

## English Written Exam (November 2021)

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### **Part 1: Comprehension**

Read and answer the questions

### **Marty the Clownfish**

Marty was sad in the sea. As a clownfish, he felt like he should be funny. As a clownfish, he wasn't funny.

He wasn't funny at all. He was very serious and didn't make anyone laugh.

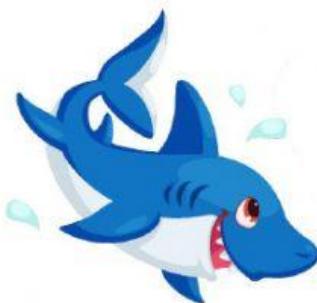
He told jokes to the lionfish, but they didn't laugh. He told jokes to the dogfish, but they didn't laugh either.

“I'm a clownfish and I should be funny,”  
Marty said aloud.



“You don’t have to be funny,” said a shark from nearby. “You are kind and helpful. You are friendly and smart.”

“But clowns make people laugh, so a clownfish should make fish laugh,” said Marty.



“The lionfish don’t act like lions. The dogfish don’t act like dogs,” the shark told him.

“Marty, just be yourself.”

So Marty did just that. He stopped trying to tell jokes. Soon, the fish all liked him. Soon, he had a lot of fish friends.

One day, Marty said, “I’m going to tell you all a joke.”

“Marty, no! No more jokes!”  
Marty said, “Just kidding!”

**Questions:**

**1. Complete the sentences**

As a clownfish, Marty felt like he should be -

\_\_\_\_\_.

Marty was very \_\_\_\_\_ and didn't make anyone laugh.

"You are \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_. You are \_\_\_\_\_ and smart."

"Marty, just be \_\_\_\_\_. " said the shark.

One day, Marty said, "I'm going to tell you all a

\_\_\_\_\_."

**2. Select the correct answer**

- In the story who helps Marty?

Ray-fish

Shark

Lionfish

- At the end of the story what does Marty want to do to his friend?

Read a book

Salsa Dance

Tell a joke

- Marty lives in the .....

sea

pond

river