

PART 1 Questions 1-5

For each question, choose the correct answer.

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- A. Sue will have to cook dinner for the guests this evening.
 B. They need some extra ingredients in order to make dinner.
 C. Mum won't be home in time for dinner tonight.

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**CHANGING ROOMS NOTICE
TO ALL STUDENTS**

Please return all locker keys to the reception before leaving. Unreturned keys are charged at £1.00 a day. The money to replace lost keys is taken from your £10.00 member locker users deposit.

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- A. Lost keys cost £1.00 to replace.
 B. Students pay a total of £11.00 for keys.
 C. Students have paid £10.00 in advance.

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**Bicycle Parking not permitted
Monday to Friday from 9am to 6pm**

During the weekend all traffic is prohibited - pedestrian use only.

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- A. Students can park their bicycles late on Friday night if they wish to.
 B. On weekdays people are not allowed to walk on this road.
 C. On Saturdays you can drive by but not park on this road.

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New message

To: June
 From: Tony
 Re: Weekend

Hi June!
 How about a backpacking weekend? It will be challenging as the weather forecast predicts frequent showers. Hardly sunny camping weather, but we can get comfortable accommodation. Chat later!
 Tony

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- A. The weather is supposed to be warm at the weekend.
 B. The weather is likely to be wet during their trip.
 C. The weather won't stop them going camping.

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AMAZING WINTER SALE

- ❖ all sports clothes half price
- ❖ buy two T-shirts, get one free
- ❖ end-of-season shoes, from an incredible £5 a pair!

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- A. Everything is being sold at half price.
 B. You get a T-shirt at no cost with every sale.
 C. Shoes are sold at a starting price of 5 pounds.

PART 2 Questions 6-10

For each question, choose the correct answer.

The young people below all want to choose a book to read for themselves or someone they love. There are eight book reviews. Decide which book would be the most suitable for each person below.



6. Jake is interested in history, but especially historical figures and buildings. He likes illustrations to help him imagine what life was like in the past. He would love to read an exciting story.

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7. Julia wants to buy a book for her mum. She lives a busy life running her travel company. She enjoys cooking, but wants simple recipe ideas as her free time is limited.

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8. Paul loves mysteries, especially ones where you are left guessing until the very end. He reads every day on the school bus, so the longer the better! He would love something that would grab his attention.

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9. Timothy would like to give a book to his grandad. He is a retired nature photographer of eighty years old. He used to love travelling and learning about different cultures when he was younger.

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10. Sharon and Tom dream of an exciting life and they like being outdoors. They have decided to travel the world for a year and go to unusual places when they finish school.

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NEW BOOKS

A. *The Return*

A mother's missing son turns up at her door one day. He was gone for the past 10 years. Who took him? Where has he been all this time? You won't be disappointed with this excellent crime novel. And if you like to be kept waiting, this is the book for you. It is the first in a series of three, so you won't find out who did it until the third book!

B. *Tasty treats*

This is a great idea for friends or family who can't stop asking themselves and others "What am I supposed to cook today?". Basic simple food, quick to prepare and at a low cost. The author uses ingredients that everybody has in their kitchen cupboards. Nothing complicated, only healthy and convenient.

C. *A Life Well Lived*

A Life Well Lived is an interesting piece of fiction based on the life of Blues singer Billy Holiday. Billy Holiday has been one of the very few musicians who has been such a great inspiration to other musicians as well as music itself. A perfect find for music lovers, or anyone who is interested in the history of Blues music and its influence.

D. *The Long Road*

Although this is quite an old-fashioned book in the way it is written, this excellent translation gives this historical work new life. *The Long Road* is great for history lovers but especially for anybody interested in other cultures and languages. Many may find it boring, but the few who will actually understand it will be amazed.

E. *The History of Food*

Do not rely on the title to get the full picture! It is, in fact, a recipe book but it is based on what people used to eat in the past and is full of interesting food from all around the world. *The History of Food* is a great book for anybody who likes to spend hours in the kitchen.

F. *The Search*

Do you love wildlife and nature? With this book there is no need to bother to get off the sofa to travel to beautiful destinations. It's better than any travel brochure and full of wonderful photography and interesting facts for the curious. You'll feel like you're actually there.

G. *Going to Extremes*

Do you like travelling and taking part in extreme sports? Written by an extreme sports athlete who has done just about everything in every location, this book is the perfect guide to the best places for those who love excitement and want to achieve their dream. A book for the brave ones!

H. *The Emperors*

This is history brought to life for anybody with an interest in the deep drama and danger of Ancient Rome, where life and death depended on the mood of the Emperor. *The Emperors* is beautifully illustrated with interesting information about the architecture and culture of this ancient civilisation.