

ENGLISH  
LISTENING  
COMPREHENSION TEST

PITKÄ OPPIMÄÄRÄ  
LÅNG LÄROKURS

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STUDENTEXAMENSNÄMNDEN

# I

*Listen to the first part. You will hear it twice: first straight through, then in short sections. Answer questions 1–10 by choosing the **best** alternative. Mark your answers on the optical answer sheet **in pencil**.*

1. Where did Guy work before?
  - A On the police force
  - B In a courtroom
  - C At a newspaper
2. What does Guy joke about?
  - A Liz's breakfast suggestion
  - B The intelligence of criminals
  - C Stupid reporters

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3. Where did the drunk sleep?
  - A At the police station
  - B In a taxi
  - C In the ditch
4. Why did the man from Bentonville ask the policeman for help?
  - A He needed a lift
  - B His van was stolen
  - C He was out of gas

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5. What happened with the burglars in Fayetteville?
  - A They pushed the wrong button
  - B They left their fingerprints on the device
  - C They argued about the money
6. Who found the camcorder?
  - A The police
  - B The original owner
  - C The pawn shop clerk

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7. Why did the man put oil on his face?  
A His skin was dry  
B He was by the pool  
C He didn't want to be seen
8. Why did the man use shaving cream?  
A To spoil the video picture  
B To astonish the clerk  
C To attract attention
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9. What did the man first do when in the store?  
A Threatened the clerk  
B Talked with the clerk  
C Dropped his ski mask
10. How do we know the man put on a ski mask?  
A It was recorded  
B The clerk said so  
C It is rather a mystery

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## II

*You will hear ten short dialogues. You will hear each **once**. Answer questions 11–20.*

11. What are they talking about?  
A Girl Guides want to concentrate on football  
B Girl Guides are trying to attract younger girls  
C Girl Guides are changing their image
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12. What did the clerk object to?  
A Sitting around and waiting  
B Handling the grocery bags  
C Acting as a chauffeur

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13. What makes these sixth-formers bitter?
- A That many bright students are excluded from top universities
  - B That they will have to go to another country to study
  - C That they didn't get good enough marks

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14. What happened?
- A Guthrie killed 17 cows
  - B Cattle died in a thunderstorm
  - C A tree fell over Guthrie

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15. What are the two talking about?
- A The dog is acting against his instincts
  - B The duck has every reason to be nervous
  - C The neighbour's messy animals

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16. What results from leasing cars?
- A Used cars cost less
  - B More new cars are sold
  - C Nobody buys new cars any more

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17. What do the two find amazing?
- A The crazy state of our modern world
  - B Attitudes about mental health in Buenos Aires
  - C The cheapness of goods in the shops

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18. What is happening?
- A Rats are killing baby alligators
  - B Alligators are being hunted in the sewers
  - C Pollution kills the rats

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19. What was said about the rescue operation?
- A It was delayed
  - B It failed to save the skiers
  - C It was too cold for it

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20. What does the man regret?
- A Not giving his child good memories
  - B Work interfering with family
  - C Not being able to play tooth fairy

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### III

*Listen to the third part. You will hear it twice: first straight through, then in short sections. Answer questions 21–30.*

21. Who is Robert Magee?
- A A “restaurant” owner
  - B Michael’s regular chauffeur
  - C A London cabbie
22. Where did the two go?
- A To see the Queen’s residence
  - B To a free place to park
  - C Outside of London
23. What did Michael do first?
- A Ate some sausage and mash
  - B Talked with the drivers
  - C Drank some tea
24. What do the drivers dislike most?
- A Problematic customers
  - B Parking tickets
  - C Engine troubles

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25. What did Tina Jenner do?  
A Used her formal voice  
B Spoke on the phone  
C Concentrated on her cooking

26. In addition to cooking, Tina is  
A a negotiator.  
B a legal secretary.  
C a mother.

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27. What does Michael say about the sausages?  
A Something was wrong with them  
B They were too big  
C They tasted a bit strange

28. What does he say about the food?  
A He should have stuck to the dessert  
B It was truly fantastic  
C The portions were too large

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29. What happened when Terry took a photo?  
A The food fell off the table  
B The flash didn't work  
C One cabbie disappeared

30. What did the men end up talking about?  
A Cabs  
B Taxes  
C Getting older

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## IV

### **Suomenkieliset koulut:**

*Tässä osassa kuulet viisi tekstikathelmaa. Kuulet kunkin kathelman kaksi kertaa. Kuultuasi kathelman vastaa kysymykseen **suomeksi**. Kirjoita vastauksesi **selvällä käsialalla** kielikokeen vastauslomakkeeseen.*

### **Svenska skolor:**

*I denna del får du höra fem utdrag ur olika texter. Varje utdrag får du höra två gånger, och när du har lyssnat ska du besvara tillhörande fråga **på svenska**. Skriv **med tydlig handstil** ned ditt svar på svarsblanketten för språkproven.*

- a. Millaista kännykkää japanilaiset ovat kehittämässä?  
Vad slags mobiltelefon håller japanerna på att utveckla?

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- b. Millä kahdella tavalla Botox vaikutti?  
På vilka två sätt verkade Botox?

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- c. Miksi Tina Packer halusi ohjata Shakespearen näytelmiä Amerikassa? (Mainitse kaksi asiaa.)  
Varför ville Tina Packer regissera Shakespeareskådespel i Amerika? (Nämn två omständigheter.)

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- d. Miten valitus menee parhaiten perille?  
Hur går klagomålet bäst fram?

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- e. Mitä uutta Lontoon metrossa voi tehdä?  
Vad nytt kan man göra i tunnelbanan i London?

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