

**Candidate No.....**



**SOUTH WEST ENGLAND  
TOURIST GUIDE REGISTRATION EXAMINATIONS  
LEVEL 4**

**Wednesday, 13<sup>th</sup> October 2010 at 1400 hours**

**PAPER TWO**

**Time allowed: TWO HOURS (2 HOURS)**

**This paper comprises 200 questions, all of which should be answered.**

**Notes**

1. Please write your candidate number at the top of this page (the invigilator has your number).
2. The answers should be written on the question paper.
3. Please write legibly in pen.

**PLEASE WRITE YOUR ANSWER IN THE SPACE PROVIDED**

<b>REGIONAL/MULTIPLE COUNTIES</b>		
1	Name the river that acts as a boundary between Devon and Cornwall.	
2	Give the distance in miles or kilometres of Lundy Island from the coast of Devon.	
3	Name the main constituents of 'cob walling'.	
4	In 1655 there was an unsuccessful Royalist uprising of major historical significance for the West Country. Its leader was executed. Name the leader.	
5	Name the location of <b>ONE</b> of the sites in the SW region that holds a large annual agricultural fair/show.	
6	Name the grievance which led to the 1549 rebellion in the Devon and Cornwall sometimes referred to as the Western Rising.	
7	Name the Roman road that ran between: a) Badbury Rings and Old Sarum, and  b) Exeter and Lincoln	a)  b)

8	Give the location of the <i>Ribena</i> factory.	
9	The name 'Atlantic Highway' is applied to what route in the SW region?	
10	To what structure thought to date from the post Roman period does the name "Wansdyke" refer?	
11	What event of importance throughout England took place in Wessex in the year 878?	

**DORSET**

1	State the location and the name of the town/village where the author Thomas Hardy's heart is buried.	
2	Name the VIP guest who was killed at the first international aviation meeting held in Bournemouth in 1910 as part of its centenary celebrations.	
3	Which castle was used by Enid Blyton in the Famous Five stories as inspiration for <i>Kirrin Castle</i> ?	
4	a) In which year did Jane Austen stay in Lyme Regis?  b) Name her novel which features Lyme?	a)  b)

5	Name the fictitious character in Far from the Madding Crowd who is buried in Puddletown (Weatherby) Church Yard	
6	What, of archaeological interest, was discovered in 2009 in a pit as a result of the new Weymouth Relief Road?	
7	Where would you go in Dorset to see the Stevenson Memorial Gardens? (Gardens to Robert Louis Stevenson)	
8	a) Name the figure whose statue is outside St Peter's church Dorchester. b) Why is he commemorated?	a) b)
9	Why is John White remembered in St Peter's church Dorchester?	
10	Name the venue and the town/city which is the present 'home' of the Bournemouth Symphony Orchestra.	
11	Name the Dorset family whose ancestral home is Minterne House.	
12	Give the location of the burial site of Mary Wollstonecraft Shelley.	
13	a) By what name is the great pandemic of 1348 known? b) Name the port through which it is believed to have arrived in England.	a) b)

14	Give the proper name of the area referred to by Thomas Hardy in his novels as 'the Vale of the Little Dairies'.	
15	Name the King who has a statue in Weymouth.	
16	Name the Dorset farmer who successfully protected his family from smallpox by infecting them with cowpox.	
17	Name the famous person who died in 1935 and is buried in the church yard at St Nicholas' Church Morton	
18	a) Give the length of Chesil Beach in either miles or in kilometres. b) Name the lagoon behind Chesil Beach.	a) b)
19	Milton Abbey was sold in 1752. Give the name of the purchaser.	
20	Name the celebrity chef associated with the River Cottage TV series.	
21	Name the Dorset manor house which sheltered King Charles 11 for 19 days after his defeat at the Battle of Worcester in 1651	
22	Where in Dorset would you find a chained library?	

23	Name the town in Dorset which has earth walls/ramparts built by King Alfred	
24	Give the name of the person who, in 1811/12 made the first major fossil discovery in the Lyme Bay area.	
25	Give the name of the abbey where King Canute died in 1035.	
26	Give the name of the lake created by clay extraction at Furzebrook.	
27	In 2007, Brownsea Island hosted prolonged celebrations. Give the reason for these celebrations.	
28	Name the Neolithic henges monument in Dorset with a 12 <sup>th</sup> century church within one of the henge circles.	
29	Where in Dorchester did Judge Jefferies hold his Bloody Assize?	
30	Name the Dorset school which was refounded in 1550	
31	Name the village in which Richard Poore, [Bishop of Salisbury] is buried.	

