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Read the text and look at the test questions. Before you answer the test questions, go on to the Further Practice and Guidance page which follows.

For questions **25–34**, read the text below. Use the word given in capitals at the end of some of the lines to form a word that fits in the gap **in the same line**. There is an example at the beginning **(0)**.

Write your answers **IN CAPITAL LETTERS on the separate answer sheet**.

Example: **0** ACCORDING

The backache generation

Young people are suffering ten times more back pain than their parents did at the same age, **(0)** ..... to a survey. It found that they are suffering from long hours spent hunched over PCs and computer games. Creaking knees and stooped shoulders are also affecting teenagers and young people, not just the **(25)** ..... Figures from the survey show that **(26)** ..... knees are afflicting 63 per cent of under-18s, in **(27)** ..... with only three per cent of 55-year-olds who had knee problems in their **(28)** ..... . The survey blames lack of exercise, **(29)** ..... lifestyles and longer working hours. Lack of opportunity to get off the **(30)** ..... and walk on a natural landscape is also responsible for problems like backache, ankle **(31)** ..... and joint pain, it says. More than eight out of ten of those surveyed only ever walk on concrete. Joshua Wies, a physiotherapist said: 'It is very **(32)** ..... that under-18s are experiencing problems that are usually associated with the pensioners. Are we going to start seeing teenagers having **(33)** ..... for hip problems, something that was completely **(34)** ..... just a decade ago?'

ACCORD

ELDER

PAIN

COMPARE

YOUNG

ACT

PAVE

INJURE

WORRY

TREAT

KNOW