

**Listening & Speaking Monthly
Mock Test 1**

Monthly 1 (SECOND Term)

This is only a mock test. This practice is not the same as the actual exam.

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INSTRUCTIONS:

- **Write your name, student number and section number in English.**
- **Answer all the questions.**
- **Speaking is NOT allowed** during the exam. **Do not ask invigilators for help.**
- All electronic devices including mobile phones must be switched off during the test time.
- All class material such as textbooks and class notes must be left outside the exam room.
- **Attempts at cheating or copying other student work will result in disqualification** of your exam result.

Section 1

Complete the sentence. Choose A or B.

- 1- After Marlene Dietrich wore pants in a Hollywood movie, many women _____ the trend by wearing pants in their daily lives.
 - a. took
 - b. followed
- 2- Other movie stars _____ the trend by wearing pants.
 - a. kept
 - b. continued
- 3- It is often musicians who _____ trends. For example, recently it became popular to wear dresses or skirts over pants after a famous singer did.
 - a. set
 - b. do
- 4- Some companies tried to _____ the trend of women wearing pants to work, but now most companies allow women to wear pants.
 - a. stop
 - b. end
- 5- Many young people _____ trends when they dress like their favorite celebrities.
 - a. choose
 - b. follow
- 6- People have a lots of emotions.
Emotions is:
 - a. Funny
 - b. Feelings

Section 2

Listening 1

Listen to track 1. Complete the sentence. Choose A, B, or C.

7. According to the speaker, people enjoy costume parties because _____.
 - A. celebrities like going to costume parties
 - B. they can dress like someone else
 - C. princes and princesses go there, too
8. The man who dresses like a cowboy _____.
 - A. has lived in Texas before
 - B. works at the coffee shop
 - C. has a small bookstore nearby
9. The speaker's friend is studying the history of _____.
 - A. fashion
 - B. ranches
 - C. film
10. The speaker's friend wears dresses and hats from the '30s and '40s _____.
 - A. on special occasions
 - B. all the time
 - C. at the university

Read the sentence. According to track 1, is it a main idea or an example? Choose A or B.

11. People often dress like the people they want to be.

- A. main idea
- B. example

Section 3

Listening 3

Listen to track 6. Read the statements. Write *T* (true) or *F* (false) according to the Listening.

- _____ 12. The cryptic frog is on a rock.
- _____ 13. It is easier to see the frog when it moves.
- _____ 14. Animals use camouflage to give a warning.
- _____ 15. Some frogs are dangerous to eat.

Is the underlined part of the sentence a cause or an effect? Choose A or B.

- 16. The cryptic frog is brown so other animals cannot see it.
 - A. cause
 - B. effect
- 17. Some dangerous animals are easy to see because they have bright colors.
 - A. cause
 - B. effect
- 18. Many predators know that a bright color means danger, so they stay away.
 - A. cause
 - B. effect

SECTION 2

Track 1 (Transcript)

A fashion commentator once said, “People dress like their fantasies.” His point was that we often dress to look like the people we want to be. This is why people dress like celebrities. It is also the reason that people enjoy costume parties. When you go to a costume party, you can be a prince or a princess, a caveman or a cowboy—whatever you want to be.

Some people carry these fantasies into their everyday clothing. I sometimes go to a coffee shop in my neighborhood for breakfast. There’s often a man there wearing a cowboy hat and jacket and riding boots. The people in the coffee shop call him “Tex.” He probably never lived in Texas. He was never a cowboy on a real cattle ranch. In his real life, he owns a little bookstore in the neighborhood. But, he lives his dream of the cowboy life with his clothes.

A friend of mine at the university is studying the history of film. She’s especially interested in the movies of the 1930s and 1940s. For her, women’s styles of that time were much more elegant and sophisticated than today’s styles. She often goes to vintage clothing stores—stores that sell old clothing from different time periods—to buy clothes. She has a collection of dresses and hats from the ’30s and ’40s. She doesn’t wear them every day, but she does wear them on special occasions. When she does, she looks very elegant, just like a movie star from the old days.

SECTION 3

Track 6 (Transcript)

Now look at the next photo of a cryptic frog. Can you find the frog? Look closely and you can see it on the left. It is sitting on the leaf. It takes its colors from the brown leaves and rocks on the forest floor. This is another example of camouflage. It’s almost impossible to see this little guy unless he moves. Even then it looks like the wind is blowing a brown leaf across the forest floor.

A second use for color is to give a warning. This is the opposite of camouflage. These animals *want* you to see them. Their bright colors say, “Watch out! I’m dangerous. If you touch me, I’ll hurt you.” Many predators also know from experience that a bright color means danger.

Let me give you an example. This is a photo of a blue poison dart frog. These frogs live in the rain forests of Suriname in South America. Their skin contains a very strong poison. The poison in just one frog is enough to kill ten men. Its bright blue color says to predators, “If you eat me, you will die.” Believe me, if I see one of these in the forest, I will give it plenty of space!