



Codice del candidato:

Državni izpitni center



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SESSIONE PRIMAVERILE

INGLESE

Prova d'esame 1

- A) Comprensione di testi scritti
- B) Conoscenza e uso della lingua

Sabato, 30 maggio 2009 / 60 minuti (30 + 30)

*Al candidato sono consentiti l'uso della penna stilografica o della penna a sfera
e la consultazione dei dizionari monolingue e bilingue.
Al candidato vengono consegnate due schede di valutazione.*

MATURITÀ PROFESSIONALE

INDICAZIONI PER IL CANDIDATO

Leggete con attenzione le seguenti indicazioni.

Non aprite la prova d'esame e non iniziate a svolgerla prima del via dell'insegnante preposto.

Incollate o scrivete il vostro numero di codice negli spazi appositi su questa pagina in alto a destra e sulle schede di valutazione.

La prova d'esame si compone di due parti, denominate A e B. Il tempo a disposizione per l'esecuzione dell'intera prova è di 60 minuti: vi consigliamo di dedicare 30 minuti alla risoluzione di ciascuna parte della prova.

La prova d'esame contiene due esercizi per la parte A e due esercizi per la parte B. Potete conseguire fino a un massimo di 15 punti nella parte A e 15 punti nella parte B, per un totale di 30 punti. È prevista l'assegnazione di 1 punto per ciascuna risposta esatta.

Scrivete le vostre risposte negli spazi appositamente previsti all'interno della prova utilizzando la penna stilografica o la penna a sfera. Scrivete in modo leggibile: in caso di errore, tracciate un segno sulla risposta scorretta e scrivete accanto ad essa quella corretta. Alle risposte e alle correzioni scritte in modo illeggibile verrà assegnato il punteggio di zero (0).

Abbiate fiducia in voi stessi e nelle vostre capacità. Vi auguriamo buon lavoro.

La prova si compone di 12 pagine, di cui 2 bianche.

Pagina bianca

VOLTATE IL FOGLIO.

A) COMPrensione DI TESTI SCRITTI (Tempo a disposizione: 30 minuti)**ESERCIZIO 1: VERO/FALSO**

Esaminate attentamente il prospetto riprodotto nella pagina successiva e indicate se le affermazioni sottostanti sono vere (T) o false (F) facendo un segno di spunta (✓) nella casella corrispondente della tabella.

Le correzioni illeggibili non saranno prese in considerazione.

Example:

		T	F
0.	<i>Excursions are available throughout the week.</i>	✓	

1.	All prices for water sports include a 10% service charge.		
2.	A ferry to Kudabandos is available every day and is free of charge.		
3.	Island Hopping is a full day excursion only.		
4.	All prices for power watersports are quoted per person.		
5.	If you decide to go on a ½ day Catsafari, you will see more than one island.		
6.	Excursions are subject to weather conditions.		
7.	A tandem flight is available under all conditions.		
8.	If you cancel your excursion, you still might be charged.		

(8 punti)

