



Test d'admission 2016

aux cours de Maturité Professionnelle post-CFC

- Arts visuels et Arts appliqués (ARTS)
- Economie et Services (ES)
- Nature, Paysage et Alimentation (NPA)
- Santé et Social (S)
- Technique, Architecture et Sciences de la vie (TASV)

ANGLAIS

Durée : 60 minutes

CORRIGE / KEY

Consigne :

- Répondre à toutes les questions sur les feuilles d'examen

Points obtenus :/ 65

NOTE	Nbre de points obtenus	
	Note = $\left(\frac{\text{Nbre de points obtenus}}{65} \times 5\right) + 1$	

A Reading comprehension

Read the following text about multi-generational living.

While multi-generational living is normal in many cultures, in some countries such as Britain and the US, it isn't very usual. However, homes where grandparents live with their children and their families in the same house are becoming more common in these countries because of the economic climate. Here, the members of one extended family explain how it works for them.

Georgina – Anna's grandmother

I was really pleased when my son wanted to move back home. I love spending time with Anna, my granddaughter. She's a lovely little girl at the minute – so happy and affectionate – everybody who meets her likes her. It will be wonderful to watch her grow up. I think even my unsociable husband is enjoying it! We eat together twice a week and, once a month, we have a family conference – my husband and I, my son and his wife – to discuss how things are going. We try to respect each other's space. Having my son here makes me less anxious about the future, too. At the moment, we're healthy, but in a few years we're going to need more help.

Esther – Anna's mother

Actually, it's all working out well! My mother-in-law remembers what it's like to have young children, so she's very patient with Anna and sympathetic to me when I'm tired. She often just says: 'Go and rest. I'll look after her'. I think she wants to give advice about what Anna eats and what time she goes to bed, but she usually says nothing! And occasionally I ask her opinion and find her ideas are really sensible. We are all learning to be quite honest with each other, which I think is a good thing.

Chris – Anna's grandfather

I prefer a quiet life and a tidy house, and I think young people should be independent, but my wife loves having the family here. From a selfish point of view, it's good for me too because Georgina is quite talkative and now she can chat to her daughter-in-law. I think it's a very satisfactory situation for everyone concerned!

Alan – Anna's father

I was worried because my mother can be bossy, but actually, she is being sensitive and we're lucky to have a good babysitter in the house to look after our daughter sometimes! My dad is sometimes moody, but he's very affectionate with Anna. We're planning to buy our own house in a couple of years, but I think we'll stay near my parents because the relationship between Anna and her grandparents is so special.

**(1) Decide whether the following statements are true, false or not mentioned in the text.
Circle the correct answer. ... / 7 pts**

- 1) Georgina thinks that Anna is charming.
A True B False C Doesn't say
- 2) The family meets to talk about how they are getting on once a month.
A True B False C Doesn't say
- 3) Esther gets very impatient with Georgina because she talks a lot.
A True B False **C Doesn't say**
- 4) Chris is happy that Georgina has a good relationship with Esther.
A True B False C Doesn't say
- 5) Chris thinks that they need a bigger house.
A True B False **C Doesn't say**
- 6) Alan is always kind to his mother.
A True B False **C Doesn't say**
- 7) Alan says that they are going to live with his parents for many years.
A True **B False** C Doesn't say

(2) Write G for Georgina, E for Esther, C for Chris, and A for Alan. ... / 8 pts

- 1) I'm less worried about the future now. **G**
- 2) I'm not always very sociable. **C**
- 3) I think it's good to be honest. **E**
- 4) We can enjoy going out sometimes. **A**
- 5) I'm quite bossy but I'm learning to be sensitive. **G**
- 6) I sometimes need a little advice. **E**
- 7) I love the relationship between the grandparents and their granddaughter. **A**
- 8) It's good for young people to live alone. **C**

B Grammar

(3) For each sentence use the appropriate question word to make a question about the underlined words. Then write the negative form of the sentence. ... / 12 pts

Example : I built my house last year.
Q : **When did you build your house?**
N : **I didn't build my house last year.**

- 1) I had pasta for lunch.
Q : **What did you have for lunch?**
N : **I didn't have pasta for lunch.**

- 2) Alex hates playing computer games.
Q : **What does Alex hate?**
N : **Alex doesn't hate playing computer games.**

- 3) We bought six new chairs for the dining room.
Q : **How many new chairs did you buy for the dining room?**
N : **We didn't buy six new chairs for the dining room.**

- 4) Our flights both arrive at 9.30 in Munich.
Q : **What time do your flights arrive in Munich?**
N : **Our flights don't (both) arrive at 9.30 in Munich.**

- 5) He's feeling a bit depressed at the moment.
Q : **How is he feeling at the moment?**
N : **He isn't feeling (a bit) depressed at the moment.**

- 6) Annie could go to school by herself at the age of 6.
Q : **Where could Annie go by herself at the age of 6.**
N : **Annie couldn't go to school by herself at the age of 6.**

(4) Choose the correct tense to fill in the gaps: present simple, present continuous, past simple or past continuous. Use the correct form: positive, negative. .../ 10 pts

Example : She (watch) _____ **watched** _____ TV late last night.

- 1) John (smoke) ___ **does not / doesn't smoke** _____ anymore. He stopped last month.
- 2) I (run) ___ **was running** _____ after the bus when I dropped my phone on the road.
- 3) I can't believe you (forget) ___ **forgot** _____ my birthday! I'm angry at you.
- 4) The famous actress (wear) ___ **is wearing** _____ a Gucci dress tonight.
- 5) The teacher (see) ___ **did not / didn't see / saw** _____ that the students were cheating.
- 6) I just (love) ___ **love** _____ your new jacket, it's fabulous!
- 7) The old lady (look) **wasn't looking / did not look / didn't look** and the car couldn't stop in time.
- 8) The tractor (go) ___ **goes** _____ to three different fields everyday.
- 9) We (think) ___ **do not think / don't think** _____ you should stop your studies, you can do it!
- 10) The students (study) ___ **were studying** _____ in their classroom when the alarm went off.

C Use of English

(5) Choose the word which best completes each sentence. .../ 10 pts

Circle the correct answer.

1. I don't eat _____ cheese, but I like milk.
a) **much** b) many c) a few
2. He doesn't like sport, but he sometimes goes _____ in the summer.
a) swim b) to swim c) **swimming**
3. Nina is a bit _____ than her sister Olga I think, about one or two years more.
a) **older** b) as old c) oldest
4. I've never seen _____ kind of house before, it's very interesting.
a) **that** b) these c) those
5. I can't hear _____ noise, what are you talking about?
a) **any** b) some c) many
6. There's a young woman just there. The coat must be _____.
a) her b) **hers** c) she
7. Don't worry about _____. We'll find our way with the map.
a) we b) our c) **us**

