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#### Előszó

A BME általános nyelvvizsgarendszerének mintafeladatsorát tartod kezedben. A kötetben mind a szóbeli mind pedig az írásbeli részvizsga összes megoldandó feladattípusából találsz mintát, amelyek segítségével pontos képet kaphatsz arról, hogy a vizsgán milyen feladatok várnak Rád.

A kötet első része táblázatos formában mutatja be a vizsga felépítését, az azzal kapcsolatos legfontosabb tudnivalókat és közli a szóbeli feladatok témaköreit. Ezt követően egy teljes beszédkészség feladatsor következik, amit a beszédértés, az olvasáskészség és az íráskészség feladatok követnek. A kötet végén közöljük a beszédértés és az olvasáskészség feladatok megoldásait valamint a beszédértés feladatokhoz tartozó hanganyagok írott változatát. A feladatok mellett a válaszlapok is a kiadvány részét képezik.

A beszédértés feladatokhoz tartozó hanganyag kétféleképpen tölthető le az internetről:

1. Az alábbi linkről:

http://bit.ly/2cxH8U1

2. Az alábbi QR kódról:



A felkészüléshez kitartást, a vizsgához pedig sok sikert kívánunk.

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#### Az általános egynyelvű vizsga felépítése B1 (alapfok)

B1	Mért készség	Feladattípus, szövegtípus	ltemek száma	Pontszám feladatonként	Pontszám készsé- genként	Teljesítési minimum 40%	A vizsga sikeres 60%-tól	Szótár- használat	ldő		
		párbeszéd (társalgás) egy témáról kérdések alapján	5-6 kérdés								
Szóbeli részvizsga	Beszéd- készség	rövid önálló témakifejtés, ill. beszélgetés (kérdések) képi stimulus alapján	két téma közül választ	40 pont 40 pon	40 pont	40 pont 16 pont	16 pont			kb. 15 perc	
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Szóbe	Beszéd- értés	jegyzetkészítés	10 item	20 pont	40 pont	16 pont			kb 25 perc		
	Bes	háromopciós választás	10 item	20 pont	40 pont	το ροιτ			kb 25 perc		
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részvizsga	Írás- készség	internetes bejegyzés	4 szempont	15 pont	30 pont	12 pont 12 pont	12 pont	12 pont		inen	105 2010
Írásbeli ré	Olvasás- készség	szituációk és szövegek párosítása	5 item	10 pont	30 pont 12 pont		36 pont	igen	105 perc		
Írás	Olvasás- készség	kérdésekre válaszadás	10 item	20 pont							







## **Oral exam topics**



#### 1. Personal characteristics

- describing appearance
- describing character and personality
- clothing, fashion

#### 2. Friends and relationships

- friendship
- fellow students and colleagues
- partners

#### 3. Family

- candidate's family
- division of tasks in the family
- generations living together

#### 4. Place of living

- candidate's flat/house
- furnishings, pieces of furniture
- household chores and appliances
- living environments
- living in the city, living in the country (advantages and disadvantages)

#### 5. Learning, education, the school system

- candidate's past and present education, qualifications
- Hungarian school system
- language learning experiences
- role of foreign languages

#### 6. Work

- candidate's occupation, future plans
- fashionable jobs / dream jobs
- ways of finding a job

#### 7. Holidays and celebrations

- family holidays (birthdays, name days)
- Christmas, Easter
- public holidays



#### 8. Free time activities

- reading (books, newspapers, libraries, Internet)
- TV, cinema, video
- hobbies, pets
- parties
- music (listening to music, concerts, opera, playing an instrument)
- theatre
- museums, exhibitions

#### 9. Sports

- candidate's sporting activities
- favourite sports
- sports facilities

#### 10. Health, illnesses

- healthy lifestyle
- food and drinks
- healthy and unhealthy diet/dishes
- common illnesses, at the doctor's, at the dentist's

#### 11. Services

- catering facilities
- repairing, maintenance
- help services (ambulance, police, automobile association) laundry, cleaning
- banks (ways of payment, cards, loans)

#### 12. Shopping

- everyday shopping, foodstuffs
- shopping centres / corner shops / markets / supermarkets
- shopping habits

#### 13. Transport

- candidate's everyday transport
- public transport in the city
- long distance transport (coaches, trains, planes, ships)
- individual transport (cars, motorbikes, bicycles)
- advantages/disadvantages of the different means of transport

#### 14. Travelling within Hungary and abroad

- preparations
- accommodation, reservation
- advantages/disadvantages of the different means of transport
- favourite destinations
- travelling experiences



#### 15. Weather, seasons

• weather, seasons

#### 16. Telecommunications

- making phone calls
- computers
- e-mail
- Internet

#### 17. Hungary

- Hungary as a destination
- major tourist attractions
- main places of interest

#### 18. English-speaking countries

• general information, personal experiences



## Speaking



#### 1. Personal Information (Discussion)

In this part of the exam you will be asked questions which are related to a particular topic.

