

MARITIME FACULTY KOTOR
DIFFERENTIAL ENGLISH LANGUAGE EXAM
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Candidate _____ Total points ____/34 Grade _____

I Read carefully and answer the questions: (_____ /5)

Rock star Sting has used his latest visit to Brazil to urge the government there to listen to the concerns of indigenous peoples over a proposed new hydro-electric dam in the Amazon.

The former Police frontman has flown to the country to address the proposals for the megastructure, known as the Belo Monte project, which will be the third largest dam of its kind in the world.

British pop star Sting says Brazil's government should listen to the voices of local indigenous groups before building a massive hydroelectric dam in the Amazon rain forest.

He was speaking at a press conference in Sao Paulo where he was reunited with indigenous leader Raoni Metyktire who joined him in a similar campaign 20 years ago which attracted worldwide attention.

Indigenous tribes in the Amazon say the Belo Monte project poses a threat to their way of life. The dam will flood much of their land making hunting and fishing in the area difficult.

Brazilian officials say the dam is needed to meet the energy demands of its growing economy, while environmentalists say it will swallow rain forest, kill off native fish and displace thousands.

1) The dam hasn't been built yet.

True

False

2) Local tribal people want the dam built in their area.

True

False

3) Raoni Metykire is:

- A builder
- A journalist
- A tribal chief
- A musician

4) Based on the article, Sting can be described as:

- an economist
- a Brazilian
- a police officer
- an environmentalist

5) Why are the tribes against the dam in their area?

II Fill in with appropriate verb forms of the verbs in brackets: (_____/6)

Yesterday morning while we _____ (have) breakfast the telephone rang and my sister _____ (answer). It _____ (be) someone from a new insurance company offering their services. I generally _____ (not, like) them because they are so assertive and _____ (can) be very boring. I _____ (never, have) any kind of insurance apart from a regular one.

III Ask correct questions on the sentences starting with question words given: (_____/4)

1) My best friend helped me when I lost my job.

Who _____

When _____

2) I won 3,000 \$ in a local lottery.

How much _____

3) I've read 78 pages of that book so far.

How many pages _____

IV Fill in with appropriate preposition: (_____/6)



Prepositions of place:

I can see a woman _____ the picture. She is sitting _____ a table. She is sitting _____ a chair. There is another chair _____ her. Her feet are _____ the table. The woman is holding a cup _____ her hands. The woman is a bit bent _____ the table and looking _____ her laptop. Her bag is _____ the table. _____ her there is only a white wall. I can't see if there is anything _____ her head, I couldn't tell _____ the picture.

V Fill in with comparative or superlative forms: (_____/4)

This is my _____ (bad) birthday ever, no one came to my party! I'm so sad...

I'd never say you are 45, you look much _____! (young)

Of course I remember her, she was the _____ (beautiful) girl in the entire school!

And she was also my _____ (good) friend at that time!

VI Turn into passive: (_____/3)

Example: Active: Marko repaired my old bicycle.

Passive: My old bicycle was repaired by Marko.

1. The police have found the stolen car down town.

Passive: _____

2. They saw someone in front of the building area.

Passive: _____

3. You must obey all the national rules here!

Passive: _____

VII Provide translation of the e-mail: (_____ /6)

Poštovani gospodine Smith,

Željeli bismo da vas pozovemo na godišnji sastanak predstavnika najvećih kompanija u regionu. Sastanak će se održati u četvrtak, 3.5.2018.god. u 17.30 u našoj glavnoj sali za konferencije. Ukoliko vam dato vrijeme ne odgovara molimo vas da nam javite na vrijeme.

Očekujemo vašu potvrdu,

Srdacan pozdrav,

Marko Marković

Grading: 1 (0-16 points); 2 (17-21 points); 3 (21-25 points); 4 (26-30 points); 5 (31-34 points)