

IELTS LISTENING E1

SECTION 1

Holiday length: 2 days

Type of transportation: **by minibus / a mini bus**

Maximum group size: **15 / 15 people**

Next tour date: **April 18th / April the 18th**

Hotel name: The **Pallisades**

Questions 5 and 6

B guided bushwalk

D table tennis

7 The tour costs **\$280**.

8 Bookings must be made no later than **14** days in advance.

9 A **20%** deposit is required.

10 The customer's reference number is **39745T**.

SECTION 2

Brand of Cot	Good Points	Problems	Verdict
Baby Safe	Easy to move around / move about	Did not have any brakes Babies could trap their fingers in the side bar	satisfactory
Choice Cots	Easy to put together / put it together	Side did not drop down Spaces between the bars were too wide	dangerous
Mother's Choice	Base of cot could be moved	Did not have any wheels Pictures could be removed easily	best / the best / best buy / the best buy / safe

Question 20

-Metal should not be rusted or bent.

-Edges of cot should not be **sharp**.

SECTION 3

21 Andrew has worked at the hospital for

three years.

22 During the course Andrew's employers will pay

his fees.

23 The part-time course lasts for

two years.

Questions 24 and 25

Which **TWO** types of coursework are required **each month** on the part-time course

B an essay.

D a short report.

SECTION 4

Questions 26-30

Students study **full-time** during each module. A module takes **a term / one term** and the work is very **intensive**. To get a Diploma each student has to study **two module / two terms / for two terms** and then work on **a topic / one topic** in depth.

SECTION 4

31 Bernard Shaw, men are supposed to understand **politics**, economics and finance.

32 However, women are more prepared to **learn** about them.

33 Women tend to save for **children's education / their children's education** and a house.

34 Men tend to save for **a car** and for retirement.

35 Women who are left alone may have to pay for **nursing care** when they are old.

Questions 36-40

Research indicates that many women only think about their financial future when a **crisis** occurs. This is the worst time to make decisions. It is best for women to start thinking about pensions when they are in their **early twenties**. A good way for women to develop their **confidence** in dealing with financial affairs would be to attend classes in **money management**. When investing in stocks and shares, it is suggested that women should put a high proportion of their savings in **low-risk investments**. In such ways, women can have a comfortable, independent retirement.