You can get questions like:

#### Schools

- What schools did / do you go to?
- Tell me about your favourite school. What was special about this school?
- What were your teachers like? And the other students?
- Do you still keep in touch with your classmates? If yes, how? If no, why not?
- What extra-class activities could you do in the afternoons?

Your answers should reflect your own personal views and / or experiences



#### 2. Discussion on a Topic Stimulated by Photographs

You will be given two different photographs and I'd like you to describe them on your own.

Jobs









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#### 3. Situation

You are asked to act out a situation with one of the examiners. You will be given a card which describes what you have to do. Study the card and start the conversation.

#### Organising a surprise party

#### **Candidate sheet**

Your best friend celebrates his/her 25<sup>th</sup> birthday next week. You would like to organise a surprise party for him/her. Discuss the arrangements with another friend (the examiner). Agree on:

- where and when to organise the party,
- who to invite,
- what to prepare (food and drinks),
- what present to buy for your friend.



# Listening Az első meghallgatás előtt nagyon alaposan ismerkedj meg a feladattal és próbálj következtetni az elhangzó szöveg tartalmára!



General English Examination Elementary Level – B1 Listening Part 1 BME Nyelvvizsgaközpont

You will hear a text. Read the candidate copy beforehand. You will have 1 minute for that. Then listen to the text and make notes in English. You will hear the text twice.

After the first listening you will have 1 minute to write your answers, after the second listening you will have 2 minutes to finalise them.

#### Copy your answers in English onto the answer sheet.

The following text is about a visit to the English town, Bath.

#### **VISITING BATH**

name of the office the caller phones:

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o. Bath Tourist Information Centre
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the special event offered:

1.

beginning of the event:

2.

what to buy to save money:

3.

2 things you can get at a lower price:

4.

5.

opening hours of the Roman Baths:

6.

what is included in the admission price:

7.

programme recommended in the Bath Abbey:

#### 8.

places for cheap accommodation:

9.

10.

(Total: 20)



General English Examination Elementary Level – B1 Listening Part 2 BME Nyelvvizsgaközpont

You will hear a text. Read the candidate copy beforehand. You will have 2 minutes for that, then listen to the text and choose the correct answer. You will hear the text twice. After the first listening you will have 1 minute to choose the correct answer, after the second listening you will have 1 minute to finalise your answers. **Copy your answers onto the answer sheet**.

The following text is about Gary Hampson, an elephant keeper at Blackpool Zoo.

#### AN ELEPHANT KEEPER

- 1 Gary Hampson has been working with the elephants for ...
  - **A** 5 years.
  - **B** 12 years.
  - **C** 26 years.
- 2 What is Gary's responsibility in the elephant section?
  - **A** Managing all the elephants.
  - **B** Managing some of the elephants.
  - **C** Managing new elephants.
- 3 The zoo has ...
  - **A** Indian elephants.
  - **B** African elephants.
  - **C** Asian elephants.
- 4 When do keepers wash the elephants?
  - **A** Before feeding them.
  - **B** After feeding them.
  - **C** After riding them.
- 5 Each day keepers ...
  - **A** take the elephants for a walk.
  - **B** examine the elephants' head.
  - **C** clean the elephants.

(Total: 20)

- 6 At the basic training elephants have to ...
  - **A** walk around.
  - **B** lie down.
  - **C** take part in shows.
- 7 Gary finds it important to tell the public ...
  - **A** when they put on shows.
  - **B** how they look after the elephants.
  - **C** when they ride the elephants.
  - 8 Recently the number of visitors ...
    - A has become higher.
    - B hasn't changed.
    - **C** has become lower.
  - 9 What does Gary think about his payment?
    - A Just enough.
    - **B** Not enough.
    - **C** Quite good.
  - 10 Gary enjoys working ...
    - A without help.
    - **B** with different animals.
    - **C** in a team.







## Reading





#### **EXTRANOMICAL ADVENTURES – SAN FRANCISCO**

You are planning a trip to San Francisco with your friends (1-5). You have found the following information on the Internet. Which tour (A–E) would you recommend to your friends? If you cannot find a suitable tour, use  $\emptyset$ . **Indicate your answers on the answer sheet**.

