

**USE OF ENGLISH AS-LEVEL SECTION A
LISTENING TEST
Question-Answer Book**

(18% of the subject mark)

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Write your Candidate Number, Centre Number and Seat Number in the spaces provided.
2. Answer **ALL** questions.
3. Write your answers in the spaces provided in this Question-Answer book, **IN PENCIL**.
4. This test is in three parts. In all three parts you are required to write your answers as you listen.
5. You are reminded that all examination materials will be played **ONCE** only.
6. Supplementary answer sheets will be supplied on request. Write your Candidate Number on each sheet and fasten them with string inside this Question-Answer Book.

Candidate Number						
Centre Number						
Seat Number						

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	Marker No.	Examiner No.
Part 1		
Part 2		
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Part 3		
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INTRODUCTION

Situation

You and some friends are planning to join a three-month summer study cruise run by an educational institute known as the *School of the Seas*. The study programme will be conducted on board a converted luxury ship called *The Odyssey* as it sails around Southeast Asia.

You are attending a Visitors' Day while the ship is docked in Hong Kong. The Visitors' Day is divided into three parts. In Parts 1 and 2, there will be an Orientation Session with some general information about the study cruise, and in Part 3, there will be an informal meeting in the ship's lounge with some students who have just finished the spring cruise.

Part 1

In this part, you will hear the beginning of the Orientation Session for the summer study cruise.

You will have 3 minutes to familiarize yourself with the note-headings for Part 1 before it begins.

At the end of Part 1, you will have 3 minutes to tidy up your answers.

Part 2

In this part, you will hear the rest of the Orientation Session.

You will have 2 minutes to look at the note-headings for Part 2.

At the end of Part 2, you will have 2 minutes to tidy up your answers.

Part 3

In this part, you will hear the applicants talking to two students who have just finished the spring cruise.

You will have 3 minutes to familiarize yourself with the note-headings for Part 3 before the meeting takes place.

At the end of Part 3, you will have 10 minutes to tidy up your answers for the whole paper.

READ THE INSTRUCTIONS AND NOTE-HEADINGS CAREFULLY

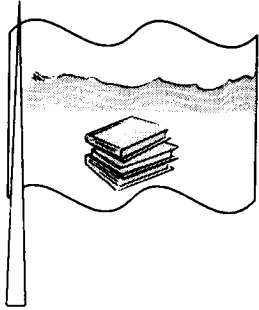
Part 1

Orientation Session

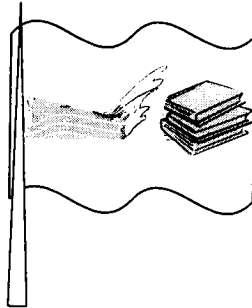
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1. Which of the following is *The Odyssey's* flag? (Tick the correct box.)

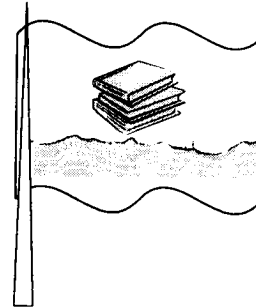
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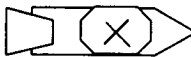
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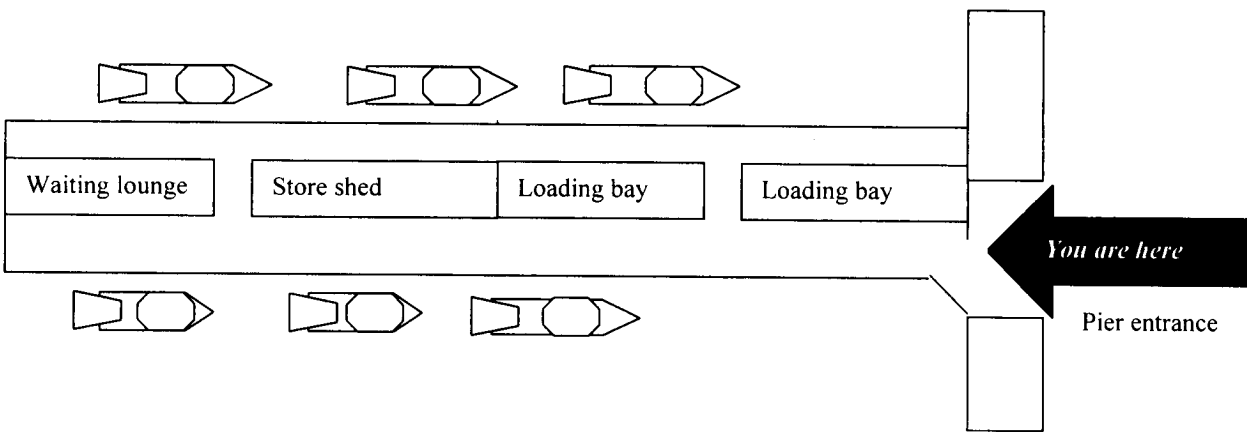


