

ENGLISH MIDDLE TEST

Full name:

Class:



Time: 45 minutes

I. LISTENING

1. Listen to a talk between Mrs Mai and two students about their favourite programmes. Fill each of the gaps with **NO MORE THAN THREE WORDS OR A NUMBER**. You will listen **TWICE**.

| | Programme Name | Channel | Content | Feelings |
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| Mi | Kids' Funs | (1) _____ | funny (2) _____ | fun and relaxing to watch |
| Tom | (3) _____ | Discovery | a gigantic shark | (4) _____ |
| Mrs Mai | Journey to Space | 9 | (5) _____ | interesting |

2. Listen to a teenager talking about his favourite TV programme. Decide if the statements are true (T) or false (F). Circle T or F. You will listen **TWICE**.

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| 1. He doesn't have a job. | T | F |
| 2. He likes reality shows. | T | F |
| 3. In <i>Big Brother</i> people stay together in a flat. | T | F |
| 4. He says celebrities appear in <i>Big Brother</i> . | T | F |
| 5. Viewers vote for the people they like. | T | F |

3. Listen to Lan describing her future house. Decide if the statements are true (T) or false (F). Circle T or F. You will listen **TWICE**.

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| 1. Lan's dream house will be huge. | T | F |
| 2. Lan loves music. | T | F |
| 3. There will be different machines in each room. | T | F |
| 4. There will be a swimming pool for both adults and children. | T | F |
| 5. Lan loves to have flowers on balconies. | T | F |

4. Listen to Tom talking about his dream house. Tick the things in his house. There are TWO things that will NOT be in his house. You will listen TWICE

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|-------|-----------------|
| _____ | wi-fi TV |
| _____ | secret entrance |
| _____ | diamond room |
| _____ | Mario posters |
| _____ | rainless beach |
| _____ | environment |
| _____ | computer |

II. READING

1. Read the TV programmes. Decide if the statements are true (T) or false (F). Circle T or F.

| CHANNEL 1 | CHANNEL 2 |
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| 6.00 The news and weather. 6.30 South-East today. <i>Local news.</i> 7.00 Film. Dr Doolittle. <i>Funny story.</i> 8.10 Music Box. <i>An hour of pop music.</i> 10.00 News and weather. 10.15 On catwalk. <i>Fashion magazine.</i> 11.00 Kwaidan. <i>A Japanese fairy-tale.</i> 12.00 ATP World Tour. <i>Tennis from Wimbledon.</i> | 6.00 Tom and Jerry. <i>Cat and mouse fun.</i> 6.15 Animal World. <i>All about dolphins.</i> 7.00 Premier League. <i>Football news.</i> 8.00 Friends. <i>Situational comedy.</i> 9.10 News and weather. 9.30 Frankenstein. <i>A scary film for adults.</i> 11.10 Top 10. <i>Music chart. Great rock!</i> 12.00 News Headlines. |

1. You can watch the news twice on Channel 1.
2. The animal programme starts at 6 o'clock.
3. The fashion magazine lasts for 45 minutes.
4. Music box offers rock music.
5. Frankenstein is not for children.

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| T | F |
| T | F |
| T | F |
| T | F |
| T | F |

2. Read the passage and answer the questions.

Watching television is an interesting and fun activity. The first television broadcast in Australia was in 1956. Back then, the pictures on a TV were black and white only. Television has changed a lot since then.

There are several channels and they show different TV programmes. In Western Australia, the main channels are ABC, Seven, Nine, Ten, and SBS. TV guides tell us what programmes are showing on which channel, and at what time on a day.

Many programmes on television are episodes. They are part of a series. These episodes usually last for either 30 minutes or a full hour. At the weekend there are interesting films. You can watch them instead of going to the cinema.

1. When was the first Australian TV broadcast?

2. How were the pictures on a TV then?

3. List any three TV channels in Western Australia.

4. Where can you find out the time of your favourite TV show

5. How long do episodes on TV usually last for?

III. WRITING

1. What do you say in these situations? Write the sentences, using imperatives.

Here is an example.

0. *Your friends are making a lot of noise, and you want them to stop.*

Answer: 0. *Please, stop making noise.*

1. The cat is scratching the carpet, and you want it to stop.

2. The teacher wants her students to close their books.

3. The teacher reminds students to do homework.

4. The mother tells the boy to bring his umbrella.

5. You tell your friend not to copy your homework.

2. For each question, complete the second sentence so that it means the same as the first. Use the word in brackets. You CANNOT change the form of the word given. Write NO MORE THAN THREE WORDS.

1. Peter hasn't been to Viet Nam.
Peter _____ to Viet Nam. (NEVER)
2. Sydney is not as hot as Rio de Janeiro.
Rio de Janeiro is _____ Sydney. (HOTTER)
3. New York is larger than São Paolo. Tokyo is larger than New York.
Tokyo is _____ among three cities. (LARGEST)

6. Asia, Africa, America and Europe are _____.
A. countries B. worlds C. continents
7. The air in Ha Noi is so _____ that it's hard to breathe.
A. dangerous B. polluted C. noisy
8. _____ to Ha Noi are often surprised by its busy traffic.
A. Guests B. Visitors C. Friends
9. Eiffel Tower is a famous _____ in Paris.
A. architecture B. creature C. landmark
10. This _____ building has been here for centuries.
A. historic B. major C. common