USE OF ENGLISH
PART 1

TEST 5

For questions **1-15**, read the text below and decide which word A, B, C or D best fits each space. There is an example at the beginning **(0)**. Mark your answers in the **answer boxes** provided.

Hi-tech Fabrics

High factor sun creams have **(0)** .... a necessity to protect us against dangerous ultra-violet light. But fears that creams are not protective enough have now **(1)** .... scientists to develop sun-proof fabrics to add further protection against the damaging **(2)** .... of the sun. A lightweight T-shirt, for example, has a sun protection factor of about 10, which **(3)** .... that you could still get burned through the fabric. Australian scientists have now **(4)** .... a way of introducing **(5)** .... fibres into clothing which will act as a 90% **(6)** .... against UV rays. The material is dipped into a certain dye, **(7)** .... a chemical barrier between the cloth and the sunlight, giving it a factor of 45-50. Sun-proofing is just one of many techniques being tested to produce these "smart fabrics". At the French Institute of Textiles in Lyon, chemists are **(8)** .... a material that will absorb heat. Other **(9)** .... include fabrics that help you relax, stay **(10)** .... and even give up smoking. The Institute is even organising hospital **(11)** .... of a fabric containing anti-bacterial chemicals that **(12)** .... further infection after medical treatment. However, the **(13)** .... appeal of these "smart fabrics" lies in feeling better without having to **(14)** .... your lifestyle. One British company may have succeeded by producing a material that helps you **(15)** ....weight!

0	A come	B turned	C become	D made
1	A guided	B led	C taken	D moved
2	A affects	B results	C effects	D causes
3	A means	B states	C intends	D senses
4	A expanded	B produced	C advanced	D developed
5	A significant	B precise	C definite	D special
6	A care	B guard	C safety	D rescue
7	A creating	B doing	C constructing	D rising
8	A bringing in	B trying on	C working on	D operating on
9	A probabilities	B capabilities	C possibilities	D choices
10	A waking	B awake	C wakeful	D aware
11	A checks	B proofs	C trials	D actions
12	A keep	B avoid	C exclude	D prevent
13	A usual	B popular	C famous	D ordinary
14	A change	B repair	C differentiate	D replace
15	A lose	B miss	C abandon	D get rid

PART 2

For questions **16-30**, read the text below and think of the word which best fits each space. Use only **one** word in each space. There is an example at the beginning **(0)**. Write your word in the **answer boxes** provided.

Body Maintenance

Volunteers **(0)** .... asked recently to keep a record of their diet **(16)** .... part of a survey on Britain's eating habits. Dietitians reached the following conclusions.

The first obvious fact noticed was that most people do not eat **(17)** .... fruit or green vegetables, the lack of **(18)** .... is directly related **(19)** .... certain diseases. A second conclusion reached was that many people rely **(20)** .... pastries, biscuits and chocolate for quick energy boosts **(21)** .... the day. Finally, the absence of fish in **(22)** .... diets was quite evident. The only encouraging finding was that the message of the nineties about reducing meat consumption had **(23)** .... through.

What dietitians and nutritionists advise **(24)** .... as to improve one's diet is eating **(25)** .... complex carbohydrates, such as whole grains, **(26)** ....than simple carbohydrates **(27)** ....white bread, as well as eating **(28)** .... of vegetables and fruit.

One final warning they give is that many people use caffeine drinks to start their body and to **(29)** .... it going. Excessive consumption may lead to liver problems.

So, **(30)** .... conclusion, a change in eating habits will make you feel healthier and give you more energy.

Example: **0** were

PART 3

For questions **31-40**, complete the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the first sentence using the word given. **Do not change the word given.** You must use between two and five words, including the word given. There is an example at the beginning **(0)**. Write **only** the missing words in the **answer boxes** provided.

0 Your house needs to be cleaned.
have
You .... cleaned.

Example: **0** *need to have your house*

31 We really should leave now - it's past midnight.
time
It's .... - it's past midnight.

32 When did you last have your hair cut?
since
How .... you had your hair cut?

33 I will not tolerate his bad behaviour.
put
I will not .... his bad behaviour.

34 He phoned the hotel to confirm his reservation.
so
He phoned the hotel .... his reservation.

35 It's difficult to raise children in today's society.
up
It's difficult .... in today's society.

36 Sharon is too young to travel on her own.
enough
Sharon.. travel on her own.

37 This is the best performance we've ever attended.
better
We've never .... this.

38 I'm sure he hasn't forgotten our appointment.
have
He .... our appointment.

39 There are many things to consider before I decide.
take
There are many things .... before I decide.

40 We are not likely to know the results before Friday.
likely
It isn't .... the results before Friday.

PART 4

For questions **41-55**, read the text below and look carefully at each line. Some of the lines are correct, and some have a word which should not be there.
If a line is correct, put a tick (✓) by the number in the **answer boxes** provided. If a line has a word which should **not** be there, write the word in the **answer boxes** provided. There are two examples at the beginning (**0** and **00**).

Salt

0 Salt is the name commonly used for sodium chloride,
00 which occurs naturally in the food. For thousands
41 of years we have added many salt to our
42 food in order for to preserve it. Sodium helps to
43 control the fluid balance in our bodies and ensures
44 that muscles and nerves they work properly. However,
45 too much of sodium may contribute to high blood
46 pressure, which increases the risk of heart disease.
47 Therefore, it makes sense to cut this down on the salt
48 we eat as part of a healthy diet. We only need
49 just over 1½ grams of salt per one day and we easily
50 consume this amount from the sodium to which occurs
51 naturally in our food. Food such as peanuts,
52 hard cheeses and crisps are high up in sodium.
53 Gradually reducing the amount of salt
54 you add to food will not only be the healthier,
55 but will also help the natural flavour come through.

Example: **0** ✓   **00** the

PART 5

For questions **56-65**, read the text below. Use the word given in capitals at the end of each line to form a word that fits in the space in the same line. There is an example at the beginning **(0)**. Write your word in the **answer boxes** provided.

Motorcycling

Some people consider motorcycles as a **(0)** .... and **(56)** .... form of transport. A motorcycle does not offer the **(57)** .... that the structure of a car provides. They are also **(58)** .... if you happen to be on one when it begins to rain. While these **(59)** .... are certainly justified, nothing can compare with the **(60)** .... that motorcyclists feel on the open road. Travelling in a car brings with it a sensation of **(61)** ...., whereas motorcycles give one the **(62)** .... of being closer to nature so that you can better appreciate the **(63)** .... around you. Motorcycling is also a **(64)** .... way of getting some sun, if weather conditions are **(65)** .... of course!

(0) dangerous	DANGER
(56)	CONVENIENT
(57)	PROTECT
(58)	COMFORTABLE
(59)	CRITICISE
(60)	FREE
(61)	ISOLATE
(62)	FEEL
(63)	SCENE
(64)	MARVEL
(65)	FAVOUR

Example: **0** dangerous