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2. (i) Draw a line with an arrow (←) on the plan of the pier showing the route to *The Odyssey* suggested by Captain Smith, and

(ii) Mark *The Odyssey* with an 'X': (e.g. )



3. What Captain Smith and Jean Silver will do in the Orientation Session:

- (i) _____
- (ii) _____
- (iii) _____
- (iv) _____
- (v) _____

4. Follow-up activities (after lunch):

- (i) _____
- (ii) _____

Marks :

5. Complete the *School of the Seas'* mission statement:

To... _____

6. Planning considerations:

Consideration	Reason

7. Breakdown of a typical study programme:

Activities	Approximate % of time spent	Benefits to students

Marks :

END OF PART 1

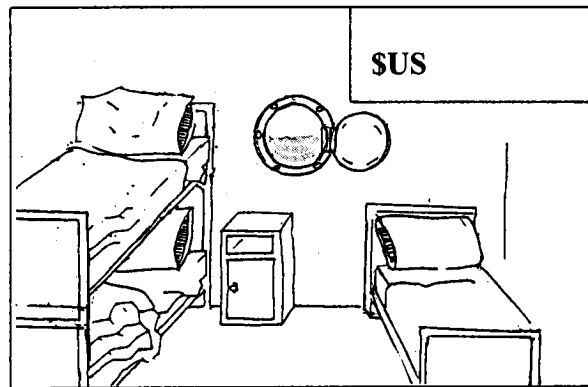
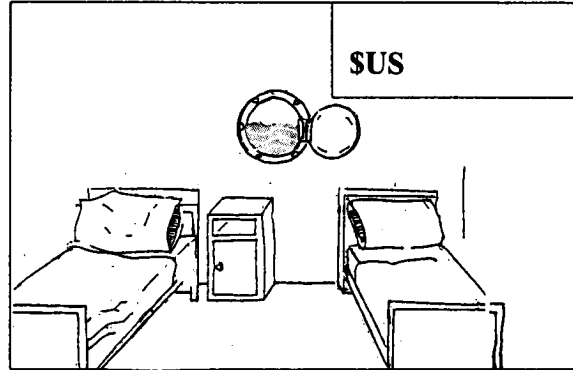
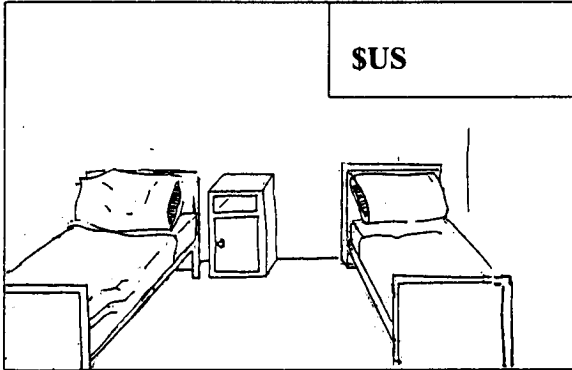
Total Marks for Part 1 :

Part 2

Orientation Session (continued)

(4 marks)

8. What the fees for the study cruise are (per type of cabin):



9. Which of the following are covered by the fees? (Tick the correct boxes.)

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|--------------|--------------------------|-------------------|--------------------------|
| passage fare | <input type="checkbox"/> | port transfers | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| room | <input type="checkbox"/> | field trips | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| board (food) | <input type="checkbox"/> | in-country travel | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| classes | <input type="checkbox"/> | personal expenses | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| textbooks | <input type="checkbox"/> | medical services | <input type="checkbox"/> |

