Test 1

PAPER 1 READING AND WRITING (1 hour 10 minutes)

PART 1

QUESTIONS 1–5

Which notice (A–H) says this (1–5)?
For questions 1–5, mark the correct letter A–H on your answer sheet.

Example:

0 You can't see this in the morning. *Answer:* 0 A B C D E F G H

1 Teenagers can go in here alone.

2 Get your tickets here if you've already paid to see the film.

3 This place doesn't open in the mornings.

4 You can only use this door if you work here.

5 You can't use a credit card here.

A
Star Cinema
New staff member wanted to work evenings

B
This way to staff car park
No exit for cinema customers

C
Booked online by credit card?
Collect tickets from machine near entrance

D
Special Offer!
Teenagers – ask staff about discounts on tickets

E
Children's film
No tickets left for 11 a.m. show – afternoon show only

F
Cash only when paying for sweets

G
Snack bar
Food available from 3 p.m. weekends and 5 p.m. weekdays

H
Children under 12 may only see this film with an adult.

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PART 2



QUESTIONS 6–10

Read the sentences about travelling by plane.
Choose the best word (A, B or C) for each space.
For questions 6–10, mark A, B or C on your answer sheet.

Example:

0 Richard often travels to Canada to ..... his family.

A stay **B** visit **C** spend *Answer:* 0 A B C

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6 The airport gets very ..... at weekends, so Richard travels during the week when it's quieter.

A busy **B** strong **C** heavy

7 Richard ..... has a coffee when he arrives at the airport.

A already **B** once **C** usually

8 Richard ..... looking around the shops before he gets on the plane.

A hopes **B** enjoys **C** wants

9 Richard hates it when there's a ....., as he likes to arrive on time.

A difference **B** moment **C** delay

10 Richard often watches films during the flight, or ..... to the person next to him.

A says **B** tells **C** talks

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PART 3

QUESTIONS 11–15

Complete the five conversations.
For questions 11–15, mark A, B or C on your answer sheet.

Example:

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Where do you come from?



A New York.

B School.

C Home.

Answer: 0 [A] [B] [C]

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11 We've just missed the 3 p.m. train.

A Shall I get it?
B In about an hour.
C Then let's get the next one.

12 Do you want to come to the shops with us?

A That would be great.
B I don't mind it.
C Not very often.

13 I haven't finished packing my suitcase yet.

A I'll take you on holiday.
B When did it happen?
C Well, hurry up then.

14 My sister's just had a baby!

A How lovely!
B I'd love to!
C Yes, she does!

15 Is that Shelley in the blue coat?

A This is Amanda speaking.
B She doesn't want to.
C I think it may be.

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QUESTIONS 16–20

Complete the conversation.
What does Ben say to his mother?
For questions 16–20, mark the correct letter A–H on your answer sheet.

Example:

Mother: So, Ben, did you enjoy your first day back at school?

Ben: 0 ..D.. *Answer:* 0 A B C ■ D E F G H

Mother: Oh, that's good. Are there any new students?

Ben: 16 .....

Mother: Really? Do you think you'll be friends?

Ben: 17 .....

Mother: Why don't you invite him to go at the weekend instead?

Ben: 18 .....

Mother: I'm sure I can find time for that.

Ben: 19 .....

Mother: Good idea. Now, have you got any homework?

Ben: 20 .....

Mother: I'd prefer you to do your homework now, please.

A Maybe. I'm going to ask if he wants to go swimming with me tomorrow.

B Yes, it's too easy for me.

C Alright. Will you be able to drive us?

D Yes, it was fine. We've got some great new teachers.

E Just a little. Can I watch TV first?

F Where shall I meet him?

G Just one. We sat next to each other.

H I'll see what he thinks tomorrow then.

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PART 4

QUESTIONS 21–27

Read the article about a young racing driver.
Are sentences 21–27 'Right' (A) or 'Wrong' (B)?
If there is not enough information to answer 'Right' (A) or 'Wrong' (B), choose 'Doesn't say' (C).
For questions 21–27, mark A, B or C on your answer sheet.

