



Coimisiún na Scrúduithe Stáit
State Examinations Commission

LEAVING CERTIFICATE APPLIED **2008**

MARKING SCHEME

FRENCH

Leaving Certificate Applied 2008

French (65 marks)

Section 1 Listening Comprehension (35 marks)

Each correct answer merits 1 mark. The correct answers are printed in **BOLD**.

Questions must be answered in English.

1. Introductions

- (a) Louise: Age: **23** Job: **secretary**
(b) Frédéric: Age: **50** Job: **farmer**
(c) Monique: Age: **39** Job: **police (officer)**

2. Telephone Numbers

First Conversation

The woman's telephone number is:

05 19 06 42 28

05 65 40 09 34 ✓

05 78 04 50 60

Second Conversation

Jean-Luc's telephone number is:

02 19 16 52 27 ✓

02 26 00 13 39

02 86 46 11 08

3. Likes and Dislikes

	LIKES	DISLIKES
The hotel		✓
The restaurants	✓	
The museum		✓
The public garden	✓	
The shops	✓	
The market		✓

4. Arranging to meet

Where does Chantal arrange to meet her friend?

- (a) At the library
- (b) At the disco
- (c) At the swimming pool ✓

On which day do they arrange to meet?

- (a) Tuesday ✓
- (b) Thursday
- (c) Friday

At what time will they meet?

- (a) 10 o'clock
- (b) 11 o'clock
- (c) 12 noon ✓

5. Asking for Directions

(a) First Conversation

Where does the man wish to go? **(To the) cinema**

The directions are:

- (a) **Go straight ahead, then take the first street on the left.** ✓
- (b) Turn right and take the third street on the right.
- (c) Go straight ahead, then take the second street on the right.

(b) Second Conversation

Where does the woman wish to go? **(To the train) station**

The directions are:

- (a) Go straight ahead and it's behind the stadium.
- (b) **Take the second street on the right and it's opposite the park.** ✓
- (c) Take the first street on the right and it's next to the train station.

6. At School

- (a) What subject do Jérôme and Sophie have now? **English**
- (b) What does Sophie say about this subject? **She hates it / it's difficult**
- (c) What subject will they have at 11 o'clock? **Science**

7. Making a Reservation

- (a) Where does the caller wish to stay?
In a caravan In a hotel
In a youth hostel ✓ In a campsite
- (b) The caller will arrive on what date?
10th February **28th February ✓**
19th April 20th April
- (c) The caller is booking the room for how many people? **3 / three people**
- (d) How many metres away is the beach? **400 (metres)**
- (e) Write down the caller's name. **L A R D I N**

8. At the Train Station

Single or Return Ticket:	Return
Destination:	Brussels
First or second class:	Second
Cost of Ticket:	(€) 68
Time the next train leaves:	15.00 / 3 o'clock
Platform Number:	3

Section 2 Reading Comprehension and Written Exercise (30 marks)

1. If you wanted to check the time of a train at the train station, which of the following signs would you look for? Put a, b or c in the box provided.

- (a) **HORAIRE DES TRAINS** ✓
- (b) ACCÈS AUX QUAIS
- (c) COMPOSTEZ VOTRE BILLET

2. If you wanted to go to the staff room in a French school, which of the following signs would you look for? Put a, b or c in the box provided.

- (a) SALLE D'INFORMATIQUE
- (b) SALLE DE CLASSE
- (c) **SALLE DES PROFESSEURS** ✓

3. If you wanted to find the way in to a shop, which of the following signs would you look for? Put a, b or c in the box provided.

- (a) SORTIE
- (b) **ENTRÉE** ✓
- (c) ESCALIER

4. If you wanted to find a grocery shop, which of the following signs would you look for? Put a, b or c in the box provided.

- (a) **ÉPICERIE** ✓
- (b) CONFISERIE
- (c) BOUCHERIE

5. If you wanted to find the United States on a map, which of the following names would you look for? Put a, b or c in the box provided.

- (a) PAYS-BAS
- (b) PAYS DE GALLES
- (c) **ÉTATS-UNIS** ✓

6. (a) Write down the name of one starter in French. Then give its English meaning.

Name of starter in French: **Soupe à L'Oignon or Fruits de Mer or Oeuf Mayonnaise**

English meaning: **(Onion) Soup or Seafood or Egg Mayonnaise**

(b) Write down, in English, one meat on the menu:

(Roast) Beef or Duck (with orange) or (Smoked) Salmon

(c) Write down, in English, one dessert on the menu:

(Pear) Tart or (Vanilla) Ice-cream or Caramel Cream

(d) What is included in the price? **Service**

7. (a) How far is the campsite from Biarritz?
Eight Kilometres / 8 kms
- (b) Name one facility available between March and September.
(Heated) (Swimming) Pool / Restaurant / Bar
- (c) Name two items that can be rented at the campsite.
Two of : Bikes or Motorbikes or Cars
- (d) Name one way you can contact this campsite.
Telephone or Internet
8. (a) What is Thierry Henry's date of birth?
17 August 1977/ 17-08-'77
- (b) Name two things he likes.
Two of : basket ball / rap music / swimming
- (c) Name two things he dislikes.
Two of : (the colour) yellow / shirts / (visiting) museums

9.

Nom	Declerc
Prénom	Vincent
Date de Naissance	(le) 22 janvier 1966 or 22 / 1 / (19)66
Lieu de Naissance	Nantes
Occupation	Médecin / docteur

10.

Je m'appelle Laurent. Je **suis** étudiant et je porte un uniforme à l' **école**. Je n'**aime** pas l'uniforme. Je déteste la **couleur**. C'est **horrible**.

Reasonable Accommodations - Modified Marking Scheme:

Where a candidate has been granted a spelling and grammar waiver, errors in spelling are not penalised.

END OF MARKING SCHEME