



TEENS I – FINAL EXAM

SECTION A: READING AND COMPREHENSION

Read the text and circle the correct option T (true) F (false)

New message

Recipients: Mary

Subject: House in the Clouds

Hello from Thorpeness! It's a small village in the east of England and we're staying here right now. We usually stay in a hotel when we go on holiday but this time we've got a house for two weeks. It's called the 'House in the Clouds' because it's about 21 metres high!

This is a really interesting house. It's special. It's different. About 90 years ago, it was a water tower. You don't see many water towers nowadays. They're tall buildings and they contain water for all the houses around them. Water towers are usually ugly but a very intelligent architect designed a fantastic house from the old water tower. About 25 men worked there. They painted the place, decorated the rooms and, in 1977, they converted the building into a house, a house in the clouds.

I am in this house now. My bedroom is on the fourth floor so I can see Thorpeness beach and the sea. I love this place and my parents are very happy too.

See you all!
Lily

They never stay in the hotel when they go on holiday.

T / F

They have the house for two weeks.

T / F

It's called the "The House in the Clouds" because it has got a lot of trees

around.

T / F

About 90 years ago it was a castle

T / F

Lily's room is on the fourth floor.

T / F

SECTION B. LANGUAGE IN USE

- I. Match the questions (1-6) with the aswers (a-h). There are **two extra aswers**.

1. Hello Max, how was your weekeend?
2. Really? Was the show good?
3. Did you see any animals at the circus?
4. No, I didn't. I was sick and I have to stay at home.
5. Yes, I'm ok now, thanks. Do you have any plans for the next weekend?
6. Yes, I'd love to go with you to the concert. How much are the tickets?

A. Yes, it was amazing. There was a trapeze artist and a lot of clowns.
B. My weekend was excellent. I went to the circus with my family.
C. No, I didn't see animals. The presenter said elephants and lions can't be in the circus. They have to be in their natural habitat. What about you? Did you do anything?
D. Don't worry about the money. The tickets aren't very expensive. I will ask my mum. We can pick you up at your house.
E. I don't like singing.
F. I don't know. I think I'm going to go to the concert. Do you want to come?
G. My sister goes to the theatre every weekend.
H. Oh, I'm sorry. Are you feeling better now?

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- II. Read the text. Circle the right words to complete the blanks.

Wild camping 0) is a popular outdoor activity in Britain. It means camping without the comforts of a campsite, like showers or shops. Everyone can enjoy wild camping – you just need a tent, a sleeping bag and warm clothes. It's also a good idea to learn

some basic survival skills: how to build a shelter, find food or purify water. The 1)_____ important thing is to respect nature. You 2)_____ build fires or cut off trees and you must always take away your rubbish. There 3)_____ two things you can't forget: sunscreen and mosquito repellent. Phoebe Smith is 4)_____ expert wild camper. She often 5)_____ in a blog about 6)_____ adventures. Last year she 7)_____ a book. She goes camping when it's sunny, cloudy or rainy. She usually sleeps in a tent but sometimes she finds old buildings and caves and she stays there. And when the weather is good, she loves 8)_____ outside 9)_____ she can look at the stars.

So what do you think? 10)_____ you survive in the wild?

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2	MUST	ARE	MUSTN'T
3	ARE	IS	AREN'T
4	A	AN	ANY
5	POSTS	POST	POSTING
6	THEIR	HIS	HER
7	WRITING	WROTE	READS
8	SLEEPS	SLEEP	SLEEPING
9	BUT	BECAUSE	WHY
10	MUST	CAN	ARE

III. Answer the questions about you. Use full sentences.

1) What's your favourite music?

2) How often do you go to the theatre?

3) Why do you study English?

4) What did you do the last Saturday?

5) What are you going to do the next week?

SECTION C. WRITING

Choose **ONE** of the following options and write 40 words on it.

- A. You went on holiday last week. Write an e-mail to a friend and tell him/her about your trip.

Include the following points:

- Where you went
- Who you went with
- The activities you did there

- B. Write a paragraph about your favourite music star.

Include the following points:

- Where is he/she from
- What music she/he plays
- Why you like him/her