Island Water Sports Price List

Activity	Duration	Price	Notes
Windsurfing	(First rental include area & equipment introduction)		
Surfrent	1-5h	\$30 p. hour	
Surfrent	1-4h	\$20 p. hour	
Surfrent	5-9h	\$18 p. hour	
Surfrent	> 10h	\$15 p. hour	
Courses			
Basic course	8 h	1 person \$200	for 2 person
Short course	3 h	1 person \$120	for 2 person
Trial lesson	1.5 h	1 person \$45	for 2 person
Wind-Surf licence	Includes theory, practical examination & certificate		
Cat sailing	(First rental includes Area & Cat Introduction)		
Cat rent	1.5 h	\$50 p. Cat	
Cat rent	1 - 4 h	\$40 p. Cat	
Cat rent	5 - 09 h	\$35 p. Cat	
Cat rent	10 - 14 h	\$30 p. Cat	
Cat rent	15 - 20 h	\$25 p. Cat	
Sail Courses			
Basic course	10 h - 1 person	\$300	for 2 person
Refresher course	4 h - 1 person	\$150	for 2 person
Trial lesson	1.5 h - 1 person	\$60	for 2 person
Sailing licence	Includes theory, practical examination & certificate		
Cat salaries			
Sunset sailing	min. 2 pers.	01 h sailing with Skipper (around the Island)	\$30 p. pers.
Mini Catsafari	min. 2 pers.	2.5 h sailing with Skipper (visit one Island)	\$45 p. pers.
½ day Catsafari	min. 2 pers.	04 h sailing with Skipper (visit two Islands)	\$60 p. pers.
Power Sailing	max 2 pers.	01 h sailing with Skipper (incl. Harness)	\$50 p. pers.
Power Watersport			
Waterski + Wakeboard	10 min. theory + 15 min. practice on trainer bar		
Waterski + Wakeboard	course = 2 lessons plus 3 rounds each 10 min.		
Advanced or Monoski	1 round (20 min incl. transfer to / from school)		
Water Ski + Wakeboard	5 rounds (incl. transfer to / from school)		
Banana riding	1 round - 20 min. incl. transfer (min 3 max 6 pers.)		
Sandbank	max. 4 people		
Fun-Tubes or Aquahog	1 round - 20 min.		
Kayaks			
single Kayak	1 h \$12	2 h \$18	4 h \$30
double Kayak	1 h \$18	2 h \$30	4 h \$40
Parasailing	(our platform boat guarantees you safe starts & lucky landings)		
15 min. single flight	per person	\$65	(min. 2 persons per booking)
15 min. tandem flight	per tandem	\$90	(max. total weight: 115kg)
Lifeguard			
2 hours	½ day \$5	1 day \$8	1 day \$12
			1 week \$35

All prices are in USD & subject to 10% service charge
 Speedboat rescue charge for self inflicted problems \$30 & above
 All watersports services are subject to availability & weather conditions
 Equipment rental is guests responsibility, swimmers, snorklers & divers have priority
 A before rental introduction (surf, sail & area check) is mandatory

For more information, please call the water sports center ext.83

Weekly Excursions Program

Excursion	Time	Per Person
Sunday		
Male Ferry	0900-1230	\$25.00
Sunset/Dolphin Cruise	1630-1830	\$25.00
Monday		
Full Day Island Hopping	0900-1700	\$40.00
Night Fishing	1800-2000	\$30.00
Underwater Movie @ Sand Bar	1900-2000	
Tuesday		
Snorkeling Trip	0930-1230	\$20.00
Male Ferry	1600-1900	\$25.00
Wednesday		
Full Day Island Hopping	0900-1700	\$40.00
Night Fishing	1800-2000	\$30.00
Thursday		
Snorkeling Trip	0930-1230	\$20.00
Male Ferry	1600-1900	\$25.00
Friday		
Sunset/Dolphin Cruise	1630-1830	\$25.00
Underwater Movie @ Sand Bar	1900-2000	
Saturday		
Half Day Island Hopping	0900-1230	\$25.00
Night Fishing & Kudabandos B.B.Q.	1800-2300	\$40.00
Every day (Except Friday, Saturday & Public Holidays)		
Kudabandos Ferry	Morning 0930-1230	\$5.00
	Afternoon 1430-1730	\$5.00
Glass Bottom Boat	30 minutes	\$15.00
Sports Fishing (charter rates)		
Half day Trip	4 hours 0530-1100	\$550.00
Premium Charter	6 hours 0530-1200	\$660.00
Full day Charter	8 hours 0530-1600	\$880.00
Happy Hour @ Sun downer's Bar	1730-1830	25% discount
Happy Hour @ Sand Bar	1800-2000	25% discount

NOTE:

ALL PRICES ARE IN USD & SUBJECT TO 10% SERVICE CHARGE EXCEPT BIG GAME FISHING.
 ALL EXCURSIONS REQUIRE A MINIMUM NUMBER OF ADULTS. PLEASE CHECK WITH RECEPTION FOR DETAILS.
 EXCURSIONS MAY CHANGE OR BE POSTPONED DUE TO WEATHER CONDITIONS OR PARTICIPANT NUMBERS.
 CANCELLATION CHARGES MAY APPLY. CHILDREN UNDER 12 YEARS: 50% DISCOUNT. CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS: FREE

FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE CALL GUEST RELATIONS EXT.664 OR FRONT DESK. 71

ESERCIZIO 2: COLLEGAMENTO DI TESTI

Leggete attentamente il testo *Library Services* e scrivete, accanto a ciascuna delle frasi che trovate nella tabella qui sotto, la lettera corrispondente al paragrafo del testo cui essa si riferisce. Attenzione: ciascun paragrafo va utilizzato una volta sola e nel testo c'è un paragrafo cui non corrisponde alcuna frase.

