

Italian continuers

2023 examination

Section 1: Listening and Responding (Questions 1 and 2) 10 marks

Answer **all** questions in Section 1

Answer in *English*

Allow approximately 30 minutes

Section 2: Reading and Responding (Questions 3 and 4) 25 marks

Part A (Question 3) 10 marks

Answer in *English*

Part B (Question 4) 15 marks

Answer in *Italian*

Answer **all** questions in Section 2

Allow approximately 60 minutes

Section 3: Writing in Italian (Question 5) 20 marks

Respond to **one** option in Section 3

Answer in *Italian*

Allow approximately 40 minutes

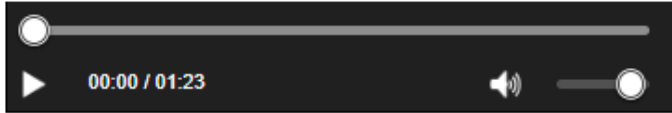
Total time: 130 minutes

Total marks: 55

Listen to Text 1 and then answer Question 1 in *English*.

Text 1

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Question 1 (a) to (c)

(a) What offer is presented in the text?

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(b) List **three** reasons, according to the text, why local councils are supporting the project.

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(c) What is the condition placed on the offer?

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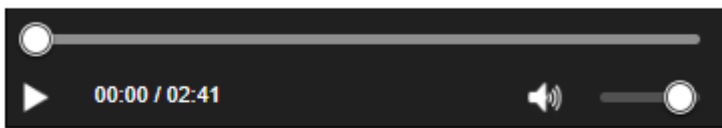
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Text 2

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Question 2 (a) and (b)

(a) What does the interview tell us about the person being discussed?

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(b) Describe the relationship between the guest speaker and the person being discussed.
Support your answer with evidence from the text.

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L'arte per tutti! Finalmente!

di Mirella Leonardi

Entrata gratuita, senza pagare neanche un euro per entrare nei più grandi e famosi musei Italiani, luoghi d'arte e parchi archeologici.

Il Ministero della Cultura ha una nuova iniziativa per tutti gli italiani, grandi e piccoli: un ritorno ai musei la domenica. Che bellezza! Quest'iniziativa permette alle famiglie italiane di visitare i luoghi d'arte e i parchi archeologici senza pagare la prima domenica di ogni mese — una grande novità del 2023. Che bellissimo regalo dal governo!

Allora quando e come visitarli?

Dalle città del Nord alle città del Sud si deve prenotare l'entrata prima di visitare. Comunque si devono rispettare le ore di apertura e chiusura, ed ogni museo è diverso.

L'Italia ha un grande patrimonio artistico e l'arte si trova un po' ovunque, anche in luoghi sorprendenti. Questa iniziativa ha tanti vantaggi. Permette agli italiani di apprezzare di vivere in un immenso museo. E che tutti abbiano la possibilità di vedere magnifici capolavori di Michelangelo o Botticelli nella loro vita e conoscere la storia dei tanti artisti, scultori e pittori famosi che fanno parte dell'Italia.

Le aperture speciali con l'ingresso gratuito durante le feste di Natale dell'anno scorso, organizzate dal Ministero della Cultura, sono state un successo straordinario. Parchi archeologici e musei in tutta l'Italia erano pieni di persone da Milano a Napoli, da Venezia a Bari. Un vero e proprio boom di visitatori.

Grazie al Ministero della Cultura, c'è un grande elenco di musei e parchi, posti da non perdere e capolavori da conoscere. C'è qualcosa da scoprire per tutti. Viva l'arte!

Read Text 3 and then answer Question 3 in *English*.

Question 3 (a) to (d)

(a) Explain the title of the article – *L'arte per tutti! Finalmente!* – with reference to the text.

(1 mark)

(b) According to the text, what must visitors take into consideration when visiting these museums, art galleries and archaeological parks?

(2 marks)

(c) What encouraged the Ministry of Culture to take this initiative, according to the text?

(2 marks)

(d) How does the language used in the text convey the author's attitude? Support your answer with evidence from the text.

(5 marks)

Anna 05/06 alle 16:25

Per me, l'idea di tornare ai regali di una volta non è solo economico, ma anche molto importante. A Natale l'anno scorso, non sapevo cosa comprare per le mie amiche, così ho creato regali personali come biscotti fatti in casa. Orecchini e fiocchetti per i capelli fatti con prodotti riciclati. Trovo che ci sia un vero bisogno di riciclare e aiutare il nostro pianeta e anche il borsellino.

Giancarlo 05/06 alle 18:40

Capisco che stiamo tornando ai modi di una volta, specialmente perché oggi giorno siamo molto consapevoli della società che 'usa e butta'. Non mi piace regalare le cose fatte in casa! Invece, mi piace passare il tempo con i miei amici. Quindi, dare in regalo un'esperienza da condividere, come una gita in montagna oppure andare in bicicletta lungo la costa è una ottima idea. Cosa ne pensate?

Read Text 4 and then answer Question 4 in 200 to 250 words in *Italian*.

Question 4

You have read the online comments about gift ideas and you decide to join the discussion. Write a comment, responding to the opinions offered and giving your own perspective on the topic.

Hai letto questi commenti online che parlano di cosa regalare e decidi di partecipare alla conversazione. Scrivi un commento, discuti le opinioni offerte e condividi il tuo punto di vista su questo argomento.

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Option 1

You have decided to study in Siena at the end of Year 12. Write an email to a friend, explaining your plans and trying to convince them to come along to study with you.

Hai deciso di studiare a Siena alla fine della maturità. Scrivi una mail ad un amico/un'amica, spiega i tuoi piani e prova a convincerli a venire con te.

Option 2

Write a diary entry that includes the phrase: 'Non avevo mai visto così tante persone.'

Scrivi una riflessione nel diario che include la frase: 'Non avevo mai visto così tante persone.'

Option 3

You are a passionate languages student. Write the text of a speech that you will present to the board of your local early learning centre, persuading them to include the Italian language as part of the learning program.

Sei uno studente/studentessa appassionato/a di lingue. Scrivi la traccia di un discorso che presenterai al consiglio della scuola materna locale, per convincerli a includere la lingua Italiana come parte del programma scolastico.

Question 5

Read Option 1, Option 2, and Option 3.

Choose **one** option and respond in 250 to 300 words in *Italian*.

Select the option that you are responding to from the following list.

☐ Option 1

☐ Option 2

☐ Option 3

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(20 marks)

Final checklist

- ☐ I have reviewed my work
- ☐ I understand that by selecting 'Next' I cannot return to the examination

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