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Gaelic (Learners)
Listening

THURSDAY, 22 MAY

3:30 PM – 4:00 PM (approx)



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Fill in these boxes and read what is printed below.

Full name of centre

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Town

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Forename(s)

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Number of seat

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Date of birth

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Scottish candidate number

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Total marks — 20

Attempt ALL questions.

You will hear two items in Gaelic. **Before you hear each item, you will have one minute to study the questions.** You will hear each item three times, with an interval of one minute between playings. You will then have time to answer the questions before hearing the next item.

You must NOT use a Gaelic dictionary.

Write your answers clearly, in **English**, in the spaces provided in this booklet. Additional space for answers is provided at the end of this booklet. If you use this space you must clearly identify the question number you are attempting.

Use **blue** or **black** ink.

You are not allowed to leave the examination room until the end of the test.

Before leaving the examination room you must give this booklet to the Invigilator; if you do not, you may lose all the marks for this paper.



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Item 1

James talks about his life as a farmer.

- (a) Where was James born? 1

- (b) James has two sisters. What does he say about them? State **two** things. 2

- (c) What jobs does he do in the **morning** on the farm? Tick (✓) the **two** correct statements. 2

	Tick (✓)
Collecting eggs	
Giving food to the animals	
Tidying the yard	
Cleaning the sheds	
Doing paperwork	

- (d) James also runs a shop. Why do people enjoy going to it? State any **one** thing. 1

- (e) What does James usually wear on the farm? State any **one** thing. 1

- (f) Why does he like the work in the summer? 1



Item 2

James' sister Mairead does an interview for the TV programme *An Lot* about her life on the farm.

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| (a) When did the farm shop open? | 1 |
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| (b) When do the teenagers visit the shop? | 1 |
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| (c) Mairead talks about her experience of learning languages. | |
| (i) Which languages did Mairead learn in school? | 1 |
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| (ii) Mairead can talk to tourists in their own language. How does she feel about this? | 1 |
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| (d) What does Mairead not like about working with the TV company? | 1 |
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| (e) Mairead says that her family are doing things to save the planet. What actions are they taking? State two things. | 2 |
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| (f) Mairead talks about the work she did when she left school. | |
| (i) Where did she work? | 1 |
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| (ii) Give two reasons why Mairead stopped working there. | 2 |
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Item 2 (continued)

- (g) Why would Mairead **not** like living in the city? State **two** things.

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