



## LONDON BLUE BADGE TOURIST GUIDE EXAMINATIONS

Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> October 2016 at 10.00 hours

### PAPER TWO OUT OF LONDON

Time allowed: **TWO HOURS (120 MINUTES)**

This paper is in **TWO** sections:

**SECTION A** Comprises 100 questions. Answer **ALL** of them.  
(Recommended time 70 minutes)  
This section is worth 60%

**SECTION B** Answer **TWO** questions from a choice of four.  
(Recommended time 25 minutes for Question 1, 25 minutes for Question 2)  
This section is worth 40%

#### Notes

1. Write your candidate number at the top of this page and at the top right hand corner of all separate sheets (the invigilator has your number).
2. **SECTION A**: The answers should be written on the question paper.  
**SECTION B**: The answers should be written on the paper provided.
  - i. Use only one side of the paper
  - ii. Start each question on a new page
3. Please write legibly in pen.

<b>SECTION A – 100 marks</b>
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### Bath

1	In what year was Edgar crowned King of All England in Bath Abbey?	
2	Name the man who developed the quarries at Combe Down that provided the stone for the building of Bath in the 18 <sup>th</sup> century.	
3	What was the Roman name for Bath?	
4	What is the English translation of the Greek phrase above the main entrance to the Pump Room?	
5	Name the hills that surround Bath.	
6	What is the temperature of the water flowing in to the Roman Baths?	
7	Where does the British actor/comedian John Cleese live in Bath?	

8	Name the Bishop who rebuilt Bath Abbey in the early 16 <sup>th</sup> century?	
9	To whom is the obelisk in Queen Square dedicated?	
10	Name <b>ONE</b> of Jane Austen's novels which is partly set in Bath.	
11	Name the goddess worshipped by the Romans at Bath.	
12	Name the architect of Queen Square.	
13	Name the principal architect of the new Thermae Bath Spa.	
14	What is the name of the Bath Rugby home stadium?	
15	Name the canal that joins the River Avon in Bath.	

### Canterbury and Kent

16	By tradition, where is the head of Thomas More buried?	
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17	Name the only King to be buried in Canterbury Cathedral.	
18	Name the present Archbishop of Canterbury.	
19	Name the <u>first</u> Archbishop of Canterbury.	
20	From which <u>London</u> inn did the pilgrims in 'The Canterbury Tales' leave?	
21	What was the exact date (day/month/year) of the murder of Thomas Becket?	
22	What is (i) the motto and (ii) the symbol of Kent?	(i) (ii)
23	Name the central tower of Canterbury Cathedral which was completed in around 1500.	
24	Name <b>TWO</b> places where coaches can drop off in Canterbury.	(i) (ii)

25	Name the river that runs through Canterbury.	
26	Where is the Klaus Ringwald sculpture 'Welcoming Christ'?	
27	Name the <b>TWO</b> historic buildings in Rochester that you can see from the coach as you pass on the M2.	(i) (ii)
28	After which famous playwright is Canterbury's Theatre named?	
29	Name the Archbishop who began building Canterbury Cathedral in Caen stone in 1070.	
30	Name the American heiress who restored Leeds castle in the 20 <sup>th</sup> century.	
31	Name the first medieval Queen of England to own Leeds Castle.	

### Cotswolds

32	Name the English queen who is buried at Sudeley castle.	
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33	Name the <b>TWO</b> senior members of the Royal family who have their country home at Highgrove.	(i)  (ii)
34	What was manufactured in Whitney up until 2002?	
35	Name the river that flows through Bourton-on-the-Water.	
36	What does 'Chipping' mean?	
37	Name the town in which the Corinium Museum is situated.	
38	In the name 'Cotswold' what is (i) a cot and (ii) a wold?	(i)  (ii)
39	Name the Cotswold town in which a famous horse fair is held.	
40	What type of stone is Cotswold Stone?	
41	What famous Cotswold garden was designed by Major Lawrence Johnston?	

## Oxford via Bladon

42	By which name is the River Thames generally known in Oxford?	
43	Where are degree ceremonies held?	
44	Name the Chancellor of Oxford University.	
45	How many colleges are there in Oxford university?	
46	On which day of the week is the Ashmolean museum closed to visitors?	
47	Each of the three terms at Oxford has a name. Name <b>TWO</b> of these terms.	(i)  (ii)
48	Name the sport associated with Henley on Thames.	
49	Which Oxford college did Theresa May, the present British Prime Minister, attend?	
50	Name the architect of the Radcliffe Camera.	

