Coimisiún na Scrúduithe Stáit
State Examinations Commission

SCRÚDÚ NA hARDTEISTIMÉIREACHTA
LEAVING CERTIFICATE EXAMINATION **2013**

IODÁILIS – ARDLEIBHÉAL
ITALIAN – HIGHER LEVEL

TRIAIL CHLUASTUISCEANA (80 marc)
LISTENING COMPREHENSION TEST (80 marks)

DÉ hAOINE, 21 MEITHEAMH – TRÁTHNÓNA 4.40 go dtí 5.20
FRIDAY, 21 JUNE – AFTERNOON, 4.40 to 5.20

UIMHIR AN IONAID **CENTRE NUMBER**	
SCRÚDUIMHIR AN IARRTHÓRA **CANDIDATE'S NUMBER**	

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Mura féidir leat an taifeadadh a chloisteáil gan dua ardaigh do lámh ANOIS chun a chur in iúl don Fheitheoir nach mór an fhuaim a shocrú i gceart.

Ná cuir isteach ar imeachtaí na trialach féin uaidh seo amach.

If you have difficulty hearing the recording please raise your hand NOW to indicate to the Supervisor that the volume should be adjusted.

Once the test has started you must not interrupt.

ROINN A SECTION A

Sa roinn seo cloisfidh tú ocht ráiteas nó mír nuachta san Iodáilis. Cloisfidh tú gach ceann díobh **faoi dhó**. Beidh sos gairid ann tar éis na chéad éisteachta. Roghnaigh an freagra is cuí, dar leat, ar gach ceist thíos agus cuir ciorcal timpeall ar an litir chuí chun do rogha a chur in iúl i ngach cás.

1. Is é a chuirfear chun cinn leis an tionscnamh nua scoile ná

(a) Staidéar ar an gceol
(b) Tábhacht an spóirt
(c) Staidéar ar an dlí
(d) Eolas ar Aontú na hIodáile

2. Is é a bhíonn sa leathchuid de na hearraí a cailltear ar thraenacha na hIodáile ná

(a) Málaí agus cásanna
(b) Fóin phóca agus ríomhairí glúine
(c) Éadaí
(d) Leabhair

3. Is é an fáth a bhfuil stailc ann ná

(a) Cáin réadmhaoine
(b) Ardú ar phraghsanna an bhreosla
(c) Ardú ar dolaí mótair
(d) Trácht trom

4. Is é an t-am is mó a bhíonn na hIodálaigh ag tvuíteáil ná

(a) Ag an deireadh seachtaine
(b) Tráthnóna
(c) Ar maidin
(d) Tar éis lóin

5. Is é a bheidh ar siúl in Flórans ná

(a) Féile Bia Orgánach
(b) Margadh ealaíon agus ceardaíochta
(c) Féile blaiseadh fíona
(d) Féile uachtair reoite

6. Bhí an sneachta ina chúis le

(a) Timpistí bóithre
(b) Scoileanna a bheith dúnta
(c) Eitiltí a bheith curtha ar ceal
(d) Maidhm shneachta

7. Eagraíodh an ócáid chun é seo a cheiliúradh

(a) Oscailt na scoile nua
(b) Lá na nOibrithe Deonacha
(c) Oscailt siopa bróg nua
(d) Lá an Domhain

8. Is é atá i gceist sa mhír nuachta ná

(a) An deacracht a bhaineann le hairgead a choigilt
(b) Géarchéim na mbanc
(c) Daoine gan dídean
(d) An dífhostaíocht

In this section you will hear eight statements or news items in Italian. Each of these will be heard **twice**. After the first hearing there will be a short pause. Choose what you consider the most appropriate answer to each question below and indicate your choice by circling the appropriate letter in each case.

1. The new school initiative will promote

(a) The study of music
(b) The importance of sport
(c) The study of law
(d) Knowledge of the Unification of Italy

2. Half of the lost property on Italian trains consists of

(a) Bags and suitcases
(b) Mobile phones and laptops
(c) Clothes
(d) Books

3. The strike is about

(a) Property tax
(b) The increase in fuel prices
(c) Increased motor tolls
(d) Heavy traffic

4. The most popular time for tweeting in Italy is

(a) The weekend
(b) The evening
(c) The morning
(d) After lunch

5. Florence will host

(a) An organic food festival
(b) An art and craft market
(c) A wine tasting festival
(d) An ice-cream festival