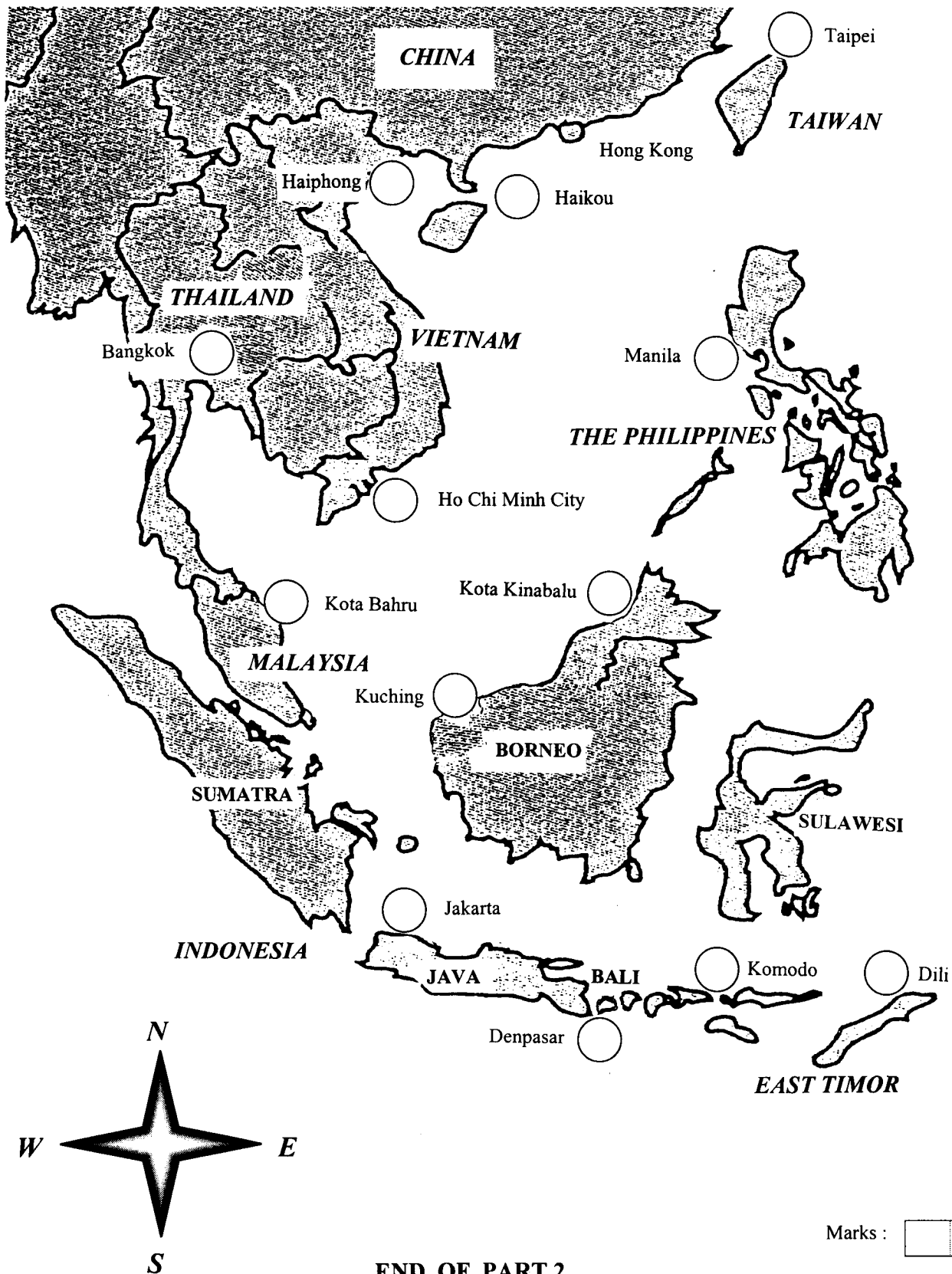
Marks :

