

Total marks – 15
Attempt Questions 1–7

Answer the questions in the spaces provided.

In your answers you will be assessed on how well you:

- demonstrate understanding of the relationship between language, text, audience and purpose
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The Listening Task

You are about to hear part of a program from Radio National entitled *The Sports Factor*. The program is about rock-climbing in Australia and is presented by Amanda Smith.

Before you hear the recording you will have two minutes to read the questions printed in this paper.

As you are listening to the recording, follow the questions. You may write notes if you wish in the Candidate's Notes spaces provided on pages 2, 3 and 4. Anything you write in the Candidate's Notes spaces will NOT be marked.

You will hear the recording, then the questions will be read aloud. You will hear the recording a SECOND time, and then you will be given time to write the answers.

You now have two minutes to read the questions.

Marks

Question 1 (1 mark)

What is ONE reason people like rock-climbing?

1

...One reason people like rock-climbing is they can show their strength and they can challenge

Question 2 (2 marks)

Give TWO reasons why the rock-climbers interviewed are not interested in 'traditional, organised sports'.

2

Two reasons are that they don't want to do any other sport and they don't like it, or they haven't done any other sport ever before.

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Question 3 (1 mark)

Tick the box that corresponds to the best answer.

Why does Anthony Callaghan believe that women often do better at rock-climbing than men? 1

- (A) Men are stronger than women.
- (B) Women have a better technique for climbing.
- (C) Men can do 100 chin ups.
- (D) Women use their arms more than men.

Question 4 (2 marks)

Why does Amanda Smith talk to a range of people for the program? Give TWO reasons. 2

She talks to a range of people because she wants to show that there are females and males doing it and that they are really interested in it.

Question 5 (2 marks)

Describe ONE of the background sounds heard in the program. What is its effect? 2

The sound heard in the program is birds singing and outdoor sound. It is effect like in the spring when birds start singing.

Please turn over

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Question 6 (3 marks)

(a) What is ONE purpose of this radio program?

1

To inform about rock climbing and to attract more people to go and do it.

(b) Explain how ONE language feature is used in the program to achieve this purpose.

2

They used like women and men are rock climbers so the audience can listen.

Question 7 (4 marks)

Analyse the way this radio program has been composed to engage the audience.

4

The program engaged the audience because it seems like that they are saying it is fun, there is lots of people doing it and nobody doesn't like any other sport except this one. They are trying to attract more people to do it.

End of paper

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