32	Give the meaning of the phrase “stabbed by a ‘Bridport Dagger’”.	
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**DEVON**

1	Give the present day name of Isca Dumnoniorum.	
2	In which year was the building of Devonport dockyard begun?	
3	Name the founder of the Home & Colonial Tea Association chain of grocery stores who built a castle in Devon.	
4	Name the river which flows through Bideford.	
5	Name the port where William of Orange and Mary Stuart landed in 1688	
6	Name the Devon town where the Grand Western Canal Basin and Country park HQ is to be found.	
7	Name <b>ONE</b> of the principal materials carried on the canal during its working life.	
8	Name the author of the book Tarka the Otter	

9	Name the designer of 6 stained glass windows in St. Andrew's Church, Plymouth.	
10	Name the town where the Goose Fair takes place.	
11	Name the town in which Thomas Newcomen was born	
12	Name the town/city with the oldest Guildhall (1468) in England still in use	
13	In what year was the building of the present Exeter Cathedral started?	
14	Name the site in Plymouth where the National Armada memorial may be found	
15	Name the location of the only Pumping Station from Brunel's 'Atmospheric Railway' to survive intact.	
16	In which well known special area of Devon is "Jay's Grave"; "Childe's Tomb" and "Wistman's Wood".	
17	Name the locally made product which is the subject of several of the displays in the Allhallows Museum in Honiton.	



18	<p>In which area a) or b) or c) of Devon are the “South Hams”? (tick or ring your answer)</p>	<p>a) SE b) SW c) Central Southern</p>
19	<p>Name the school in Devon attended by the writer R D Blackmore and Archbishop William Temple.</p>	
20	<p>Name the only two points in Southern England, both on Dartmoor, which are over 2000ft/610 metres.</p>	
21	<p>Name <b>ONE</b> well known product made and sold at Buckfast Abbey.</p>	
22	<p>Name the canal in Devon which was built in the 1560s</p>	
23	<p>Who designed the Royal Albert Bridge?</p>	
24	<p>Name the first Bishop of Exeter (circa 1050).</p>	
25	<p>Name the picturesque, popular, private village on the north Devon coast.</p>	
26	<p>What happened in Lynmouth on 15 August 1952 which is commemorated by a tablet in St Mary’s Church, Lynton?</p>	

27	Name the port from which James Cook set out in 1772 and 1776	
28	Name the birthplace of the 16 <sup>th</sup> century courtier, explorer and historian Sir Walter Raleigh	
29	What is of particular interest on the crest of Brentor?	
30	Name the Portrait artist whose father was master of Plymouth Grammar school from 1715.	
31	Name the principal rock found on Exmoor?	

**CORNWALL**

1	Name the patron saint of Cornwall	
2	Name the author of the “Poldark” series of novels.	
3	In the Cornish language what does ‘Pen’ mean? (as in Pentire, Penwith)	
4	Name the English King, who, in 936, fixed the boundary between England and Cornwall as the East bank of the River Tamar	

5	Name the religious building to be visited at 'Come to Good' near Feock.	
6	Name the location where Lawrence Binyon wrote the famous 'They shall grow not old, as we that are left grow old' in 1914.	
7	Name the <b>TWO</b> places at either end of the Saints Way ('Forth an Syns' in Cornish)	a) b)
8	What is 'Star-gazy Pie'?	
9	a) Name the last person, considered by tradition, to have had Cornish as her first language. b) In what year, as given on the gravestone, did this person die.	a) b)
10	Name the author, whose pen name was Q and who lived at 'The Haven' in Fowey.	
11	Name the 19 <sup>th</sup> century vicar of Morwenstow (also poet, antiquarian) who is know for writing the 'Song of the Western Men' with its rousing chorus "And shall Trelawney die?"	
12	On which date is "Obby 'Oss" day in Padstow?	

13	Name the founder of the Minack theatre.	
14	In which coastal town was John Opie the artist born?	
15	<p>a) Name the developer/builder of Charleston Harbour.</p> <p>b) For trade in what principal product was it developed?</p>	<p>a)</p> <p>b)</p>
16	What links St Michael's Mount and the mainland? It serves as a transport route at low tide.	
17	In 1919, 31 men were killed in a mining disaster. Name the mine.	
18	What is the significance of Edward, the Black Prince, for Cornwall?	
19	<p>Name the Cornish "gentleman/inventor" who worked out how to create 'limelight'.</p> <p>He also installed Blue light (oxygen introduced into the centre of a flame (cf blow torch), to produce a bright light) with reflecting mirrors used in lighthouses.</p>	
20	Name the principal town on St. Mary's, Isles of Scilly	

