

AILO 2019 Preliminary Round Answer Booklet

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Question A: Cippus Abellanus 20 points

A1. Indicate (with a tick or cross) for each word whether it does or does not appear in the portion of the inscription shown.

	eisei
	pússtis
	pidum
	púst

	fufans
	terei
	fisnam
	anter

	feihúis
	svai
	pús
	prúftú

	amfret
	ehtrad
	inim
	eisúd

A2. Give in both Oscan script and transliteration, the Oscan words for

- (a) neither/nor
(b) inhabitants of Abella (one word)
(c) inhabitants of Nola (one word)

Question B: Up the creek for firewood 20 points

- (a)
(b)
(c)
(d)
(e)
(f)
(g)
(h)
(i)
(j)
(k)

Question C: As easy as one, two, three (again)

20 points

Study the table of Slovene word forms, and fill in the gaps.

	English	one eg one basket	two eg two baskets	three eg three baskets	no -s eg no baskets	no (sg) eg no basket
1	basket				brez koškov	nobenega koška
2	bell	en zvonec			brez zvoncev	
3	boy	en deček	dva dečka			
4	cat	ena mačka	dve mački	tri mačke	brez mačk	nobene mačke
5	cow	ena krava	dve kravi			
6	end	en konec		trije konci		
7	eyeball			tri zrkla	brez zrkel	
8	horse		dva konja	trije konji	brez konjev	
9	kitchen			tri kuhinje	brez kuhinj	
10	letter		dve pismi	tri pisma		
11	mill	en mlin				
12	mole	en krt		trije krti		nobenega krta
13	oar	eno veslo				
14	rabbit	en zajec	dva zajca	trije zajci	brez zajcev	nobenega zajca
15	ship					nobene barke
16	sound		dva zvoka			
17	window	eno okno	dve okni	tri okna	brez oken	nobenega okna

Question D: Malteaser

20 points

D1. Give the appropriate form of the definite article:

..... lura qamar ors nar xahar demm hena
 mniher nifs ras forn gedдум tama patata
 bliest hadid bejt kafè gžira xkora dlam
 ilsna žarbun għajn beraq azzar wiċċ suq
 zokor missier ilma

D2. What would you expect the form of the definite article to be in the two (*) cases?

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D3. (Bonus marks) Briefly summarise the rules for the Maltese definite article seen in these examples (excluding the two examples marked *). Continue overleaf if necessary.

Question E: Do you speak Ndebele? 20 points

E1. (a)

(b)

(c)

(d)

E2. (a)

(b)

(c)

(d)

E3. Give two translations, and explain why it is ambiguous.

E4. (Bonus marks) Briefly summarise the rules of Ndebele grammar
(continue overleaf if necessary)