#### 1. **Zsuzsa** would like to go on a boat trip.

- 2. **Dávid** would like to take a lot of photos of the different attractions.
- 3. Melinda wants to visit the harbour area of San Francisco city.
- 4. Alexandra would like to be taken back to her accommodation because her legs hurt.
- 5. Péter would like to have some gastronomic experience.

#### A) San Francisco City Tour

Our San Francisco city tour lasts 3-4 hours and includes many of San Francisco's most appealing sights: Golden Gate Bridge, Golden Gate Park, Cliff House, Chinatown, Nob Hill, Presidio, Union Square, Financial District, Civic Center, Victorian Houses, Pacific Heights and Twin Peaks. San Francisco City Tour is a fun and exciting way to get an overview of the city so that you can decide later where you'd like to focus your time.

#### C) Wine Country One-Day Tour

On our Wine Country tour you will explore Napa and Sonoma, which lie about 1.5 hours north of San Francisco. First we drive to Sonoma Valley Wine Country where we spend the morning visiting wineries specializing in Pinot Noire and Chardonnay wines. At noon you can have lunch at a gourmet deli where an additional wine tasting may be purchased. In the afternoon we drive to Napa Valley Wine Country where you have the chance to tour a winery and taste more wine.

#### B) San Francisco City Insider's Tour and Sausalito Tour

Our San Francisco and Sausalito Tour is given by a local perspective and includes a ferry cruise from the famous Ferry Building to Sausalito. Enjoy more stops on this San Francisco city tour, as well as more time at each attraction. This tour is unique in that it offers a separate tour guide from driver and also includes free refreshments.

#### D) Muir Woods and Sausalito Tour

Muir Woods is home of the spectacular Redwood Sequoia Trees, the tallest species! After the Muir Woods tour, we head to the beautiful San Francisco Bay town of Sausalito. On our Sausalito tour you will have time to enjoy the San Francisco Bay view or visit the shops and Art Galleries. Our Muir Woods and Sausalito tour will then head back to San Francisco, crossing the Golden Gate on the way back.

#### E) Monterey and Carmel One-Day Tour

On our Monterey and Carmel tour you'll visit Monterey Bay, 17-Mile scenic drive, Pebble Beach and the picturesque Carmel-by-the-Sea. After driving along the wonderful Coastal Highway 1, you will arrive in Monterey Bay. Here you will see the beautiful Pier of Monterey with a chance to visit the Aquarium. Our tour will then arrive in the enchanted town of Carmel-by-the-Sea. After your full day minivan tour we'll journey back to your San Francisco hotel drop off.

(Total: 10)



#### Read the text and answer the questions in English.

Write your answers on the answer sheet.

#### WELCOME TO CANTERBURY

England's most famous cathedral city, Canterbury, sits in one of the most attractive corners of rural Kent. By train, it is less than 1½ hours from London and 2½ hours from Paris via Ashford International Eurostart terminal or just a 30 minutes' drive from the Channel ports of Dover and Folkestone.

The city has been a significant player in England's history since its early beginnings as a Roman settlement. The ruins of St Augustine's Abbey, just outside the city walls, together with Canterbury Cathedral and, England's oldest parish church, St Martin make up the city's World Heritage Site.

Canterbury has been welcoming visitors for many centuries and today is a joy for tourists all year round. It has several beautiful gardens. The Dane John Gardens offer summertime concerts and are bordered by the only remaining part of the city walls that you can walk along. Relax and enjoy the city's past with a historic river tour, or see the city by hot-air balloon or in a Victorian horse-drawn carriage.

Many good restaurants and pubs serving food can be found throughout the city. Canterbury is great for shopping. There are famous stores, exclusive boutiques and specialist shops in the mostly traffic-free streets.

When you are on holiday, receiving the best help and advice about the area and places to visit is very important. That is why our Visitor Information Centre is staffed by local people. As well as a good selection of free leaflets on local attractions, there are postcards, guidebooks, maps and souvenirs available. General visitor information, accommodation booking, local event and theatre information and bookings plus details on public transport facilities are a few areas where staff can help you. The Canterbury Guild of Guides offers daily walking tours from April to October departing from the Visitor Information Centre.



