

VOTRE KIT D'INFORMATION

*Tout savoir
sur les mises à jour
du test TOEIC®
Listening and Reading*





Section Listening

compréhension orale

QUELLES ÉVOLUTIONS ?



Un nombre réduit de questions sur des descriptions d'images et d'écoute de type « questions-réponses ».



Un plus grand nombre de questions de type « dialogues ».



Des dialogues comprenant des phrases plus courtes et plus d'échanges.



Des conversations avec plus de deux interlocuteurs.



Des dialogues comprenant des élisions (going to > gonna) ainsi que des phrases ou segments de phrases incomplets (Yes, in a minute ; Down the hall ; Could you?).



De nouveaux formats de questions évaluant la capacité à :

- Faire le lien entre ce qui est dit lors d'une conversation et ce qui est vu sur un dessin.
- Comprendre le sens caché dans une conversation en fonction du contexte.

TYPE DE QUESTION	VERSION ACTUELLE	VERSION MISE À JOUR
Description d'image	10 questions	6 questions
Question - Réponse	30 questions	25 questions
Dialogues	30 questions • 10 dialogues • 3 questions par dialogue	39 questions • 13 dialogues • 3 questions par dialogue
Discussions - Annonces	30 questions • 10 discussions • 3 questions par discussion	30 questions • 10 discussions • 3 questions par discussion
Nombre de questions totales	100 questions	100 questions
Durée	45 min	45 min

QUELQUES EXEMPLES :

Dialogue, 3 interlocuteurs :

- (M-Au) Have you two taken a look at the progress they've made upstairs on the office expansion? It looks great!
- (W-Am) I know! //I can't believe it!// And the offices up there have amazing views of the city.
- (M-Cn) I wonder which division will move up there when it's finished.
- (W-Am) I heard it's the research department.
- (M-Au) Ah, because they have the most people.
- (W-Am) Probably. I'd love to have an office on that floor, though.
- (M-Cn) Yeah. Well, the company must be making good money if they're adding that space!
- (M-Au) I think you're right, there!

Question du test actuel :

5. What is the conversation mainly about?

- (A) An enlargement of office space
- (B) A move into a new market
- (C) An increase in staff numbers
- (D) A change in company leadership

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Question du test mis à jour :

6. Why does the woman say: "I can't believe it"?

- (A) She strongly disagrees.
- (B) She would like an explanation.
- (C) She feels disappointed.
- (D) She is happily surprised.

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Question du test actuel :

9. What are listeners asked to do?

- (A) Stay seated during the break
- (B) Carry their valuables with them
- (C) Return any borrowed equipment
- (D) Share printed programs with others

Announce, 1 interlocuteur :

(W-Br) We're happy to see you all at this seminar this afternoon—we have a lot of useful information to cover. But before we start, a few administrative details. There will be one break, half way through the afternoon. You can leave your laptops here if you leave the room—there will always be someone in here—but do keep your money and phones or ... ah ... other small electronic devices with you. Don't leave them at the tables.

And please note that there's an error in your printed program: there will be a change-a switch-in times for the last two presenters. Ms. Ohta has to leave a little early today.

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Question du test mis à jour :

10. Look at the graphic.

Who will be the final presenter?

- (A) Ms. Carbajal
- (B) Mr. Buteux
- (C) Mr. Chambers
- (D) Ms. Ohta

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Program	
Presenter	Time
Ms. Carbajal	1:00–1:50
Mr. Buteux	1:55–2:45
BREAK	2:45–3:00
Mr. Chambers	3:00–3:50
Ms. Ohta	3:55–4:45



Section Reading

compréhension écrite

QUELLES ÉVOLUTIONS ?



Un nombre réduit de questions de type « Phrases à compléter ».



Deux nouveaux formats de questions évaluant la compréhension de textes :

- Des textes à compléter avec la phrase correspondant le mieux au contexte.
- Des questions d'ensemble qui consistent à identifier ou insérer une phrase dans le texte.



Des messages SMS, des messages instantanés ou un tchat en ligne mettant en scène plusieurs interlocuteurs.



Des questions testant la compréhension de trois textes liés.



Un nombre sensiblement plus élevé de questions concernant un ou plusieurs extrait(s) de texte.



De nouvelles questions sur le message que souhaite faire passer l'auteur et sa compréhension selon le contexte.

