Reading Part 1

Read the texts. Choose the correct answer to complete each text.

1.

Bee Max Men's Sale – now on!

- Jeans
- Tops
- Jackets
- .....
- Suits

a) Cases
b) Shirts
c) Clothes

2.

Hi Pete

Having a great time in Paris.
The bad news is it's raining a lot ……
there are loads of things to do inside.

Love
Cilla

a) and
b) but
c) so

3.

An A-Z of take away food places in Luxton Town

- Bob's Takeaway
- Eat at Home
- Food 4U
- .....
- Pasta Castle
- Pizza To Go

a) Great Pizza
b) Try Tapas
c) Fastest Food!

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4.

Getting to the city centre from the airport is easy. There .....
The airport bus is cheap. Taxis are very expensive.
The train runs only three times a day.

a) is little transport.
b) are cheap journeys.
c) are three choices.

5.

Great Western Trains

Coach C is our quiet coach. Do not .....

a) eat sandwiches.
b) read newspapers.
c) use mobile phones.

6.

Dear Uncle John

Thank you for the money.
I am going to spend it on Saturday ..... I go shopping.
I want some new CDs.

From Mike

a) when
b) before
c) after

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Reading Part 2

Read the text. Choose the correct words to complete each sentence. There is one extra word or phrase you will not need.

Hi Ali

It's my birthday next week. My parents said I can either have a party or go out to dinner. I chose a party **(1)**_____ and everyone is free then. Also, we finish school on Friday **(2)**_____. Maybe you and I can go swimming in the afternoon, **(3)**_____, perhaps until five o'clock. This is because I promised to help Dad **(4)**_____ for half an hour. After that I'm going **(5)**_____ to buy the drinks. The party starts at seven and **(6)**_____.

Hope you can come!

Rajeev

A so there's no homework

B to the shop

C finishes at midnight

D with the barbecue

E so I'm having a party

F for an hour or two

G because my birthday's on Saturday

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Reading Part 3

Read the four texts. Which text gives you the answer to each question? Choose the correct text (A-D) for each question.

A.

B.

Hi Pete

Saw Johnny James last night. What a band!
Brilliant musicians!
You must see him when he plays at Somerton.

Tanya
PS Saw the film 'By Accident' – terrible!

C.

CD of the Week (£11.99)

Rock star, Johnny James, has a new CD out. It's called 'Rock on, Johnny' and is great for parties. Band members Max March (bass) and Cat DeWilde (drums) help to make the music sound fantastic!

D.

Singer in Crash

Johnny James was in
a car crash last night near his house in London. He was not travelling with his band and was not hurt. He is playing the first of two concerts in Somerton tonight. Review in tomorrow's paper.

Which text tells you:

1.	information about the kind of music Johnny plays?	
2.	information about tickets?	
3.	the names of the other musicians?	
4.	news about a motor accident?	
5.	the exact dates of a concert?	
6.	the cost of 'Rock on Johnny'?	
7.	where Johnny lives?	

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Reading Part 4

Read the text and the questions. Choose the correct answer for each question.

Dear Rudy

I had an interview in London yesterday. I flew to Heathrow, one of four airports near London. I decided to take the train, the Heathrow Express, into London, not to save money but because it's faster than a taxi or a bus. I arrived at 10am, waited ten minutes for the train and after a fifteen-minute journey was in London. The company's office is five minutes from Paddington station, so I was soon at AGC Computers!

My interview was with Nick Kane, the Director, but as I walked through the door, guess who I saw? Tim Buckle, an old friend. His wife, Gina Firth, knows my sister. We had a chat and then I went to Mr Kane's office.

I felt nervous before I walked into the room. I only had three hours sleep on Monday night but he was so pleasant my worries disappeared immediately and I felt comfortable.

And... I got the job! The money is the same as I earn now but I get the chance to see the world. I'm going to Tim's house for dinner tonight. He's still the same… tall and thin but now his hair is very short. We have lots to talk about. He and Gina have got three boys and a girl, four kids, and we've got our new baby!

See you.

Lukas

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1. Lukas took the train into London because it was

   a) cheap.
   b) quick.
   c) near.

2. How many minutes did the train from Heathrow to Paddington take?

   a) 5.
   b) 10.
   c) 15.

3. Who did Lukas meet first at AGC Computers?

   a) Nick Kane.
   b) Tim Buckle.
   c) Gina Firth.

4. How did Lukas feel during the interview?

   a) Relaxed.
   b) Tired.
   c) Worried.

5. What does Lukas like about his new job?

   a) Earning more money.
   b) The office in London.
   c) The chance to travel.

6. What's different about Tim?

   a) His height.
   b) His weight.
   c) His hair.

7. How many children has Tim got?

   a) One.
   b) Three.
   c) Four.

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