

A Guidebook for **DPU-TEP**

DHURAKIJ PUNDIT UNIVERSITY TEST OF ENGLISH PROFICIENCY



Digital Language Learning Center (DLLC)

Exam Structure (120 items)

ข้อสอบ DPU-TEP แบ่งเป็น 3 ตอน คือ

ตอนที่ 1: Listening (การฟัง)

40 ข้อ

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| 1.1 Short conversation (ฟังบทสนทนาสั้น) | 16 ข้อ |
| 1.2 Long conversation (ฟังบทสนทนายาว) | 19 ข้อ |
| 1.3 Lecture (ฟังบรรยาย) | 5 ข้อ |

ตอนที่ 2: Reading (การอ่าน)

40 ข้อ

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| 2.1 Announcement (อ่านประกาศ) | 8 ข้อ |
| 2.2 Reading comprehension (การอ่านเพื่อความเข้าใจ) | 32 ข้อ |

ตอนที่ 3: Writing (การเขียน)

40 ข้อ

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| 3.1 Vocabulary in context (การใช้คำศัพท์ในบริบท) | 8 ข้อ |
| 3.2 Parts of speech (เปลี่ยนประเภทของคำที่ถูกต้อง) | 10 ข้อ |
| 3.3 Paraphrase (การเขียนประโยคใหม่ที่มีใจความคงเดิม) | 5 ข้อ |
| 3.4 Error identification (หาตำแหน่งที่ผิดและแก้ไขให้ถูกต้องตามหลักไวยากรณ์) | 5 ข้อ |
| 3.5 Links within a paragraph and between paragraphs (การเชื่อมโยงเนื้อหา) | 12 ข้อ |

Part 1: Listening (40 items)

A: Listen to the short conversation and choose the best picture to answer the question.

ฟังบทสนทนาสั้น และเลือกรูปภาพที่เหมาะสมที่สุดเพื่อตอบคำถาม (ข้อ 1 ถึงข้อ 8)

1. What was the man doing when his colleague called him?

1)



2)



3)



4)



B: Listen to the conversation and choose the best answers to the questions.

ฟังบทสนทนา และเลือกคำตอบที่ถูกต้องที่สุด (ข้อ 9 ถึงข้อ 16) ฟัง 1 เรื่อง ตอบคำถาม 2 ข้อ

9. What are they talking about?

1) the trip

2) the work

3) the food

4) the family

10. Why did Daisy feel bad?

1) She was busy at work.

2) She was too tired to go out.

3) She had food poisoning.

4) She had to take care of her son.

C: Listen to the dialogue / monologue and choose the best answer to the question.

ฟังบทสนทนา หรือคำบรรยาย และเลือกคำตอบที่ถูกต้องที่สุด (ข้อ 17 ถึงข้อ 24) ฟัง 1 เรื่อง ตอบคำถาม 1 ข้อ

17. Why does the man call the woman?

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|-----------------------------|----------------------------------|
| 1) To inquire about prices | 2) To complain about her service |
| 3) To invite her to a party | 4) To order food and drinks |

D: Listen to the monologue and choose the best answers to the questions.

ฟังคำบรรยาย และเลือกคำตอบที่ถูกต้องที่สุด (ข้อ 25 ถึงข้อ 30) ฟัง 1 เรื่อง ตอบคำถาม 3 ข้อ

25. What is the purpose of the speech?

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| 1) To persuade consumers | 2) To give information |
| 3) To debate policy | 4) To explain a problem |

26. When will employees be paid?

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| 1) At the middle and end of each month | 2) By 5 p.m. each Friday |
| 3) After they work overtime | 4) Before the weekends |

27. What is the tone of the speaker?

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| 1) Excited | 2) Playful |
| 3) Formal | 4) Informal |

E: Decide whether each statement is true or false or no information available.

ฟังบทสนทนา และเลือกว่าข้อความในแต่ละข้อ ถูก (True) ผิด (False) หรือไม่ได้กล่าวถึง (Not given) (ข้อ 31 ถึง 35) ฟัง 1 เรื่อง ตอบคำถาม 5 ข้อ

- 1) If it is true, choose YES (The statement is **True**)
- 2) If it is false, choose NO (The statement is **False**)
- 3) If no information is available, choose **Not Given** (There is no information about it)

31. The teacher asks the student to wait while he finishes writing an email.

32. The student is having problems coming up with a topic for her presentation.

33. The topic of the presentation is a sensitive issue at the moment.

34. The student thinks that Madonna using her money to influence adoption is acceptable.

35. The teacher tells the student to remember not to be too emotionally involved in the subject.

F: Listen to the lecture and choose the best answers to the questions.

