


penDUX HIG 1100 Test 7

Total: /100

Main Words

1. include	to have or contain as a part.
2. unique	being the only one of its type; sole; single.
3. glide	to move smoothly and without effort.
4. resemble	to be similar to or to look like.
5. function	to run or operate, especially in a way that is normal or desired.
6. ability	the power to do something; the quality of being able.
7. advantage	a better chance or position; upper hand.
8. forced	involuntary; imposed.
9. soar	to fly or glide in a swift, easy way and at a very great height.
10. evade	to get away from by using skill or tricks.

The script must be played at least three times.   

There are many fish living in the ocean. A few species of fish include salmon, trout, perch and mackerel. Fish are very unique in size, color, shape and habitat. A mackerel, for instance, is often a grayish color while many salmon have shades of pink and red on them.
A flying fish is different from any other fish. I know because I'm a flying fish.
My name is Dennis.
 (Listen Carefully : _____


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We are able to do this because we have long fins that resemble the wings of an insect and function in the same way. Although there are many types of fish that can jump out of the water, only flying fish can remain above the water for a long time or fly above the water for a long distance.

 (Listen Carefully : _____


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Our ability to fly is a great advantage when we are being chased by bigger sea animals who hope to enjoy us for dinner. Just the other day, some of my friends and I noticed a shark heading our way.

 (Listen Carefully : _____


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This surprised the shark and the big monster soon gave up and swam away in the opposite direction.

 (Listen Carefully : _____

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Besides allowing flight, our big fins also make changing direction easy.

 (Listen Carefully : _____

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Listen again and answer the questions below.

1. What color is a mackerel?
 - A. orange
 - B. red
 - C. black
 - D. grayish

2. Many salmon have shades of pink and red on them.
 - A. True
 - B. False

3. Which fish is different from any other fish?
 - A. salmon
 - B. A sword fish
 - C. A flying fish
 - D. mackerel

4. Where do flying fish live?
 - A. In the cold ocean
 - B. In the warm ocean
 - C. On the dry land
 - D. On the wet land

5. Flying fish can literally jump out of the water and actually glide above the water.
 - A. True
 - B. False

6. For how long can the flying fish glide over the water?
 - A. For twenty minutes
 - B. For ten minutes
 - C. For a length of time
 - D. For less than a second

7. What kind of fins do flying fish have?
 - A. fat fins
 - B. flat fins
 - C. short fins
 - D. long fins

8. What was chasing some of my friends the other day?
 - A. whale
 - B. shark
 - C. squid
 - D. dolphin

9. How fast do flying fish travel in the air compared to in the water?
 - A. Seven times faster
 - B. Four times faster
 - C. Triple the speed
 - D. Double the speed

10. Flying fish can also change directions while in flight.
 - A. True
 - B. False

**Listening Exercise 2** Listen to the story, then fill in the blanks.

Listening Exercise 1

There were great bears with thick layers of fat and () () () fur.

Listening Exercise 2.

There were woolly mammoths, elephant-like creatures, () ()
(), thick hair.

Listening Exercise 3

Their tusks () () and (), well-suited to move chunks of ice and snow as they searched for grasses beneath the frozen snow and ice.

Listening Exercise 4

Here, too, were the mighty saber-toothed tigers-heavy of coat, and () ()
().

Listening Exercise 5

They () () ()-toothed because their two upper fangs were curved like a sword or saber.

Listening Exercise 6

They were hunters who preyed upon those creatures that () ()
() () of the glaciers.

Listening Exercise 7

They ate anything and everything that they () ().

Listening Exercise 8

One of their () () () the woolly mammoth.

Listening Exercise 9

Now, the mammoth may have been the tigers' favorite food, but it was also ()
() ().

Listening Exercise 10

For, you see, the mammoths () () (), mammoth.