51	Which Oxford building was used as the Infirmary of Hogwarts school in one of the Harry Potter films?	
52	Approximately how many undergraduates study at Oxford University?	
53	Name the patron saint of both the town of Oxford and the university.	
54	In what year did the Duke of Marlborough win his great victory at the Battle of Blenheim?	
55	Who designed the parkland at Blenheim Palace?	

### Salisbury

56	What is the name of the house in the close where Edward Heath, former British Prime Minister, lived?	
57	On which <b>TWO</b> days each week is there a market in Salisbury?	(i) (ii)
58	In which Salisbury pub can you find a mummified hand with playing cards?	



59	Which British artist famously painted Salisbury Cathedral from the water meadows?	
60	To whom is Salisbury Cathedral dedicated?	
61	In what year was the new Cathedral consecrated?	
62	In the Middle Ages, Salisbury had 4 market crosses. Name the only one which survives.	
63	Name the first person to be buried in the new Cathedral.	
64	What is the subject of the fresco wall painting inside St Thomas' church?	
65	Where in the Cathedral is there a unique 13 <sup>th</sup> century frieze of bible stories?	

### Stonehenge

66	What was the main purpose of a Barrow?	
67	How many Aubrey holes are there?	

68	Where did the Sarsen stones come from?	
69	What is believed to be the significance of the HEEL stone?	
70	What is the oldest feature of the Stonehenge circle?	
71	What name do we give to the Bronze Age people buried around Stonehenge?	
72	What solar event is celebrated at Stonehenge around 21 December?	
73	What does 'dressed' stone mean?	
<b><u>Stratford &amp; Warwick Castle</u></b>		
74	Give the exact date of Shakespeare's death (day/month/year).	
75	What was the name of Shakespeare's son?	
76	How many sonnets did Shakespeare write?	

77	On the Gower memorial, which of Shakespeare's characters represent (i) comedy and (ii) history	(i)  (ii)
78	Name the Royal Shakespeare Company's third theatre in Stratford which re-opened in March 2016.	
79	Who built the house at New Place which Shakespeare bought in 1597?	
80	Who was Catherine Rogers?	
81	Name <b>ONE</b> of William Shakespeare's family members also buried in Holy Trinity Church.	
82	Name the 18 <sup>th</sup> century actor who organized the first Shakespeare festival in Stratford.	
83	Name a former owner of Warwick castle who is said to haunt the castle.	
84	What is a trebuchet?	
85	What is the emblem of the Earls of Warwick adopted by the town of Warwick and county of Warwickshire?	

## Windsor via Runnymede

86	Give the exact date (day/month/year) of the fire at Windsor Castle.	
87	Who founded Eton college?	
88	Which fruit representing Catherine of Aragon can be seen in the coat of Arms over the Henry VIII gateway to Windsor Castle?	
89	Name the current exhibition in the gallery at Windsor Castle.	
90	What is the motto of the Order of the Garter?	
91	Name the <u>last</u> King buried in St George's Chapel.	
92	In which grand banqueting hall in Windsor Castle are there portraits painted by Sir Thomas Lawrence of those who contributed to the defeat of Napoleon?	
93	What is the Queen Elizabeth I long gallery at Windsor Castle used for today?	
94	Where are Prince Albert and Queen Victoria buried?	

95	Which Windsor Great Park residence is home to Prince Andrew?	
96	Name the 1000 <sup>th</sup> Knight of the Garter.	
97	Name <b>TWO</b> of the commemorative monuments at Runnymede.	(i)  (ii)
98	In what year was the Round Tower of Windsor Castle built in stone?	
99	What is the time of the last admission to Windsor Castle during the winter months?	
100	Name <b>ONE</b> king who was imprisoned at Windsor Castle.	

**Now turn to Section B**

**SECTION B (20 marks for each question)**Answer **TWO** questions from this Section

**B1.** Make notes on the history and development of Bath from its legendary beginnings right up to today's modern city.

**B2.** Outline the importance of Canterbury in the development of Christianity in the United Kingdom, linking your account to sites in Canterbury.

**B3.** You are taking a group on a one hour walking tour of Oxford starting at the Martyrs' Memorial in St Giles and finishing at the visitor entrance to Christchurch College.

Indicate the route you would take, the stops you would make and an outline of the commentary you would deliver at each stop.

**B4.** Make notes on the commentary you would give on a coach as an introduction to the building and development of Windsor Castle from its beginnings in the 11<sup>th</sup> century up to the present day. Include some information on the role of the castle today.

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