?

- (a) Chum sí focal.
- (b) D'fhéach sí ar an bhfoclóir.
- (c) D'úsáid sí comharthaí.
- (d) Dúirt sí an focal i bhFraincis.



3. What did Diane do when she didn't know an English word?

- (a) She invented a word.
- (b) She looked up a dictionary.
- (c) She used gestures.
- (d) She said the word in French.

## SECTION I

You will now hear Diane, a French teenager, talk about her language stay in Ireland.

The material will be played **three** times: first right through, then in **three segments** with pauses, and finally right through again.

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## ROINN II

Anois cloisfidh tú triúr tuismitheoirí, Serge, Hélène agus Victor, agus gach duine acu ag caint faoina c(h)aidreamh lena p(h)áiste atá ina déagóir.

Cloisfidh tú an t-ábhar **trí** huaire: an chéad uair ó thosach deireadh, ansin **ina thrí mhír** agus sos eatarthu, agus ansin ó thosach deireadh arís.

1. Cad a dhéanann mac Serge nuair a dhéanann a athair iarracht ar labhairt leis?

2. De réir Hélène, maidir lena hinión,

- (a) ní raibh sí ag obair dian go leor ar scoil
- (b) bhí sí ag faire ar an iomad teilifise
- (c) ní raibh sí sásta lámh chúnta a thabhairt sa bhaile
- (d) bhí sí ag dul amach rómhinic lena cairde.

3. (i) Cén thír ar thug Victor agus a mhac cuairt uirthi?

- (ii) Tá Victor cinnte de gur chóir do thuismitheoirí
- (a) airgead a thabhairt dá bpáistí
  - (b) a bpáistí a smachtú
  - (c) cluichí a imirt lena bpáistí
  - (d) am a chaitheamh lena bpáistí.

## SECTION II

You will now hear three parents, Serge, Hélène and Victor, each talking about their relationship with their teenage child.

The material will be played **three** times: first right through, then in **three segments** with pauses, and finally right through again.

1. What does Serge's son do when his father tries to speak to him?

2. According to Hélène, her daughter

- (a) was not working enough at school
- (b) was watching too much television
- (c) was unwilling to help at home
- (d) was going out too often with her friends.

3. (i) What country did Victor and his son visit?

- (ii) Victor is convinced that parents should
- (a) give money to their children
  - (b) discipline their children
  - (c) play games with their children
  - (d) spend time with their children.

### ROINN III

Anois cloisfidh tú comhrá idir bheirt déagóirí,  
Karine agus Joseph.

Cloisfidh tú an comhrá **trí** huairé: an chéad uair  
ó thosach deireadh, ansin **ina cheithre mhír** agus  
sos eatarthu, agus ansin ó thosach deireadh arís.

1. De réir Joseph, is é an chéad rang eile ná

- (a) Tíreolaíocht
- (b) Cuntasáiocht
- (c) Ceimic
- (d) Innealtóireacht.



2. Cad a theastaíonn óna tuismitheoirí  
go ndéanfadh Karine tar éis di an scoil  
a fhágail?

3. Cé leis ar bhual Karine agus  
a tuismitheoirí?

- (a) Lena treoirchomhairleoir.
- (b) Lena múinteoir ranga.
- (c) Le príomhoide a scoile.
- (d) Lena múinteoir mata.



4. De réir a tuismitheoirí, tá an ghairm  
a thaitneodh le Karine

- (a) dainséarach le déanamh
- (b) deacair go fisiciúil
- (c) ar phá an-íseal
- (d) leadránach agus tuisriúil.



### SECTION III

You will now hear a conversation between two teenagers, Karine and Joseph.

The conversation will be played **three** times:  
first right through, then in **four segments** with  
pauses, and finally right through again.

1. Joseph says that the next class is

- (a) Geography
- (b) Accounting
- (c) Chemistry
- (d) Engineering.

2. What do Karine's parents want her to do  
after leaving school?

3. Whom did Karine and her parents meet  
with?

- (a) Her guidance counsellor.
- (b) Her class teacher.
- (c) Her school principal.
- (d) Her maths teacher.

4. According to her parents, the career  
Karine would like is

- (a) dangerous to do
- (b) physically difficult
- (c) very badly paid
- (d) boring and tiring.

## ROINN IV

Anois cloisfidh tú agallamh le Alexandre Despretz, oifigeach pólíní ar ghluaisrothar.

Cloisfidh tú an t-agallamh **trí** huaire: an chéad uair ó thosach deireadh, ansin **ina cheithre mhír** agus sos eatarthu, agus ansin ó thosach deireadh arís.

1. Cad a rinne Alexandre an tseachtain seo caite?

- (a) Chuir sé clár teilifise i láthair.
- (b) Bhí timpiste aige ar a ghluaisrothar.
- (c) Bhuaigh sé duais i raifil.
- (d) D'fhoilsigh sé leabhar.

2. Cén leithscéal is minice a bhíonn ag tiománaithe gluaisteáin?

3. Cén leithscéal a thug fear amháin d'Alexandre faoi bheith ag tiomáint ar luas?

- (a) Ní raibh an teorainn luais ar eolas aige.
- (b) Polaiteoir tábhachtach a bhí ann.
- (c) Bhí bia reoite sa bhúit aige.
- (d) Bhí madra sa suíochán cúil aige.

4. Ní chuirfidh Alexandre fineáil ar thiománaithe

- (a) má thairgeann siad breab dó
- (b) má insíonn siad an fhírinne
- (c) más eachtrannaigh iad
- (d) má tá siad ag foghlaim na tiomána.

## SECTION IV

You will now hear an interview with Alexandre Despretz, a motor-cycle police officer.

The interview will be played **three** times: first right through, then in **four segments** with pauses, and finally right through again.

1. What did Alexandre do last week?

- (a) He presented a TV programme.
- (b) He crashed his motor-bike.
- (c) He won a prize in a raffle.
- (d) He published a book.

2. What is the most frequent excuse that motorists give?

3. What excuse for speeding did one man give to Alexandre?

- (a) He didn't know the speed limit.
- (b) He was an important politician.
- (c) He had frozen food in the boot.
- (d) He had a dog on the back seat.

4. Alexandre won't fine motorists if they

- (a) offer him a bribe
- (b) tell the truth
- (c) are foreigners
- (d) are learner drivers.

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Anois cloisfidh tú gach ceann de **thrí** mhír nuachta **faoi dhó**.

You will now hear each of **three** news items **twice**.

1. Cén sórt aimsire a bheidh ann tráthnóna?

1. What will the weather be like in the afternoon?

2. Cé mhéad hearóine a fuair na póilíní i bhfolach i mbollóg aráin?

2. How much heroin did the police find hidden in a loaf of bread?

(a) 270 gram.

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(b) 340 gram.

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(c) 420 gram.

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(d) 580 gram.

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3. (i) Cén áit ónar léim an paraisiútaí seo?

3. (i) From where did this parachutist jump?

(ii) Cad a tharla dó mar thoradh ar an ngníomh seo?

(ii) What happened to him, as a result of this action?

(a) Ghortaigh sé a dhroim.

(a) He injured his back.

(b) Bhris sé a chos.

(b) He broke his leg.

(c) Ghearr sé a cheann.

(c) He cut his head.

(d) Leon sé a rúitín.

(d) He sprained his ankle.

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