Jann Mardenborough



Jann Mardenborough has loved cars since he was given a toy one as a baby. He loved them so much that when he was eight his father took him to a place where children race small cars called karts. Staff at the kart centre told Jann he drove so well, he might one day become a racing driver. Unfortunately, the kart centre closed soon afterwards, and there wasn't another one near enough to his home that he could get to.

As he couldn't race karts any more, Jann decided to try computer racing games. After lots of practice, he became very good. However, he never told his parents what he was doing. Then, one day, when he was 18, he told them that he was one of the top ten winners of a computer racing competition. They were very surprised. His prize was to drive a real car in a race against the other nine top players.

It was Jann's first time in a racing car, but, amazingly, he won the race! The prize this time was a free course to learn to be a racing driver. He did really well, and has found a job driving in a racing team.

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Example:

0 Jann's love of cars started with a toy.

A Right **B** Wrong **C** Doesn't say *Answer:* 0 A B C

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21 When he was a child, workers at the kart centre said Jann was a good driver.

A Right **B** Wrong **C** Doesn't say

22 Jann stopped racing karts because he became bored with it.

A Right **B** Wrong **C** Doesn't say

23 Jann was good at computer racing games immediately.

A Right **B** Wrong **C** Doesn't say

24 Jann played computer racing games with school friends.

A Right **B** Wrong **C** Doesn't say

25 Jann told his parents about the computer competition after it ended.

A Right **B** Wrong **C** Doesn't say

26 The people Jann raced against were from different countries.

A Right **B** Wrong **C** Doesn't say

27 Jann's parents had to pay for his driving course.

A Right **B** Wrong **C** Doesn't say

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PART 5

QUESTIONS 28–35

Read the article about the history of chocolate.
Choose the best word (A, B or C) for each space.
For questions 28–35, mark A, B or C on your answer sheet.

The History of Chocolate



The history of chocolate began **(0)** ..... three and a half thousand years ago. At that time, people in the Americas **(28)** ..... as the Mayans and the Aztecs grew the beans and made chocolate drinks **(29)** ..... them. Around 1500, Christopher Columbus took cocoa beans to Europe, and chocolate drinks **(30)** ..... became popular in Spain. However, it wasn't until nearly 100 years **(31)** ..... that people started drinking chocolate in **(32)** ..... parts of Europe.

In 1657, a Frenchman opened the first chocolate house in London. The drink was expensive, so only rich people **(33)** ..... enjoy it. Chocolate continued to become more popular, **(34)** ..... it wasn't until 1847 that the first modern chocolate bar was **(35)** ..... . Now chocolate is available everywhere, and we also eat it in foods like cakes, biscuits and sweets.

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Example:

0 **A** above **B** between **C** over *Answer:* 0 A B C

28 **A** such **B** most **C** much

29 **A** by **B** in **C** from

30 **A** soon **B** ever **C** already

31 **A** late **B** later **C** latest

32 **A** both **B** other **C** every

33 **A** must **B** need **C** could

34 **A** but **B** because **C** when

35 **A** making **B** make **C** made

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PART 6

QUESTIONS 36–40

Read the descriptions of some words about spending time outdoors.
What is the word for each one?
The first letter is already there. There is one space for each other letter in the word.
For questions 36–40, write the words on your answer sheet.

Example:

0 You can do this activity in the sea or in a pool. **s** _ _ _ _ _ _ _

Answer: | 0 | s w i m m i n g |

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36 This is by the sea and you can lie here in the sun. **b** _ _ _ _

37 You sleep in a tent when you do this activity. **c** _ _ _ _ _ _

38 You take this meal with you and eat it outside. **p** _ _ _ _ _

39 This place has grass and trees and people go there to enjoy being outside. **p** _ _ _

40 You play this sport with a racket and ball. **t** _ _ _ _ _

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