Le correzioni illeggibili non saranno prese in considerazione.

Example:

0.	<i>Joining the library</i>	B
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1.	Additional services provided	
2.	Access for non-members	
3.	Due times for borrowed items	
4.	Personnel assistance possibilities	
5.	Policy on returning books late	
6.	The location of the library	
7.	On-line services available	

(7 punti)

Library Services

- A** The Southampton Solent University Library provides a comprehensive service on both the City and Warsash campuses. The Mountbatten Library is situated on the City Campus in East Park Terrace, and there is smaller library at the Warsash Maritime Centre.
- B** Your student or staff campus card will act as your library ticket. Simply present your card when you wish to borrow items or use the Library's facilities.
- C** Undergraduates may borrow a maximum of 10 items at any one time. Final year undergraduates can apply to borrow up to 15 items at a time. Postgraduates and staff may borrow up to 20 items at a time. An additional 2 items may be borrowed from the Short Loan Collection.
- D** Some books have a loan period of 3 weeks but very popular titles are limited to 1 week. It is usually possible to renew loans via the Library Catalogue, in person, by letter or telephone. Short Loan Reference items may be borrowed for use in the Library for up to 3 hours during the day. 1 Day Loan books and photocopies are issued as an overnight loan. No renewals are allowed on Short Loan items.
- E** The Library does not charge fines but instead operates a "penalty points" system whereby borrowers who do not consider loan periods are banned from using the loans service for a thirty working day period. You can be blocked from borrowing if you accrue 200 or more penalty points. To avoid building up penalty points, remember you can usually renew loans.
- F** The Library Computer Catalogue will help identify whether books, journals, videos, CDs and other materials are available in either the Mountbatten or Warsash Libraries. It is not necessary to come into the Library to search the Catalogue, as it is possible to access it through the Student or Staff Network. Final year and postgraduate students and staff may request items through the Inter- Library Loans service.
- G** If you are not able to find the required book, ask for guidance in finding books or journal articles. The staff will be pleased to demonstrate how you can use the Library Catalogue or any electronic database. Information Librarians organise regular training sessions for different aspects of information retrieval – as well as research workshops.
- H** Self-service photocopiers are available in the Library. Both black & white and colour copiers are available as well as a copier for acetates. The Copy Centre is located at the front on Floor 2. In addition, the Library offers students a special dissertation binding service at very competitive rates.
- I** Any member of the public who needs to do so can use the Library and consult its collections during opening hours. Individual and corporate external memberships to the Library Service are available on application and allow members to borrow items from the Library. Please ask for details and subscription rates.

LIS, Southampton Solent University, East Park Terrace, Southampton SO14 0RJ
Enquiries: 023 8031 9681 Loan renewals: 023 8031 9249
email: library.enquiries@solent.ac.uk

B) CONOSCENZA E USO DELLA LINGUA (Tempo a disposizione: 30 minuti)**ESERCIZIO 1: SCELTA E COMPLETAMENTO**

Leggete con attenzione il testo *Wisdom really does increase with age* e inseritevi le parole mancanti scegliendole tra quelle del riquadro sottostante. In ciascuno spazio vuoto del testo può essere inserita soltanto UNA parola e nel riquadro ci sono tre parole in più.

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Scrivete in modo leggibile, nella tabella sottostante, le parole da voi scelte.

Le correzioni illeggibili non saranno prese in considerazione.

Example:

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(8 punti)

Wisdom really does increase with age

Adapted from *The Sunday Times*, 07 January 2008

NEW findings seem to contradict one of the most widely accepted assumptions about ageing: that the ___0___ brain is at its most powerful between the ages of 18 and 26.

