

Read the text about fun championships.

Choose **ONE** word to complete the gaps. Use each word only once. There is one

EXAMPLE. There is one word you do not need.

EXAMPLE: competition

loser

longer

possible

champion

Fun Day in Our School

competition

Last Thursday, our school held Fun Championships. It included a variety of events chosen to see who can do some unusual activities for the longest.

The first event was a contest to find out who can stand on one leg the longest with their eyes closed. Most students could only do it for a few seconds. The winner was my friend Ali. He could stand like that much **1.** _____ than anybody else in the whole school. I was very impressed.

The next one was the 'keep-a-straight-face' contest. Two students sat facing each other and tried not to laugh or close their eyes. The boy who could last the longest was the **2.** _____. It was Rashid Mohammed in Grade 11 who won this contest. Everybody watching the event was laughing, but not him. I don't know how he managed it.

My favourite event was the orange eating competition - the contestants tried to eat as many oranges as **3.** _____ in three minutes. I won this one, but it was very messy. I had to clean my khandoorra afterwards.

Read the text and answer the questions.

For each question (4 – 7), choose the correct answer **A**, **B** or **C**.

There is one **EXAMPLE**.

Hamad's Travels

My name is Hamad. My wife's name is Nadia and we have two children. Our daughter Shamma is 16 and our son Adnan is 14 years old now. I work as an engineer for an international company. Because of my job, my family and I have had to live in different countries with a variety of environments.

My first job abroad was in the polar regions of Norway. When we moved there, Adnan was only three and Shamma was five. We lived in a small town there for two years and it was sometimes difficult because everything was covered with ice and snow.

After that, we moved to Kenya, which has a very different environment. It is a hot country and it rains a lot there. Much of Kenya is covered with rainforest, which looks very beautiful. I worked in a small town in the mountains, but we lived in a big city there. Sometimes, we went on trips to small villages in the rainforest. The children and I loved those trips. However, my wife didn't enjoy them because she thought some animals could be dangerous to the children.

Two years ago, we moved to the capital of Egypt, Cairo. Here, we go to the desert every weekend. It can be very hot, and it almost never rains here, but we all like this environment the most because it feels a lot like our home in Abu Dhabi.

EXAMPLE: Hamad is _____.

- A** 16 years old
- B** Shamma's brother
- C** ~~married~~

4. Hamad and his family lived in Norway for _____.

- A** two years
- B** three years
- C** five years

5. In Kenya, Hamad did his job in a _____.

- A** village
- B** city
- C** town

6. Who didn't like trips to the rainforest?

- A** hammad
- B** Nadia
- C** Adnan

7. Hamad and his family are from _____.

- A** the UAE
- B** Kenya
- C** Egypt