

**OLIMPIADA DE LIMBA ENGLEZĂ – ETAPA NAȚIONALĂ
BRAȘOV
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CLASA A XI-A - SECȚIUNEA A

Integrated Skills

- Toate subiectele sunt obligatorii.
- Se acordă zece puncte din oficiu.
- Timpul de lucru efectiv este de 90 de minute.

I. You will see a fragment from a movie about Mrs. Locke and her children, who have just moved to another town. For questions 1-5, choose the best answer, A, B, C or D.

10 points

- 1. What does Scot mean when he compares himself to a “scone”?**
A) He thinks he is boring and uninteresting.
B) He feels underestimated by others.
C) He emphasizes his lack of emotional expressiveness.
D) He is worried about being misunderstood as an artist.
- 2. What disagreement does Scot have with the Savinis about their short film?**
A) How the film’s title should be worded.
B) Whether the production should be a comedy or a horror film.
C) Who the female protagonist should be.
D) Whether the film should be part of a class project.
- 3. What impression does Joe Ridgeway give of Tyler?**
A) He is struggling academically but trying hard.
B) He is intelligent but reserved.
C) He is confident but popular.
D) He is disruptive but creative.
- 4. What surprises Mrs. Locke during her conversation with Joe Ridgeway?**
A) That Joe already knows a lot about Tyler’s behaviour.
B) That he describes Rendell as a loner.
C) That Joe had taught her husband and his friends.
D) That Rendell never mentioned his former teachers.
- 5. What creates the sense of unease at the end of the extract?**
A) the sudden interruption by the receptionist
B) the mention of Rendell’s tragic death
C) Joe’s reluctance to continue the conversation
D) the implication that important information has never been shared

II. As a student journalist, you have been asked to report on an awards ceremony celebrating science fiction and mystery short films that explore unknown worlds and hidden truths. Write a 220–250-word report for your school blog, including details about the event, the atmosphere, and the impact of the awarded films.

40 points