

PARTE 1 - Uso della Lingua A

- 1.01 I don't speak Spanish but my sister _____.
a) speaks b) does c) 's speaking
- 1.02 I avoid _____ sweet things because they're fattening.
a) eating b) to eat c) eat
- 1.03 Who _____ in a bank?
a) does work b) work c) works
- 1.04 Tom was _____ with his exam results.
a) disappointed b) disappointing c) disappoint
- 1.05 _____ often than not I get the bus to work.
a) Every b) Once c) More
- 1.06 David used to _____ lots of excuses when he arrived late for work.
a) pass on b) get away with c) make up
- 1.07 Lucy is fascinated _____ other cultures.
a) for b) of c) by
- 1.08 The older I get, _____ lazier I become.
a) the b) more c) ——
- 1.09 Take an umbrella _____ it rains.
a) despite b) since c) in case
- 1.10 He's been working here _____ January.
a) last b) since c) for
- 1.11 That was _____ boring film!
a) so b) such a c) such
- 1.12 Anna _____ to meet her at the station at 4pm.
a) said me b) told me c) told
- 1.13 I want _____ come home by 10.30pm.
a) that you b) you c) you to
- 1.14 Anna is the lady _____ husband is French.
a) whose b) her c) which
- 1.15 At the moment, Maria is working in a restaurant _____ a waitress.
a) like b) how c) as
- 1.16 I have just _____. The mechanic has finished.
a) repaired my car b) had my car repaired c) made my car repair
- 1.17 _____ of my friends are over twenty five.
a) Any b) No c) None



1.18 Everyone in the class _____ home by public transport.
a) travels b) travel c) travelling

1.19 _____ of my parents work full-time.
a) Either b) All c) Both

1.20 I wish _____ to dance when I was younger.
a) I had been learning b) I was learning c) I had learned



PARTE 2 - Uso della Lingua B

2.1 While Lucy is in Madrid, she _____ (teach) English.

2.2 Martin _____ (do) his homework when I got home.

2.3 When Maria arrived home, she realized she _____ (leave) her keys at the office.

2.4 If I go to Berlin this summer, I _____ (visit) the Jewish museum.

2.5 The Taj Mahal _____ (build) for an Indian queen.

2.6 I didn't feel well last night because I _____ (eat) too much.

2.7 If Mike had studied more, he _____ (pass) his exams.

2.8 Scientists predict that this summer _____ (be) exceptionally hot.

2.9 I'm so angry! I _____ (wait) here for 30 minutes and the doctor still hasn't arrived.

2.10 By 10pm this evening, I _____ (finish) all my homework.

Parte 3 - Comprensione di un Testo Scritto

The Wrong Guy!

The story of Guy Goma is not one of stupidity. A former taxi driver from the French Congo, Mr Goma, was at the BBC TV centre for an interview in the hope of becoming an IT assistant. Therefore when a producer came up to him and said, "Guy Kewney, isn't it? About the IT thing?" he agreed because he thought she had just pronounced his surname badly.

Mr Goma, who had taught himself English after he moved to England four years previously, was rushed into a studio where he found himself in front of three cameras having questions thrown at him. How could he know that the man who'd been sitting on a nearby sofa was also called Guy? In fact Guy Kewney was an IT expert who was waiting to go on live TV to be interviewed about a legal dispute with Apple computers.

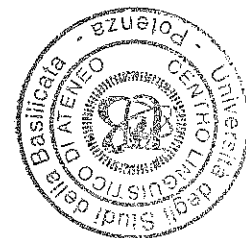
"It all happened so fast," Goma told *The Sun* newspaper. "I had just signed my name in reception when someone said "Follow me." She was walking so fast that I had to jog to keep up with her. A lady put some make-up on me and I was fitted with a microphone. I just thought it was all part of the job interview and when I realized I was on air, what could I do? I just tried to answer the questions and stay calm."

Viewers of the most-watched TV interview in months, it was posted on YouTube, have reacted with a mixture of delight and sympathy to the key moment when the BBC's Karen Bowerman introduced Goma as "Guy Kewney, head of newswireless.net!" Across his expressive face flit a dozen expressions in a second, mainly shock, fear, guilt and embarrassment, as he wondered what to do next. However, instead of saying there had been a mistake, he answered three questions before the BBC staff became aware of what had happened and brought the item to an early close.

Mr Goma was finally taken to his interview for the IT post but despite going through such a bad experience he didn't get the job. Nevertheless Mr Goma is now in demand as a celebrity since hundreds of thousands of people have now watched his television appearance online.

3.1 Guy Goma had gone to the BBC TV centre because

- a) he wanted a job.
- b) someone had phoned for a taxi.
- c) he was being interviewed on TV.
- d) the producer had called him.



3.2 The confusion happened because

- a) Mr Goma didn't speak any English.
- b) there were two men called Guy.
- c) there were two IT experts at the BBC.
- d) Guy Kewney was sitting on a sofa.

3.3 The real Guy Kewney was at the studios

- a) to help with a technical problem.
- b) to talk about a problem with a computer company.

- c) to interview Guy Goma for a job.
- d) because he worked for the BBC.