6. Snow caused

(a) Road accidents
(b) School closures
(c) Flight cancellations
(d) An avalanche

7. The event was organized to celebrate

(a) The opening of a new school
(b) Volunteers Day
(c) The opening of a new shoe shop
(d) Earth Day

8. The news item is about

(a) The difficulty in saving money
(b) The bank crisis
(c) Homeless people
(d) Unemployment

ROINN B / SECTION B

Tá trí chomhrá sa roinn seo. Cloisfidh tú gach comhrá díobh **trí** huaire: an chéad uair gan sosanna, ina dhiaidh sin ina mhíreanna le sosanna gearra inmheánacha, agus ansin, ar deireadh, tríd síos arís.
Ba chóir na freagraí a scríobh **i nGaeilge** sna spásanna atá ann dóibh.

In this section there are three conversations. You will hear each conversation **three** times: first right through, then in segments with short internal pauses, and finally right through again.
The answers should be written **in English** in the spaces provided.

Comhrá 1. Comhrá idir Lara agus Matteo

Dialogue 1. Conversation between Lara and Matteo

1. Luaigh **dhá** bhuntáiste a bhaineann le dul ar laethanta saoire san Fhómhar.

1. Mention **two** advantages of going on holidays in the Autumn.

2. Tabhair na sonraí iomlána faoin gcuairt dheireanach a thug Matteo ar Assisi.

2. Give **full** details about Matteo's last visit to Assisi.

3. Luaigh **dhá** rud ar mhaith le Lara cuairt a thabhairt orthu in Sydney.

3. Mention **two** things Lara would like to visit in Sydney.

4. Luaigh **trí** rud atá san áireamh sa phacáiste saoire.

4. Mention **three** items included in the holiday package.

Comhrá 2. Comhrá idir Alessia and Claudio

Dialogue 2. Conversation between Alessia and Claudio

1. Cén bronntanas a shocraigh cairde Enrico a cheannach dó, agus cén fáth?

1. What present did Enrico's friends decide to buy him and why?

2. (a) Cé mhéad atá gach duine de chairde Enrico ag dul a íoc as an mbronntanas?

2. (a) How much is each of Enrico's friends going to pay for the present?

(b) Ainmnigh **dhá** bhronntanas eile a luann Alessia.

(b) Name **two** other presents Alessia mentions.

3. (a) Cé na pleananna atá ag Enrico dá bhreithlá?

3. (a) What are Enrico's plans for his birthday?

(b) Cad atá Paolo ag dul a thabhairt chuig an gcóisir?

(b) What will Paolo bring to the party?

4. Cén chaoi a bhfuil cairde Enrico ag brath é a thabhairt chuig an gcóisir gan choinne?

4. What pretence do Enrico's friends plan to use to bring him to the surprise party?

Comhrá 3. Agallamh le Michela Belli	**Dialogue 3. Interview with Michela Belli**

1. Cén fáth ar shocraigh Michela teacht go hÉirinn? Tabhair na **sonraí iomlána.**

1. Why did Michela choose to come to Ireland? Give **full** details.

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2. Cén fáth ar cheap Michela go rachadh sí go dtí an Spáinn nó an Fhrainc in ionad na hÉireann?

2. Why did Michela think she would have gone to Spain or France rather than Ireland?

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3. Cén fáth a gceapann Michela gur fearr di a bheith in Éirinn ná san Iodáil?

3. Why does Michela think it is better for her to be in Ireland rather than Italy?

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4. Cad is maith le Michela faoi Iarthar na hÉireann? Tabhair **trí** shonra.

4. What does Michela like about the West of Ireland? Give **three** details.

(i) ____

(ii) ____

(iii) ____

5. Luaigh **trí** earnáil in Éirinn ina bhfuil na hIodálaigh ag obair.

5. Mention **three** sectors in Ireland where Italians work.

(i) ____

(ii) ____

(iii) ____

6. Cad a mheallann Iodálaigh óga go hÉirinn? Tabhair **trí** shonra.

6. What attracts young Italians to Ireland? **Give three** details.

(i) ____

(ii) ____

(iii) ____

7. Cén fáth a bhfuil Michela ag smaoineamh ar gan filleadh ar an Iodáil? Tabhair **dhá** shonra.

7. Why is Michela thinking about not going back to Italy? Give **two** details.

(i) ____

(ii) ____

8. Cá bhfeiceann Michela í féin i gceann cúig bliana. Tabhair **dhá** shonra.

8. How does Michela see herself in five years time? Give **two** details.

(i) ____

(ii) ____