Scientists have discovered that intelligence, instead of peaking in our youth, remains stable and in some respects gets sharper as we grow older. The researchers found that verbal skills continued to increase for at least two decades beyond the age of 20, while ___1___ ability remained constant.

Their work suggests that many assumptions made ___2___ employers, policymakers and educational institutions about ageing need to be rethought.

"Verbal ability appears to keep increasing over time," said Lars Larsen, a psychologist at the University of Aarhus, Denmark, who led the research.

In the study, Dr Larsen ___3___ the records of 4300 US ex-servicemen who had been given a battery of intelligence tests when they joined the military at the age of about 20. The same servicemen were tested again two decades later.

Dr Larsen's research involved carrying out a meticulous comparison of the two sets of data. The results, published in *Intelligence*, a peer-reviewed academic ___4___, show that the real changes in intelligence are more marked and more complex than had been realised.

Dr Larsen believes that the most likely reason for improvements in verbal skills is ___5___ practice. Older people have had to solve far more social and practical problems than younger ones, so they have been forced to develop complex language skills.

This effect overrides the slow ___6___ steady loss of brain cells that modern medical scanning techniques have confirmed begins in the late 20s.

The study is part of a revolution in research into intelligence that began several years ago and has overturned the idea that intelligence peaks in early ___7___ and then begins a slow and inevitable decline.

Lorraine Tyler, head of the centre for speech, language and the brain at Cambridge University in England, said: "When we image the brain, we do see physical atrophy with age but brain function can be preserved. This shows how plastic the brain is. It adapts and changes with age and other challenges."

Such findings ___8___ the question of why past generations of psychologists suggested that reaching adulthood was followed by decline. Part of the explanation lies in the way people were tested, with researchers, often young, applying the same tests to young and old alike, without making allowances for educational and cultural differences.

ESERCIZIO 2: COMPLETAMENTO

Leggete attentamente il testo *Borneo healing plants threatened* e trasformate correttamente i verbi indicati tra parentesi al modo infinito.

Scrivete poi in modo leggibile, nella tabella sottostante, le forme verbali da voi trasformate.

Le correzioni illeggibili non saranno prese in considerazione.

Example:

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(7 punti)

Borneo healing plants threatened

Adapted from <http://news.bbc.co.uk/2/hi/asia-pacific/4949314.stm>, 27 April 2006

Plants that can offer cures for many serious diseases ___0___ (COULD LOSE) because of deforestation in Borneo, according to the World Wildlife Fund (WWF).

In the near future such plants ___1___ (USE) in the fight against cancer, Aids and malaria, the conservation group predicted in a report.

But the WWF warned that such knowledge will be lost "if the disappearing rainforests of the heart of Borneo ___2___ (NOT PROTECT) adequately".

Much of the deforestation on the island has been blamed on bad monitoring.

Only half of Borneo's forest cover remains intact, down from 75% in the mid-1980s, the report ___3___ (SAY).



Much of the deforestation has been blamed on illegal logging

Life-saving medication

A total of 422 new species ___4___ (DISCOVER) in Borneo in the last 25 years, the campaign group said. But it added that many others had yet to be found.

As an example of the medical advances already made, the WWF cites the discovery of a potential anti-cancer compound found in the shrub *Aglaia Leptantha*, by the Australian pharmaceutical company Cerylid Biosciences.

The substance has been found to kill 20 kinds of human cancer cells in laboratory tests.

"The fact that the compound ___5___ (BE) very effective against a number of tumor cells presents a very good argument for preserving the plant's habitat in Borneo," Murray Tait, vice president of drug discovery at Cerylid Biosciences, is quoted as saying.



"More forest destruction could well deny science the opportunity to discover and develop further potential sources of life-saving medication."

The three nations which claim territory in Borneo – Brunei, Indonesia and Malaysia – have recently launched a joint initiative ___6___ (PRESERVE) some of their equatorial forests.

The WWF hopes these three governments ___7___ (SIGN) a pact to help secure the area very soon.

"Such a declaration would ensure long-term protection to a region which might contain some of tomorrow's most significant medical discoveries," said Mike Kavanagh, Chief Executive Director of WWF-Malaysia.

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