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Main Words

1. decide	to make a choice in one's mind
2. discrimination	the act of treating some people unfairly because of prejudice.
3. occur	to take place; happen.
4. reserve	to hold back or save for later use.
5. refuse	to not accept or agree to; turn down.
6. drag	to pull along with effort; haul.
7. arrest	to seize and hold or imprison for breaking the law.
8. gain	to get.
9. shock	a sudden and powerful scare; an upset of the mind or feelings.
10. attitude	a way of feeling or thinking about something or someone.

The script must be played at least three times.   

My name is Doris Duncan and for my Social Studies report, I decided to speak about discrimination. There are many cases of discrimination in different parts of the world but I would like to focus my presentation on racial discrimination.

 (Listen Carefully : _____


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In Canada, an African Canadian woman named Viola Desmond caused a huge scene for sitting down on the main floor of a theater in the eastern province of Nova Scotia. The year was 1946 and, in those days, the main floor of a theater was reserved for Caucasian Canadians and African Canadians were forced to sit in the balcony.

 (Listen Carefully : _____


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Viola Desmond passed away in 1965 but her family and the African Canadian people continued to fight for an apology from the government of Nova Scotia.

 (Listen Carefully : _____


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There was a similar incident in the United States involving an African American woman named Rosa Parks. In 1955, Rosa Parks was working in New York and took the bus home every night.

 (Listen Carefully : _____

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Everyone was shocked when Rosa refused to give her seat to a Caucasian man who boarded the bus shortly after she did. The police arrested Rosa.

 (Listen Carefully : _____

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Thanks to Viola Desmond and Rosa Parks, attitudes towards people of different races have changed. Thank you very much for listening to my report.



Listen again and answer the questions below.

1. What topic did Doris decide to talk about in her Social Studies report?
 - A. Bullying
 - B. Prejudice
 - C. Discrimination
 - D. Bias

2. Which type of discrimination will she talk about?
 - A. Hair color discrimination
 - B. Height discrimination
 - C. Religion discrimination
 - D. Racial discrimination

3. In which country did Viola Desmond lie down on the main floor of a theater?
 - A. In Mexico
 - B. In Canada
 - C. In Korea
 - D. In America

4. Which year did this happen?
 - A. 1920
 - B. 1873
 - C. 1998
 - D. 1946

5. Who were the main floors of a theater reserved for?
 - A. All Canadians
 - B. American Canadians
 - C. Caucasian Canadians
 - D. British Canadians

6. When did Viola Desmond pass away?
 - A. In 1965
 - B. In 1972
 - C. In 1293
 - D. In 1934

7. The apology was finally given in an official ceremony on April 14, 2010.
 - A. True
 - B. False

8. Where was Rosa Parks working at?
 - A. In Las Vegas
 - B. In San Francisco
 - C. In London
 - D. In New York

9. One night Rosa was very tired and sat down in an empty seat at the front of the bus.
 - A. True
 - B. False

10. Who arrested Rosa?
 - A. The bus driver
 - B. The scientists
 - C. The fire fighters
 - D. The police


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Listening Exercise 1

They were big and () () () covered by long, woolly coats.

Listening Exercise 2.

Some of them weighed over a ton, and () () () on a saber-toothed tiger.

Listening Exercise 3

More importantly, if a mammoth was mad, its long, curled tusks could () () ().

Listening Exercise 4

The saber-toothed tigers contented themselves () () () the smaller creatures that lived on and around the blue-ice glacier.

Listening Exercise 5

Still, they () () () opportunity to have a big woolly mammoth meal.

Listening Exercise 6

They watched for the old, the injured, and, () () (), the baby mammoth.

Listening Exercise 7

One blustery cold day, () () () others, a baby saber-toothed tiger () () () a snow cave near the heart of a blue-ice glacier.

Listening Exercise 8

His coat () (), and he had two large eyes.

Listening Exercise 9

For the most part he () () any other saber-toothed tiger.

Listening Exercise 10

But he had two () () () saber teeth that you have ever seen.