ฟังบทบรรยาย และเลือกคำตอบที่ถูกต้องที่สุด (ข้อ 36 ถึงข้อ 40) ฟัง 1 เรื่อง ตอบคำถาม 5 ข้อ

36. What is the topic of the lecture?

- 1) The media takes too much notice of celebrities.
- 2) The way celebrities influence the media.
- 3) Why people nowadays are so obsessed with celebrities.
- 4) The positive effects that the media has on celebrities.

37. What is the market for celebrity gossip showing no signs of?
 1) increasing 2) staying the same 3) stopping 4) decreasing
38. How does the lecturer say the influence of celebrities on the media has changed?
 1) Nobody cared about celebrities.
 2) There were no celebrities.
 3) Someone had to be very famous to be a celebrity.
 4) No one was regarded as a celebrity.
39. Which of these sources of information does the lecturer not mention in his speech?
 1) radio 2) magazines 3) television 4) Internet
40. What is the lecturer's feeling towards the way celebrities deal with media intrusion?
 1) normal 2) understandable 3) worrying 4) strange

Part 2: Reading (40 items)


A: Read the announcement below. Then choose the best answer. (8 ป้ายประกาศ)

อ่านประกาศ และเลือกคำตอบที่ถูกต้องที่สุด (ข้อ 1 ถึงข้อ 8) อ่าน 1 ป้ายประกาศ ตอบคำถาม 2 ข้อ

Love your books

During the month of February you can check out an additional book to love and read.

| | |
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| 1st Grade | 2 books |
| 2nd – 3rd Grade | 3 books |
| 4th – 5th Grade | 4 books |



Students who owe a fine, have last or overdue books will not be allowed to check out additional books.

Adapted from: apscms.net

1. During which month can the student check out additional books?
 1) January 2) February 3) March 4) April
2. Who is NOT allowed to check out additional books?
 1) Students who have lost books. 2) Students who have overdue books.
 3) Students who have lots of books. 4) Students who own some books.

B: Read the text below. Then type a word or phrase to complete the sentence. (4 เรื่อง)

อ่านเนื้อเรื่อง และพิมพ์คำ หรือวลี ลงในช่องว่าง เพื่อทำประโยคให้สมบูรณ์ (ข้อ 9 ถึงข้อ 16)

อ่าน 1 เรื่อง ตอบคำถาม 2 ข้อ

Want to live a healthier lifestyle? Then think aloe vera!

Forever Living Products supplies a wide range of aloe vera products. From 100% stabilized Aloe Vera gel drinks and supplements to skin care and cosmetics. **We** supply products for all your inner and outer health and beauty needs.

Often referred to as the 'natural healer' Aloe Vera can be effective for maintaining a healthy digestive system, improve IBS symptoms, IBD syndrome and arthritis by acting as an anti-inflammatory healer. When applied topically it helps heal wounds, burns, cuts and insect bites and relieves itching and swelling of irritated skin.

Forever Living Aloe Vera Products are only available from Independent Distributors and cannot be found in retail stores.

Visit www.thinkaloevera.com to start living life the natural way!

Source: <http://www.redleafads.com/25038.html>

9. Because of aloe vera's health benefits and healing effects on digestive system, skin irritation, and etc., it is also called _____.

10. The word 'We' in line 3 can be best replaced by _____.

C. Read the passage and choose the best answers to the following questions. (4 เรื่อง)

อ่านเนื้อเรื่อง และเลือกคำตอบที่ถูกต้องที่สุด (ข้อ 17 ถึงข้อ 28) อ่าน 1 เรื่อง ตอบคำถาม 3 ข้อ

Some 200 villagers who live along the Mekong River, including residents of Chiang Rai's Chiang Khong district and Ubon Ratchathani's Pho Chai district, helped build sandbag walls to prevent further erosion in Chiang Khong yesterday.

Villagers believe that China's dams on the mainstream of the Mekong, including the Jinghong and Manwan dams in Yunnan province, were responsible for the rapid erosion of the river's banks.

"After the completion of the Chinese dam in the Mekong, people downstream could not predict the water levels in the river," said Bounkong Bounvas, village head of Ban Pak Ing Tai. "It could flood shortly after the dams release water downstream and strong tide could destroy the river's banks and our farm areas."