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Motorists wanting to visit Canterbury are encouraged to use the city's fast and efficient Park & Ride services. For just £1.40 per car, a driver and up to six passengers can park and board one of our low-floor buses for the short journey to the city centre. The ticket price includes a day's parking for your car and return journeys for you and all your passengers. Park & Ride operates about every 8 minutes, Monday to Saturday from 7.30 to 18.30, after which a regular Stagecoach bus service can be used. There are cycle routes throughout the city and bicycles can be hired at several locations. If you wish to extend your stay in this beautiful city, you can find accommodation in hotels, guest houses and self-catering establishments. Pick up a free copy of the Canterbury, Herne Bay & Withstable Accommodation Guide.

#### **QUESTIONS:**

- 1. Which part of England is Canterbury situated in?
- 2. How long does it take to get to Canterbury from the capital of England?
- 3. Which monuments belong to the World Heritage Sites? (a., b.)
- 4. What means of transport can you use to discover the city's past? (a., b.)
- 5. Why is it easy to do the shopping in the centre of the city?
- 6. Who works for the Visitor Information Centre?
- 7. When can you go on organized sightseeing tours?
- 8. How many people can use the buses with the Park & Ride service for £ 1.40?
- 9. How can you get back to your car at 8.00 p.m.?
- 10. What kind of accommodation is recommended by the Accommodation Guide? (a., b.)

(Total: 20)







## Writing



In this part of the test you have to complete two tasks. In both tasks

- create a coherent text in which the ideas are logically connected to each other;
- include and elaborate each of the four points given;
- use appropriate language;
- write complete sentences.

Write your texts on the answer sheet.

#### Part 1:

You have an **English pen-friend**. Write a **letter** of about **100 words** to him/her **about your last Christmas**.

Tell him/her

- how you prepared for the holiday,
- about the presents you got,
- about something you really enjoyed doing at Christmas.

Ask him/her

• about his/her Christmas.

#### Part 2:

You have just returned from your holiday. The **website** where you booked your accommodation asks you to **give your opinion on the hotel** in about **80-85 words**. Inform them about

- the date and length of your stay,
- two things you liked about the hotel,
- something you didn't like about the hotel.



### **Answer sheets**



General English Examination Elementary Level – B1 <b>Listening – Answer Sheet</b>	BME Nyelvvizsgaközpont					
Name:	No.					
Date of birth:	Date:			 	 	-
Mother's maiden name:						

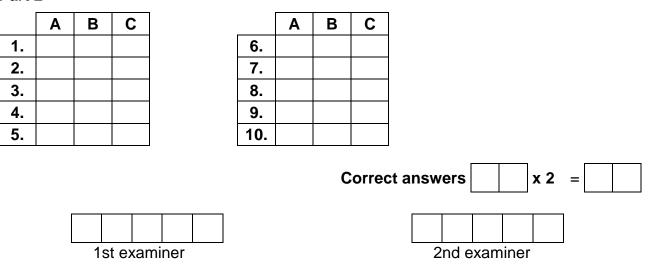
Part 1

	Answers in English	
1.		
2.		
3.		
4.		
5.		
6.		
7.		
8.		
9.		
10.		

Correct answers

x 2 =

Part 2





General English Examination Elementary Level – B1 <b>Reading – Answer Sheet</b>		BME Nyelvvizsgaközpont					
Date:	No.						

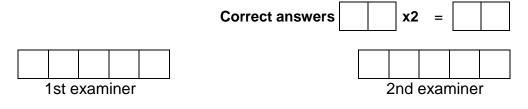
Part 1	EXTRANOMICAL	ADVENTURES –	SAN FRANCISCO

	Answers
1.	
2.	
3.	
4.	
5.	

Correct answers x2 =

#### Part 2 WELCOME TO CANTERBURY

	Answers in English				
1.					
2.					
3.	a., b.,				
4.	a., b.,				
5.					
6.					
7.					
8.					
9.					
10.	a., b.,				





General English Examination Elementary Level – B1 <b>Writing – Answer Sheet</b>			BME	Nyel	vvizs	gaköz	<b>a</b> zpont	
Date:		No.						
	Part 1							



End of Part 1

For examiner's use only:

PART 1:	Maximum	Achieved
Communicative value	5	
Expressiveness	5	
Grammatical accuracy	5	
	15	



#### Part 2

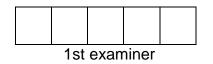


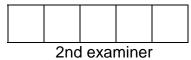
BME Nyelvvizsgaközpont

End of Part 2

For examiner's use only:

PART 2:	Maximum	Achieved
Communicative value	5	
Expressiveness	5	
Grammatical accuracy	5	
	15	











## Keys



#### Part 1 VISITING BATH

	Answers in English		
1.	(Bath) Comedy Festival		
2.	29 March		
3.	(Bath) Visitor Card		
4.	food / drink / shopping / sightseeing tours <b>any two</b>		
5.			
6.	from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.		
7.	audio guide		
8.	tower tour		
9.	- University of Bath = campus accommodation / (YMCA) hostel		
10.			