10. The itinerary for the summer cruise:

Places mentioned	Places they will visit (Put \checkmark for yes or X for no)	Subject area of students who will benefit most (Put 'N/A' if nothing mentioned)	What they will see or learn about (Put 'N/A' if nothing mentioned)
<i>Haiphong</i>	\checkmark	<i>geology</i>	<i>interesting rock formations</i>
<i>Haikou</i>			
<i>Ho Chi Minh City</i>			
<i>Bangkok</i>			
<i>Kota Bahru</i>			
<i>Kuching</i>			
<i>Jakarta</i>			
<i>Denpasar</i>			
<i>Komodo</i>			
<i>Dili</i>			
<i>Manila</i>			
<i>Taipei</i>	X	<i>N/A</i>	<i>N/A</i>

Marks :

11. After it leaves Hong Kong, *The Odyssey* will visit seven places on its cruise. Put numbers 1,2,3,4,5,6 and 7 in the circles on the map to show in what order the ship will visit these places. Use each number once only.



END OF PART 2

Marks :

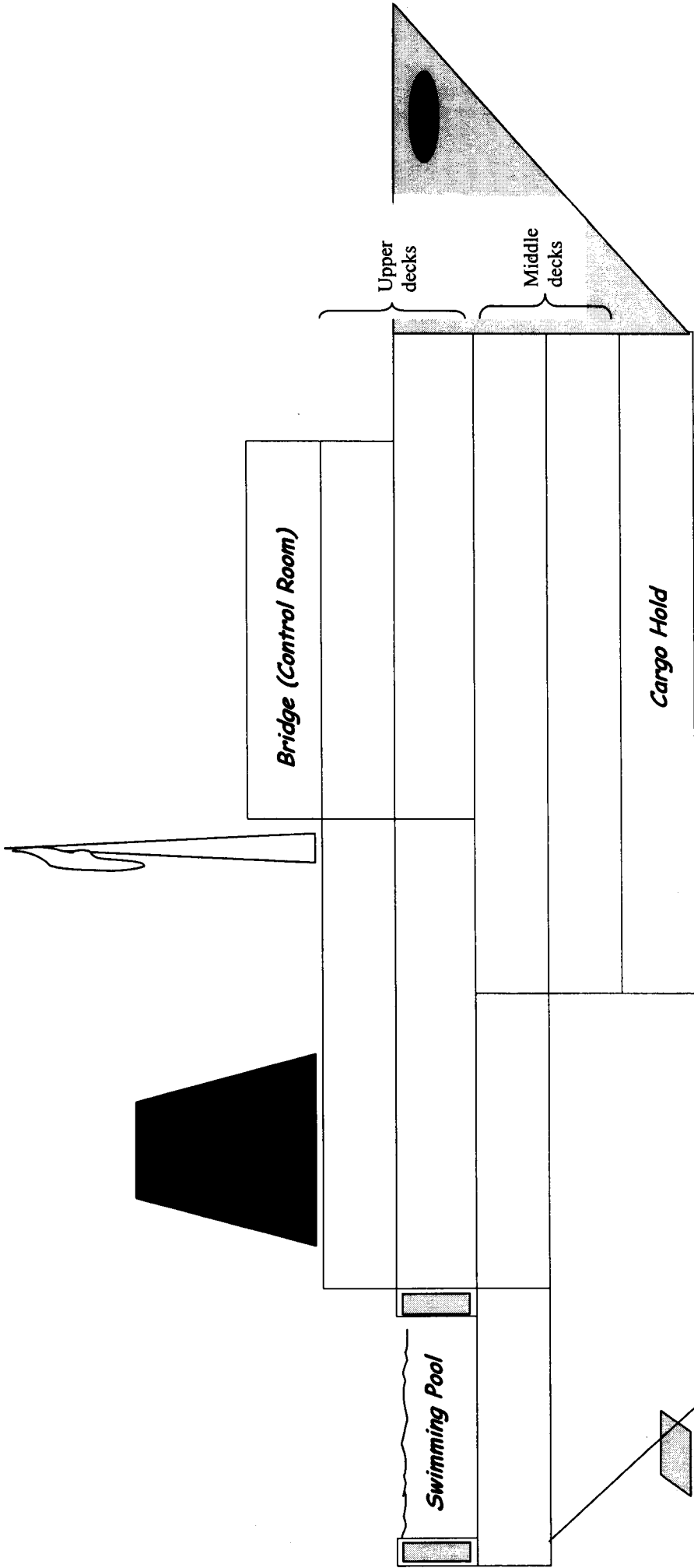
Total Marks for Part 2 :

