

1. Listen to the conversation and mark the statements

True (1),

False (2),

Not Stated (3).

1. Tom doesn't know how to start studying.
2. Tom thinks that music helps people study.
3. Tom puts the dog outside.
4. Tom's mum recommends having a sandwich on the desk.
5. Tom doesn't want to turn off his phone at first.
6. Tom needs the internet to study.
7. Tom uses Internet both on the phone and the computer.
8. Tom's going to turn off his messages.
9. Tom thinks his mum has helped him.

2. Put the verbs in brackets into past perfect or past perfect continuous.

1. He _____ (walk) for an hour before he reached the cabin.
2. She was tired because she _____ (not/sleep) the previous night.
3. Greg _____ (look) for his book for two hours before he found it.
4. They were lost because they _____ (not/take) a map with them.
5. He _____ (work) since morning on his computer and his eyes were red.

3. Choose the correct item.

1. What time _____ the concert start last night?
1. will 2. do 3. does 4. did
2. It began to rain while we _____ to the opera.
1. went 2. had gone 3. were going 4. had been going
3. Jack _____ work as an usher at a theatre.
1. uses 2. use to 3. used to 4. was used to
4. We _____ pictures of the artefacts yesterday.
1. took 2. had taken 3. were taking 4. used to take
5. He was afraid because he _____ a ghost.
1. had seen 2. was seeing 3. had been seen 4. had been seeing
6. At 7 pm yesterday, Jane _____ on the Net.
1. surfed 2. had surfed 3. was surfing 4. had been surfing
7. They _____ to the theatre last night.
1. went 2. had gone 3. were going 4. had been going
8. When Ryan was only four he _____ his own music.
1. composed 2. has composed 3. was composing 4. had been composing
9. Tim _____ the wrong bus and ended up in a remote village.
1. took 2. was taking 3. used to take 4. had been taking
10. They got lost in the forest because they _____ a compass with them.
1. hadn't taken
2. weren't taking
3. didn't use to take
4. hadn't been taking
11. When Ryan was young he _____ to go fishing.
1. use 2. using 3. was used. 4. used

12. They _____ when they got a flat tyre.
 1. drove 2. had driven 3. were driving 4. had been driving
13. Did Ann _____ play the violin as a child?
 1. use 2. using 3. used 4. use to
14. They _____ at University when they met.
 1. studied 2. had studied 3. were studying 4. had been studying
15. Mary checked her emails after she _____ her assignment.
 1. finished 2. had finished 3. was finishing 4. had been finishing

4. Read the text about an unusual place. Read the text and mark the statements

True (1),

False (2),

Not Stated (3).

Kungur Ice Cave

Kungur Ice Cave is near the town of Kungur in the Ural Mountains in Russia. It is one of the biggest and most fascinating caves in the world and is the only cave in Russia that has been adapted for tourist excursions.

People say that Kungur Ice Cave is like a labyrinth inside. It consists of a network of passages and a number of grottos of various sizes. Some of these grottos are fifty to a hundred metres in diameter and up to twenty metres in height. In all, the cave contains about 60 lakes, over 20 grottos, and around 6000 metres of passages. Currently, tourists have access to about 1.5 km of these passages.

The Kungur Ice Cave has become a very popular attraction over the years thanks to its impressive ice formations, and it now receives over 90,000 visitors a year. An excursion through Kungur Cave is a truly unique experience. Visitors are amazed and delighted by its beauty and charm once they enter. As they continue into its depths, they get a feeling of dizziness because the high level of oxygen in the air and the thought of getting lost in its labyrinths is frightening for some people. The main grottos have their own names. The first one tourists get to see is the 'Brilliant'. It is full of breathtaking crystal formations of different shapes. Lights shine on them and make them sparkle with different colours.

The Meteor Grotto is also quite impressive and even scary for some visitors, as it is always in complete darkness.

The 'Titanic' is famous for its big underground lake and is one of the most interesting grottos.

The Long Grotto, as its name suggests, is the longest grotto in Kungur Ice Cave, measuring around 200 metres. It has a number of small lakes with crystal clear water and an entrance to the reserved part of the cave where scientists carry out research. When leaving the cave visitors often get a feeling of returning from a long voyage to the centre of the Earth. The best time to visit Kungur Ice Cave is in late spring when the ice stalactites reach their maximum size. The cave is easy to reach from major towns and numerous travel agencies organise excursions. Remember to wear warm clothes and comfortable footwear during the trip.



1. The Kungur Ice Cave is now open to the public.
2. Kungur Cave is the only ice cave in Russia.
3. There isn't much oxygen in the cave.
4. Some people have to leave the cave because they are so afraid.
5. Tourists usually drink the clear water of the Cave.
6. You can visit the cave all year round.