#### Part 2

#### AN ELEPHANT KEEPER

	Α	В	С
1.	~		
2.	✓		
3.			✓
4.		✓	
5.			✓

	Α	В	С
6.		✓	
7.		✓	
8.	✓		
9.		✓	
10.			✓



#### Part 1 EXTRANOMICAL ADVENTURES – SAN FRANCISCO

	Answers
1.	В
2.	Α
3.	Ø
4.	E
5.	С

#### Part 2

#### WELCOME TO CANTERBURY

	Answers in English			
1.	in Kent			
2.	less than 1 1/2 hours			
3.	St Augustine's Abbey / Canterbury Cathedral / St Martin Church	any two		
4.	boat / hot-air balloon / horse-drawn carriage	any two		
5.	there are a lot of shops / streets are traffic-free			
6.	local people			
7.	from April to October			
8.	max. 7			
9.	a regular Stagecoach bus takes you there			
10.	hotels / guest houses / self-catering establishments	any two		







## **Tapescripts**



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#### **Tapescript 1**

#### VISITING BATH

- Bath Tourist Information Centre, good morning, can I help you?
- Yes, please. I'm going to visit Bath soon and I need some information to plan what to do there.
- When exactly are you coming to our city?
- At the end of March.
- That's great. We'll have a superb festival at that time, the Bath Comedy Festival. It'll take place in the historic streets of the city, starting on 29 March.
- That sounds interesting. Well, I wouldn't like to spend a lot of money during my stay there. Have you got any ideas how to save money?
- Yes. You can make great savings if you buy a Bath Visitor Card for just 3£ from our Information Centre or from our online shop. You can get discounts in and around the city on food and drink, shopping and sightseeing tours.
- I've heard about the Roman Baths, so I would like to visit that site.
- Oh, you really must do that. It's open from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. every day. You can see the water's source and walk where Romans walked on the ancient stone pavements around the steaming pool. The admission price includes the use of an audio guide, available in 8 languages. And you should also visit the Bath Abbey, the last of the great medieval churches in England. In the abbey you can take the new tower tour and climb the 212 steps to the top of the tower to enjoy a panoramic view of the city.
- Ok, thanks. And finally could you help me to find cheap accommodation in Bath?
- Of course. The University of Bath offers campus accommodation just 1 mile from the city centre. In the centre I can recommend you the YMCA hostel with single, double, triple rooms and dormitories with shared bathrooms. You can book accommodation at our website.
- Thanks for all the information. Good-bye.
- Good-bye and enjoy your stay in Bath.



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#### Tapescript 2

#### AN ELEPHANT KEEPER

Our reporters asked 20 men and women who work in public services to tell us about their lives and their jobs. They also asked them about motivation and pay. Today we have been speaking to Gary Hampson, an elephant at Blackpool Zoo.

I: Hi, Gary.

G.H.: Hello.

I.: So how long have you been working at Blackpool Zoo?

G. H.: I've worked at the zoo for 26 years and with the elephants for five years . My role has changed recently. My new role means that I've got more responsibility. I'm now responsible for the day-to-day running of the elephant section.

I: What does your daily routine consist of?

G. H.: We look after four female Asian elephants. The first thing we do is check and clean the elephants and give them food and water. They need to drink a lot, up to 200 litres a day. We feed them seven times a day. Then we wash them. We have to pay attention to the ears and the skin around the eyes. Next, it's time for their daily basic training session. We get them to lift their feet so we can examine them and lie down so we can check their backs. It's very important that elephants move and work, otherwise they get bored or frustrated, so if the weather is fine we take them for a walk. In a more advanced training session we ride them after which they can spend time grazing and then we put on shows for the public.

I: And how do you keep in touch with the public?

G. H.: We feel it's important to tell people how we manage the elephants, so there is a lot of communication with the public. And maybe because of this, people show more and more interest. The number of visitors has risen in each of the last three years.

I: How about your pay?

G. H.: The zoo management thinks that we do our job because we love it. We do but that alone doesn't pay the bills. Someone in my position only takes home around £220 a week. I think our pay should be increased.

I: What do you like in your job?

G. H.: Working with elephants is a real team effort. We feel we are providing a service. I like to work in the education department of the zoo. Also, I feel we have found the best way to look after elephants. We make a difference to the lives of these animals.

I: Thank you very much for the interview Gary.

