CBSE: Assessment of Speaking and Listening Skills (ASL)

Class - XI

SAMPLE WORKSHEET FOR LISTENING TEST

Time: 1 hour  Max. Marks: 20

Task – 1

You will hear 5 short extracts of people talking about school. Read the statements below, then listen to the extracts and match each statement A–G to each speaker 1–5. You will hear the recordings twice.

A. School is really helping me to try lots of new things.
B. School is supporting me in becoming an all rounder.
C. Getting involved in school activities helped me improve my life skills.
D. The buddy system is really helping promising students.
E. Having training helped me become a good friend to younger students.
F. I really like that we are taught to eat healthy at school.
G. We are sometimes allowed to eat junk food at after school club.

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Task – 2

You will hear a boy and a girl talking about their upcoming NSS camp. Read the sentences below, then listen to the conversation and choose A, B or C for each sentence.

You will hear the recording twice.

1. The girl considers the announcement of the camp as a chance to
   a. contribute to the local community.
   b. learn how the surroundings gets polluted.
   c. show the boy how to clean the locale.

2. According to the girl the participants of the camp will
   a. remove plastic waste from the drains.
   b. recycle the garbage they collect.
   c. paint pictures and notices on the walls of houses.

3. The boy is unwilling to involve himself in the task as he feels
   a. the place is spotless anyway.
   b. the grown-ups/elders will make it unclean anyway.
   c. the place will slip back to being dirty soon.

4. The girl wants everyone now
   a. to avoid becoming involved.
   b. to do something to conserve the earth.
   c. to pass on their duty to others.

5. The boy shares the girl's view that the situation would change for the better if people
   a. are comfortable in the place they live in.
   b. are asked to actively participate.
   c. are patient and wait for things to improve.

6. The girl wants to create understanding among people by
   a. using visual and interactive methods of communication.
   b. training them on how to use non-polluting materials.
   c. showing them how to clean the place.

6 marks
Task - 3

You will hear a talk on the benefits of walking. Read the question below, then listen to the extract and choose four of the options A–G which are correct. You will hear the recording twice.

Which four of the following statements does the speaker believe to be true?

A. Walking is the best exercise for the body.
B. Walking helps you in reducing weight.
C. Walking is a very good preventive medicine.
D. Walking puts you in touch with nature.
E. Walking increases your stamina many times over.
F. Walking helps in forgetting one’s problems.
G. Walking gives you a chance to make more friends.

4 marks

Task - 4

You will hear two people debating the issue of technology in schools. Listen to the debate and complete the sentences with one or two words only.

You will hear the recording twice.

1. The woman speaker believes that technology helps students hear and learn as well as ___________ and ___________ lessons better.

2. The man argues that students get __________________________ only from their teacher.

3. According to the woman speaker, technology in education has greatly improved the __________________________ of students.

4. According to the man, only the teacher can take learning beyond the __________________________ and make classes interactive.

5. The man concludes that it is impossible __________________________ the teacher with computers in the classroom.

5 marks