21	Give the Cornish term for a deserted tin/copper mine	
22	In which coastal village is the restaurant/café 'Fifteen Cornwall'?	
23	Name the castle alleged to be the one where the (legendary) Dark Ages King Mark lived	
24	Slaughter Bridge, Camelford in c540 AD may have been the site of the fatal injury to a most famous character from Celtic history/myth. Name this person.	
25	On what Cornish emblem are gold bezants/coins to be seen which are popularly held to represent the Crusader ransom paid by Cornwall ("One and All") for King Richard I?	
26	What punishment was given out to Jan Tregeagle, Steward of Lanhydrock, who was alleged to have robbed his master and extorted unfair rents, amongst other evil deeds?	
27	In which area of Cornwall, a), b) or c) is the 'Goonhilly Satellite Earth Station' located?  (Ring/tick the appropriate area)	<p>a) Penwith</p> <p>b) Lizard</p> <p>c) Bodmin Moor</p>
28	Name the Cornish Saint associated with St Ives.	

29	Name the current principal fishing port in Cornwall	
30	Name <b>TWO</b> transport links connecting Penzance to the Isles of Scilly	a)  b)
31	Describe a Cornish <i>Fairing</i> .	
32	The Fishing Boat Registration letters for boats based in Padstow are PW, for St Ives, SS. Give the registration letters used for Falmouth.	

**GLOUCESTERSHIRE**

1	Name the Queen who is buried at Sudeley Castle.	
2	How much of the Forest of Dean is within the county?	
3	Name the organisation responsible for the Westonbirt Arboretum.	
4	Name the person who was the inspiration for the museum at Berkeley.	

5	Badminton House is the country seat of which family?	
6	Name the family who lived in Batsford House during World War I	
7	Name the river which flows through Bourton-on-the-Water.	
8	Constructed in 19 <sup>th</sup> Century, the Tyndale Monument stands close to North Nibley where William Tyndale is believed to have been born.  Of what achievement does the tower remind us?	
9	What is the name of the Long Barrow at Uley?	
10	Which church is known as 'The Cathedral of the Cotswolds'?	
11	Which town is known as the 'Capital of the Cotswolds'?	
12	In which year was the Thames and Severn Canal opened?  Select your answer from the options a) – c) opposite	<p>a) 1772</p> <p>b) 1810</p> <p>c) 1789</p>

13	Name the <b>TWO</b> rivers which meet at Tewkesbury	a)  b)
14	Name the order to which the monks belonged, who came from Caldey Island to found Prinknash Abbey	
15	What is the full dedication of Gloucester Cathedral?	
16	Name the invention made in the 1940s in which both the engineer Frank Whittle and the Gloster Aircraft Company were involved.	
17	Name the famous battle fought in 1471	
18	Give the modern name for Roman Corinium	
19	What type of mining took place, well into the 20 <sup>th</sup> Century, at Clearwell Caves in the Forest of Dean?	
20	Name the area of the county associated with Robert Forester Mushet (1811-1891) who perfected the Bessemer Process.	
21	Name the person who was born near Gloucester in the mid 1300s and was, four times, Lord Mayor of London.	



22	The Cistercian Abbey of Hailes, near Cheltenham, was founded in 1216 by Richard, Earl of Cornwall as a thank offering. What was Earl Richard grateful for?	
23	Name a town which has the Roman Fosse Way as its High Street	
24	What is Offa's Dyke?	
25	Describe the colour of Double Gloucester cheese.	
26	In which Gloucestershire town/city was the composer Gustav Holst born?	
27	Name the writer you associate with the village of Slad.	
28	In which town/city is the University of Gloucestershire?	
29	Name the Abbot, who in 1085, laid the foundations of the present church, which became and remains still, Gloucester Cathedral	
30	Who instigated the establishment and work of the Wildlife and Wetlands Trust at Slimbridge?	

31	In what year was King Edward II murdered at Berkley Castle?	
32	Where is there a now decommissioned nuclear power station in the county?	

**SOMERSET & BRISTOL**

<b>SOMERSET &amp; BRISTOL</b>		
1	Name the museum which has the largest European collection of naval aircraft and Concorde	
2	Name the seaside resort which, in July 2010, celebrated the rebuilding of its pier. (No date has yet been fixed for the full opening of the pier.)	
3	Name the principal rock found in the Mendip Hills.	
4	Describe the <i>Sweet Track</i> on the Somerset Levels.	
5	Name the King you associate with Athelney	
6	Who was the designer of Blaise Hamlet?	