The disappearance of reefs is another cause for concern. To make the Mekong more navigable, China had to blast all the reefs from Jinghong down to the Golden Triangle, causing the flows of the river to change considerably, said Mekong conservationist Niwat Roikaew.

Heavy flooding in August of last year produced a huge amount of water that was released from the dams, causing damage to agricultural areas. Thailand alone saw damages estimated at more than Bt85 million, he said.

Sangwan Bounnoi, from Ubon Ratchathani, said the dams have posed a serious environmental and agricultural threat throughout the Mekong basin. She suggested that the Thai government should review its plan to build the Ban Kum dam on the Mekong mainstream in the area of Ubon Ratchathani, she said.

Source: http://www.nationmultimedia.com/2009/04/27/regional/regional_30101379.php

17. What is the article mainly about?

- 1) China's dams on the mainstream of the Mekong River are causing the heavy floods.
- 2) China's dams in the Mekong River are causing problems for agricultural areas in Thailand.
- 3) People in the Mekong area will not be able to predict the water level after the Chinese dams are completed.
- 4) China is making the Mekong more navigable by blasting all the reefs in the Golden Triangle area.

18. The word "reef" in line 11 can be best replaced by _____.

- 1) embankment
- 2) riverbank
- 3) seawall
- 4) sandbank

19. Arrange the following statements to make the correct sequence of events.

- A) The former is releasing water downstream from Chinese dams and the latter is making the Mekong more navigable.
- B) All in all, these two major concerns pose a serious threat to the environment and agriculture in the Mekong basin.
- C) Releasing water from dams too quickly causes floods and tides that destroy the river's banks and farms.
- D) There are two main causes for erosion in the Mekong basin in Thailand.
- E) Disposing of reefs can cause damage to agricultural areas in Thailand.

- 1) D-A-C-E-B
- 2) A-E-C-D-B
- 3) C-D-A-B-E
- 4) B-E-A-E-D

D. Read the passage and choose the best answers to the following questions. (1 เรื่อง)

อ่านเนื้อเรื่อง และเลือกคำตอบที่ถูกต้องที่สุด (ข้อ 29 ถึงข้อ 34) อ่าน 1 เรื่อง ตอบคำถาม 6 ข้อ

Slumdog Millionaire is an inspirational story of two brothers, Jamal and Samil, who pulled themselves out of the ghetto and escaped from the squalid environment of the slums that surround Mumbai in India.

Jamal and Samil lived in the slums of Mumbai, surrounded by garbage and violence. When they were eight years old, Muslims suddenly attacked their slum and killed their mother, forcing them to fend for themselves. The movie is as much about the realities of street life in India as it is about Jamal and Samil's attempts to escape from that life.

Following their mother's death, the two brothers are forced to survive on their own, taking odd jobs, pick pocketing and even posing as tour guides at the Taj Mahal. They also have numerous run-ins with the Indian criminal underworld. At one point, Jamal and Samil find themselves at the mercy of a group of Indian gangsters who want to blind them and train them to be singing beggars.

The film maker Danny Boyle, used many of the typical scenes found in India's Bollywood films while shooting Slumdog Millionaire. For example, the chase sequence at the beginning of the film was inspired by a similar sequence seen in the Bollywood movie Satya, among others.

What makes Slumdog Millionaire different from other Bollywood movies is the presence of Danny Boyle. In recent years there have been attempts to bring Bollywood films meant for the domestic Indian market to North American theatres. These attempts have generally been considered failures, for numerous reasons including a perceived lack of production values and the general lack of familiarity with the Bollywood format among North American audiences.

Source: http://filmtvindustry.suite101.com/article.cfm/slumdog_millionaire_movie_review

29. Which is true about BollyWood movies according to the review?

- 1) There has never been any attempt to bring Bollywood movies to the North American market.
- 2) Audiences in North America have the same feelings toward Hollywood and Bollywood films.
- 3) The beginning scenes in the movie are adapted from a Hollywood movie that Boyle starred in.
- 4) Boyle mixed Hollywood styles and Bollywood styles in his movie.

30. What is the writer's point of writing this review?

- 1) The story of Jamal and Samil was based on a true story.
- 2) Bollywood movies should be made particularly for the domestic market.
- 3) Success of a movie overseas depends on the perspectives of the audience.
- 4) The two brothers escaped from attack but ended up with the gangsters.