3.4 The staff put make-up on Guy and gave him a microphone. He believed

- a) he was being prepared for a job interview.
- b) he was being prepared for a TV interview.
- c) he had to interview Guy Kewney.
- d) he had to solve a technical problem.

3.5 When Mr Goma realized he was on TV, he

- a) panicked.
- b) went completely quiet.
- c) pretended nothing was wrong.
- d) got angry.

3.6 The interview

- a) has been a big success on the web.
- b) has been criticised on the web.
- c) has received negative comments on the web.
- d) hasn't been seen by many people on the web.

3.7 The BBC staff

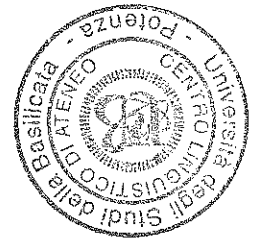
- a) realised their mistake immediately.
- b) didn't realize their mistake until the interview had finished.
- c) didn't realize their mistake at all.
- d) didn't realize their mistake at first.

3.8 Guy Goma

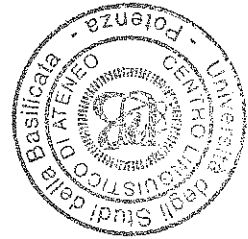
- a) went back for the job interview the next day.
- b) never had a job interview.
- c) had the job interview after the TV interview.
- d) decided to go home immediately.

3.9 Mr Goma

- a) was offered the job.



- b) wasn't offered the job.
- c) refused the job.
- d) accepted the job.



3.10 Mr Goma

- a) has become well known.
- b) found the experience funny.
- c) will be paid a lot of money by the BBC.
- d) will never go to the BBC centre again.

Parte 4 - Comprensione di un Testo Orale

4.1 Guy says government advice about food

- a) is reliable.
- b) is scientifically based.
- c) keeps changing
- d) is bad for you.

4.2 According to research, organic food is

- a) better for you than industrially grown food.
- b) worse for you than industrially grown food.
- c) the same as industrially grown food.
- d) less expensive than industrially grown food

4.3 Guy says

- a) he has become healthy in recent years.
- b) has never been very healthy.
- c) has always been unhealthy.
- d) has always been healthy.

4.4 Guy's mum

- a) is happy about Guy's diet.
- b) is unhappy about Guy's diet.
- c) thinks his diet is a healthy one.

d) is sick about his diet.

4.5 Guy's mum

- a) gets as ill as Guy.
- b) gets less ill than Guy.
- c) gets more ill than Guy.
- d) is never ill.

4.6 Jasmine _____ unhealthy food.

- a) sometimes eats
- b) never eats
- c) loves
- d) hates

4.7 Why did Jasmine decide to get fit?

- a) Her school told her to do it.
- b) She decided it was necessary.
- c) She liked one of her classmates.
- d) Her doctor told her to do it.

4.8 Japanese people

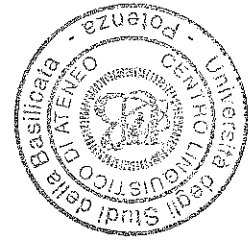
- a) have the same number of heart attacks as British people.
- b) have a higher number of heart attacks than British people.
- c) have a lower number of heart attacks than British people.
- d) don't have heart attacks.

4.9 Jasmine realised it was necessary to change her diet because

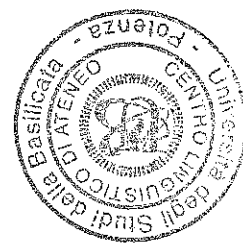
- a) Hideo told her to.
- b) her mum told her to.
- c) Hideo's mum told her to.
- d) she read about diets.

4.10 Jasmine thinks butter is

- a) tasty.
- b) low-fat.



- c) healthy.
- d) dangerous.



LISTENING - TAPESCRIPT

GUY:

Me? I seldom pay any attention to anyone who tries to tell me what I should or shouldn't eat whether it's the government or anyone else. And anyway, they frequently change their minds. Eggs used to be good for you, high in protein, then they were bad for you, high in cholesterol and now they're good for you again. And I'm we're always hearing stuff about only eating organic food that's grown locally, it's much healthier for you. But I read an article which said that scientists found no difference in the nutrients in organically grown food compared to industrially grown food. and some reports say there are more vitamins in frozen vegetables than in fresh ones. So, who do you believe? I think I'm pretty healthy and I just eat what I like, I always have. For example most mornings I'll have toast with a lot of peanut butter and jam. And tonight I'll probably have a pizza! And you know what, my mum's always complaining about my diet but she gets sick way more than me!

JASMINE:

Well, about a year ago I got into running so most of the time I'm pretty careful about what I eat but sometimes I'll eat junk food if I'm with friends. But I used to be so unfit and I used to eat burgers and fries all the time. And I'd get an ice-cream or something on the way home from school every day. I hardly ever did any exercise. But then this Japanese guy, Hideo, joined our class. He was so cute, I really like him. I used to see him out running every morning. That's when I decided to get fit. And then I read a lot of stuff about healthy eating and I knew my diet had to change. And pretty soon I was running with Hideo every day. Did you know Japanese people have far fewer heart attacks than we do? That's because they have a very low-fat diet. They don't add fat to anything, well, Hideo's mum doesn't anyway. I'm always telling my mum to stop cooking with butter, it's a killer.