7	Name the fictional bride whose wedding took place in Oare Church	
8	Name the longest preserved steam railway in England	
9	Name the Somerset village where Samuel Taylor Coleridge lived	
10	Name the town/city in which the annual Hot Air Balloon Fiesta takes place	
11	<p>a) Name the man who had Farleigh Hungerford Castle built.</p> <p>b) In which century did this happen?</p>	<p>a)</p> <p>b)</p>
12	Name the explorers who sailed from Bristol in 1497.	
13	Name the pub in Porlock visited by Southey, Coleridge and Wordsworth.	
14	Name the last Abbot of Glastonbury	
15	To whom/what does the name Jack Blandiver apply in Wells?	

16	Where can you see a stone circle in Somerset?	
17	Name the family whose home was Dunster Castle from 14 <sup>th</sup> to 20 <sup>th</sup> centuries?	
18	Name the county town of Somerset.	
19	<p>a) Give the location, in Somerset, of the Wellington Monument</p> <p>b) How high is it?</p>	<p>a)</p> <p>b)</p>
20	In which town/city is the <i>Vicar's Close</i> ?	
21	What metal did the Roman's mine in the Mendips?	
22	In which town/city is the 'Arnolfini Gallery'?	
23	Name the person who sold his "Discovery Soda Water" in Dowry Street, Bristol in 1812	
24	What important event in the development of shipping took place in Bristol in July 1843?	

25	Name the area of Bristol where the British <i>Concorde</i> aircraft was designed and built	
26	Name <b>ONE</b> site in Glastonbury where there are 'Holy Thorn' trees.	
27	In which town/city are 'Aardman Animations' located? (makers of <i>Wallace and Gromit</i> and <i>Chicken Run</i> )	
28	In which year is it thought King Ine founded a church in Wells?	
29	Name the town/city in Somerset with strong involvement in the modern helicopter industry.	
30	Which of the surviving structures of Glastonbury Abbey is the most complete?	
31	Name the poet whose ashes are buried in East Coker	

**WILTSHIRE**

1	What is the actual meaning of the word 'downs'?	
2	In which decade of the 19 <sup>th</sup> century did the government begin purchasing areas of Salisbury Plain for military purposes?	

3	What is the name of the HQ of the National Trust in Swindon?	
4	Name the man who began his outstanding career in politics by entering Parliament in 1735 as Member for Old Sarum	
5	Name <b>TWO</b> sites in Wiltshire with which the 17 <sup>th</sup> century antiquarian John Aubrey is strongly connected	a) b)
6	Name the bird which appears on the Wiltshire County flag.	
7	Give the present day name of 'Sorbiodunum'	
8	To which architectural period does St John's Church, Devizes belong?	
9	By whom was the ceremony performed in 1990 when the Kennet and Avon Canal reopened along its whole length?	
10	What industry 'created' New Swindon'?	
11	What name is widely and generally used (especially in the context of the Stonehenge monument) to refer to siliceous sandstone rock fragments of preglacial deposits?	

12	In what decade of the 20 <sup>th</sup> century did aerial photography reveal the true nature of the site at Woodhenge discovered?	
13	Name the chalk stream flowing W-E through the southern part of the county from which the county derives its name.	
14	What defence establishment has its headquarters at Larkhill?	
15	Name a site in Wiltshire where you can find a 'doom' painting	
16	What symbol has recently been carved into the chalk at Fovant?	
17	Name the architect who lived at St Mary's Grange Alderbury in the 1830s, who was involved with the restoration of the Hall of John Halle and the building of the Roman Catholic church of St Osmund in Salisbury	
18	In which year did William Henry Fox Talbot create the earliest surviving photographic negative using a camera?	
19	Name the stately home for which Sir Anthony Van Dyke painted a number of portraits which are integral to the plan for the interior decoration of the state rooms.	
20	After whom is the museum at Avebury named?	

21	In which year was Salisbury Cathedral dedicated?	
22	Where could you go to see motor racing in Wiltshire?	
23	Name <b>ONE</b> of the very early military (RFC) airfields in Wiltshire.	
24	For what reason did William the Conqueror summon all landholders to Old Sarum in 1086?	
25	Name the family who created the house and gardens at Stourhead.	
26	a) In which house did John Constable stay when he visited Archdeacon Fisher in Salisbury?  b) What is the building used for now?	a)  b)
27	Name the author of the novels 'The Spire' and 'Lord of the Flies'.	
28	What are the 'Nile Clumps'?	
29	Name the location of a flight of 29 canal locks	



30	In what year was the Box Tunnel (railway) opened?	
31	Name the bishop who rebuilt the castle at Devizes in 1120?	

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