31. Which of the following is given in this review?
- 1) How Jamal and Samil become millionaires
 - 2) How much the movie earned in the box office worldwide
 - 3) Who suddenly attacked the slum where the two brothers live
 - 4) Why Bollywood films are not marketable to the North America
32. Which of the following is not given in this review?
- 1) The age of the brothers when their mother was killed
 - 2) The city where the film was shot
 - 3) The ending part of the movie
 - 4) Names of the two brothers
33. The word “squalid” in line 2 can be best replaced by _____.
- 1) filthy
 - 2) square
 - 3) wasted
 - 4) tidy
34. Which of the following can be suggested or determined from this movie review?
- 1) The movie was totally inspired by North American viewers.
 - 2) There are still mixed attitudes about Bollywood movies among North American audiences.
 - 3) People that struggle in their lives will finally succeed.
 - 4) Shooting movies about street life in India will cause American film makers to win Oscar awards.

E. Decide whether the following statements agree with the information given in the reading passage. (1 เรื่อง)

อ่านเนื้อเรื่อง และเลือกว่าข้อความในแต่ละข้อ ถูก (True) ผิด (False) หรือไม่ได้กล่าวถึง (Not given)
(ข้อ 35 ถึงข้อ 40) อ่าน 1 เรื่อง ตอบคำถาม 6 ข้อ

Choose:

- | | |
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| T | if the statement is true according to the passage |
| F | if the statement is false according to the passage |
| NG | if the information is not given in the passage |

Pollution 'fights global warming'

Air pollution may be helping the fight against global warming by enhancing the ability of plants to absorb carbon dioxide, scientists say.

Since the 1960s, increased levels of atmospheric pollution have enhanced plant productivity by as much as one quarter, research has found. In terms of carbon dioxide, this means that an extra 10% has been stored in the soil.

The research was published in the scientific journal, Nature. It is a common assumption that plants grow best in clear sunny weather, but scientists say this is not always the case. Research has shown that forests and crops can also thrive in hazy conditions because clouds and particles in the atmosphere scatter sun light so that it bathes more leaves. That enhances photosynthesis, the process by which plants turn light and carbon dioxide into food.

Researchers have now analyzed the impact on plants of the dimmer, hazier skies that have resulted from increases in air pollution around the world since the 1960s. They have calculated that this so-called "global dimming" is responsible for increasing plant productivity by as much as one quarter from 1960 to 1999.

Dr Lina Mercado from the UK's Centre for Ecology and Hydrology, the lead author of the study, said: "This resulted in a net 10% increase in the amount of carbon stored by the land once other effects were taken into account," she was quoted as saying by the Press Association. This study highlights some of the complications that arise when we try and tackle global warming.

As the world attempts to reduce the amount of smog and particulates in the atmosphere to improve human health, it will require even greater efforts to cut back on carbon dioxide. This new research shows that plants will simply not absorb as much carbon dioxide in cleaner air conditions. The research will also add weight to arguments about geo-engineering, the idea of curbing global warming by adding reflective materials to the atmosphere. US President Barack Obama's chief scientific adviser, Professor John Holdren, recently told reporters that such ideas, once dismissed as half-baked, would have to be seriously discussed, such was the scale of the climate challenge.

Adapted from: <http://news.bbc.co.uk/2/hi/science/nature/8013709.stm>

35. There is now 10% more carbon dioxide in soil since the 1960s'.
36. Forests grow best when it is sunny and bright.
37. Photosynthesis is improved by carbon dioxide in the air.
38. If there is less pollution, plants will not be able to absorb as much carbon dioxide.
39. Scientists are planning to place reflective materials in the atmosphere.
40. This article suggests that air pollution may not be such a bad thing for our food supply.

Part 3: Writing (40 items)

A: Choose the best answer to fill in each blank below. (4 เรื่อง)

เลือกคำตอบที่ถูกต้องที่สุด เพื่อเติมลงในบัตรลงทะเบียน โปสการ์ด บัตรอวยพร หรือบันทึกสั้น
(ข้อ 1 ถึงข้อ 8) 1 เรื่อง ตอบคำถาม 2 ข้อ

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- 1) United States 2) American 3) Canadian 4) English
- 1) J309 2) Thomson.org 3) 5th May 2025 4) 914-725-2872

Hey beach-loving friends!

I wanted to let you know about the amazing beach activities we can enjoy together in Phuket. Let's meet at Patong Beach next Friday.