Part 3

Meeting in the lounge

(9 marks)

12. Label the sections of the ship on the deck plan. You must fill in each of the nine blank sections.



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Marks :

13. What Billie-jean asks Jim about the fees: _____

14. Jim's feelings about whether the cruise was good value for money: *(Tick the correct box.)*

Very sure Quite sure Unsure Very doubtful

15. Reasons for the high fees:

- (a) _____
- (b) _____
- (c) _____
- (d) _____

16. What students can do to reduce the fees:

- (a) _____
- (b) _____
- (c) _____
- (d) _____

17. What Bud wants to know: _____

18. The students' responses:

- | | |
|---------------------|----------------------|
| 1. _____ | 1. _____ |
| Jim 2. _____ | Mary 2. _____ |
| 3. _____ | 3. _____ |

19. Billie-jean's other question: _____

20. What Mary thinks are the advantages:

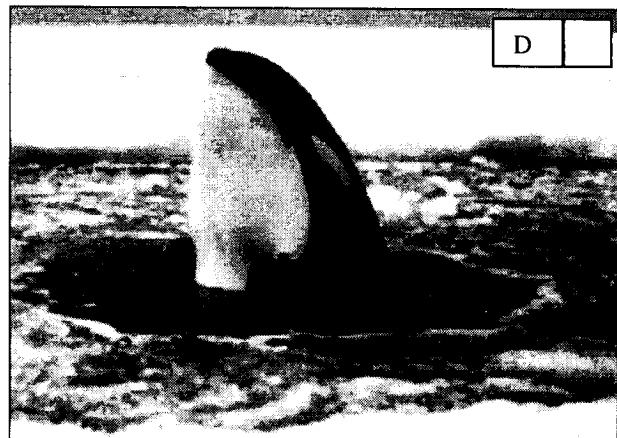
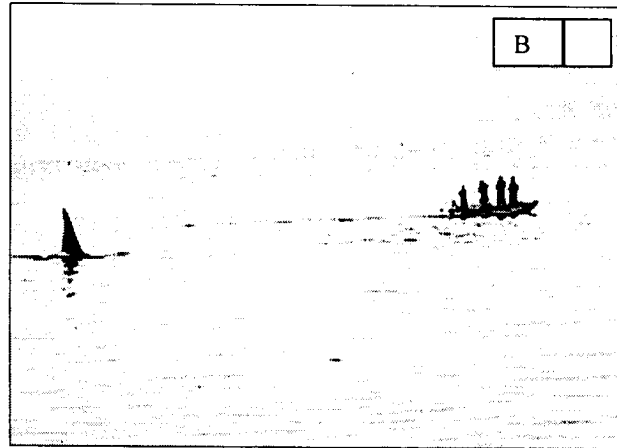
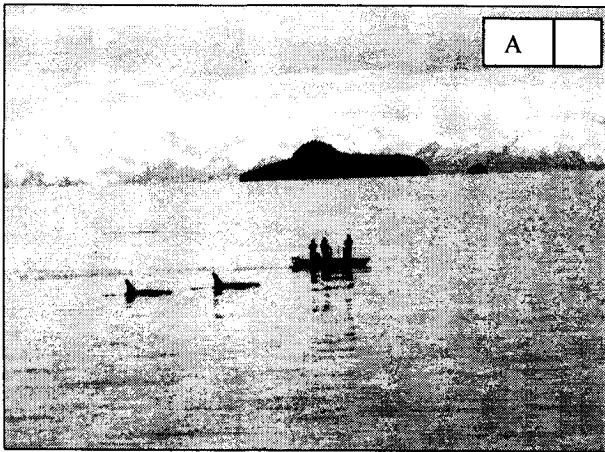
- (a) _____
- (b) _____
- (c) _____
- (d) _____

Marks :

21. Different types of students on the study cruise:

Type of student	Advantages to first-year students
<i>freshmen</i>	

22. Which two of the following pictures does Jim talk about? (Tick the correct boxes.)



23. What Jim thinks of Mr Marlow: (Tick the correct box.)

Interesting

Funny

Annoying

Scary

Marks :

Total Marks for Part 3 :

END OF TEST