TOEFL Mock Test 1

Questions with Answers

READING

1. Passage + Question

Choose the best answer.

Many universities now offer hybrid courses that combine online materials with occasional in-person sessions. This model gives students flexibility while still providing opportunities for face-to-face discussion.

Question: What is one advantage of hybrid courses mentioned?

(A) They eliminate all in-person contact
(B) Flexibility plus some face-to-face discussion
(C) Higher tuition only
(D) No online materials

2. Passage + Question

Choose the best answer.

Bees pollinate a large share of the world's food crops. Recent declines in bee populations have led scientists to study habitat loss, pesticides, and climate change as possible causes.

Question: Why are scientists studying bee population declines?

(A) Bees are increasing rapidly
(B) Declines may affect food crops and involve multiple causes
(C) Bees have no role in agriculture
(D) Only for honey production

LISTENING (Transcript for practice)

3. Listening

Read or listen to the transcript and answer.

Transcript: Professor: The research proposal is due next Friday. Include a clear question, a short literature review, and your planned method. Late work will not be accepted without documented reasons.

Question: What must the research proposal include?

(A) Only a title
(B) A clear question, literature review, and planned method
(C) Final results only
(D) Nothing written

SPEAKING

4. Independent Speaking

15 sec prepare, 45 sec speak.

Describe a place in your city that you enjoy visiting and explain why.

5. Independent Speaking

15 sec prepare, 45 sec speak.

Do you prefer studying alone or in a group? Give reasons.

WRITING

6. Email Task

80–120 words.

Write an email to your professor requesting a short extension on an assignment because of a medical appointment. (80–120 words)

7. Academic Discussion / Opinion

100–150 words.

Some people believe social media has a mostly positive effect on society. Others disagree. What is your opinion? Support it with reasons. (100–150 words)

ANSWERS & GUIDANCE

1. Reading – Correct Answer: (B)

2. Reading – Correct Answer: (B)

3. Listening – Correct Answer: (B)

4 & 5. Speaking – State main point clearly, give 1–2 reasons/examples, conclude briefly. Speak at a natural pace.

6. Email – Greeting → polite request + reason → details → closing.

7. Discussion – Clear opinion → supporting reasons with examples → short conclusion.

Practice under timed conditions for best results.