About the beach activities! We can start with some extreme water sports. How about trying (3) _____? It's an exciting experience where we'll be lifted high in the air, giving us a bird's-eye view of the stunning coastline. Afterward, let's soak up the sun, build sandcastles, and take refreshing dips in the crystal-clear waters.

See you at around (4) _____ near the beach entrance, close to the colorful beach umbrellas.

Warmest regards,

Mark

- 1) swimming 2) snorkeling 3) kayaking 4) parasailing
- 1) weekend 2) 9 a.m. 3) summer 4) holiday

B: Change the words in parentheses into the correct forms (2 เรื่อง)

เปลี่ยนคำในวงเล็บ ให้ถูกต้องตามหลักไวยากรณ์ (ข้อ 9 ถึงข้อ 18) 1 เรื่อง ตอบคำถาม 5 ข้อ

Dear Jane,

I would like to thank you for the beautiful silk scarf you gave me as a birthday gift. Things have changed a lot since I last wrote to you. I have a lot of news to tell you. My sister got (9) (MARRY) last month. I have also stopped (10) (SMOKE) and I feel much healthier now. By the way, I would like to accept your kind (11) (INVITE) to your anniversary party, but (12) (UNFORTUNATE) I will still be working in London and will not return by the end of next month. It was very nice of you to invite me, and I appreciate your (13) (KIND) in thinking of me.

Best wishes,

Alicia

C: Choose the best answers to fill in each blank. (3 เรื่อง)

เลือกคำตอบที่ถูกต้องที่สุด เพื่อเติมเนื้อเรื่องให้มีใจความสมบูรณ์ (ข้อ 19 ถึงข้อ 30) 1 เรื่อง ตอบคำถาม 4 ข้อ

CEO's Annual Report

(19) _____ We are the world leader in microelectronics applications, and we are among the world's top three suppliers in key market segments such as wireless and automotive.

(20) _____ These include the economic crisis in the US and instability of the euro-dollar exchange rate.

We also continue our intense and long-term focus on Corporate Responsibility, as we always have since the creation of STMicroelectronics. (21) _____

Starting in 2010 and beyond, I am deeply convinced that STMicroelectronics is implementing the right strategies to maintain key position in the microelectronics industry. (22) _____

In the end, what drives a corporation to long-term success is the commitment of its people, and the strength of its shared values.

Source: <http://www.st.com/stonline/company/cr/2007/company/ceo.htm>

- (1) Last year we confirmed our position as the world's number one supplier in power management and in industrial applications.
- (2) These positive events were overshadowed by a number of economic difficulties that the world is currently facing.
- (3) But strategies lead nowhere without the men and women who will implement them.
- (4) We will transfer most of our jobs to Thailand.
- (5) This report shows how we consistently implement our programs and focus on Corporate Responsibility.

D: Choose the best paraphrase for this sentence (5 ข้อ)

เลือกประโยคที่มีใจความคงเดิม (ข้อ 31 ถึงข้อ 35)

31. Scientists believe that the planet Mars in our solar system may have become uninhabitable because of climate change.

- 1) Researchers think that no one can live on Mars because the climate changed.
- 2) In the future people will live on the planet Mars if the climate changes.
- 3) Astronomers know that the planet Mars is next to the planet Earth in our solar system.
- 4) Because of climate change, the Earth might become like the planet Mars some day, scientists think.

32. Speed and convenience have always been the important factors of email, and in many offices it has often completely replaced paper memoranda.

- 1) In most companies paper memos are still used even though email is faster and easier.
- 2) Many organizations have replaced paper messages with email messages because they are faster and easier.
- 3) Today office computers are used mainly for sending fast and easy email messages.
- 4) Professional writers choose email for all their immediate communication needs.

E: The following sentence has one mistake. Choose the best answer to make the sentence correct (5 ข้อ)

ประโยคที่ให้มา มีข้อผิดพลาดทางไวยากรณ์ 1 ตำแหน่ง เลือกคำตอบที่ถูกต้องที่สุด เพื่อแก้ไขประโยคให้ถูกต้องตามหลักไวยากรณ์ (ข้อ 36 ถึงข้อ 40)

36. Researchers have discovered that reading books at an early age helping children learn languages.

Which correction should be made to this sentence?

- 1) Insert to before languages
- 2) Change helping to helps
- 3) Change learn to learning
- 4) Insert for before reading

37. People who write business letter for professional organizations should always sign and date the documents.

Which correction should be made to this sentence?

- 1) Change letter to letters
- 2) Delete who
- 3) Replace for with of
- 4) Change write to writing