TYPE DE QUESTION	VERSION ACTUELLE	VERSION MISE À JOUR
Phrases à compléter	40 questions	30 questions
Textes à compléter	12 questions	16 questions
Lecture contenus rédigés Passages simples	28 questions • 9 passages simples • 2 à 5 questions par passage	29 questions • 10 passages simples • 2 à 4 questions par passage
Lecture contenus rédigés Passages multiples	20 questions • 4 passages doubles • 5 questions par exemple	25 questions • 2 ensembles de passages doubles • 3 ensembles de passages triples • 5 questions par ensemble
Nombre de questions totales	100 questions	100 questions
Durée	75 min	75 min

QUELQUES EXEMPLES :

Textes à compléter :

Question du test actuel :

To: All Employees
From: Camille Raynes
Date: December 14
Re: Performance bous

Dear Employees,

As you know, the past year was a great success for us. To reward you for your excellent performance, the Board of Directors has approved a bonus for all employees. This bonus will be _____ in your next paycheck.

141. (A) involved
(B) joined
(C) composed
(D) included

_____, we are now calculating wage increases for the upcoming year. each employee's performance

142. (A) Instead
(B) In addition
(C) Beforehand
(D) Otherwise

will be examined carefully as we determine the appropriate increase. All full-time employees are eligible for this increase. Your supervisor _____ you of the amount of your increase during the first week of January.

Question du test mis à jour :

Questions 131-134 refer to the following e-mail.

To: Project Leads
From: James Pak
Subject: Training Courses

To all Pak Designs project leaders:

In the coming weeks, we will be organizing several training sessions for _____ employees. At Pak Designs, we believe that with the proper help and support from our senior project leaders, less experienced staff can quickly _____ a deep understanding of the design process. _____, they can improve their ability to communicate effectively across divisions. When employees at all experience levels interact, every employee's competency level rises and the business overall benefits. For that reason, we are urging experienced project leaders to attend each one of the interactive seminars that will be held throughout the coming month. _____.

Thank you for your support.

James Pak
Pak Designs

131. (A) interest
(B) interests
(C) interested
(D) interesting

132. (A) develop
(B) raise
(C) open
(D) complete

133. (A) After all
(B) For
(C) Even so
(D) At the same time

134. (A) Let me explain our plans for on-site staff training.
(B) We hope that you will strongly consider joining us.
(C) Today's training session will be postponed until Monday.
(D) This is the first in a series of such lectures.

Choose which new sentence fits best in the context of the overall passage

Passages multiples :

Question du test mis à jour :

Sparky Paints, Inc., makes it easy to select the right colors for your home. Browse through hundreds of colors on our Web site, www.sparkypaints.com. Select your top colors, and we'll send free samples right to your door. Our color samples are three times larger than typical samples found in home-improvement stores and come with self-adhesive backing, allowing you to adhere them to your walls so you can easily see how colors will coordinate in your home. When you're ready to begin painting, simply select your chosen colors online, and we'll ship the paint of your choice to arrive at your home within 3-5 business days, or within 2 business days for an additional expedited shipping fee.
*Actual colors may differ slightly from what appears on your monitor. For this reason, we recommend ordering several samples in similar shades.

From: Arun Phan <arun.phan@tnet.com>
To: Customer Support <support@sparkypaints.com>
Date: March 12
Subject: Order #3397

Hello,

Thanks for sending my order #3397—it arrived this morning. Unfortunately, the paint was not the one I had asked for. I had selected color SP944 but received SP945 (Ocean Waves). They appear right next to each other on your Web site, so the two may have been confused at your end. Could you send me the correct paint, along with additional samples that are close in color to SP722? That sample worked well in my house; the others looked too green on my walls.

Thank you,

Arun Phan

www.sparkypaints.com/shoppingcart			
Order Summary #3397			Customer: Arun Phan
Item	Size	Quantity	Price
Caspian Blue SP 237	n/a	1	\$0.00
Deep Sea Blue SP 298	n/a	1	\$0.00
Stormy Blue SP 722	n/a	1	\$0.00
Misty Gray SP 944	Gallon	2	\$50.00
Tax (8 percent)			\$4.00
Expedited shipping			\$18.99
Total			\$72.99
Proceed to Checkout			

189. Which color does Mr. Phan indicate that he likes?

- (A) Caspian Blue
(B) Deep Sea Blue
(C) Stormy Blue
(D) Misty Gray
(E) She is happily surprised.