

SPEAKING (20)

A. Work with a partner. Take turns to be a passenger and a ticket seller.

Student A: You are a passenger at Mysore station in south India. You want to get a single first-class ticket for the next train to Bangalore. Ask....

- When it departs/arrives
- The journey time
- The price
- The platform number

Student B: You work at the ticket office in Mysore station in south India. Look at the information about the next train to Bangalore and answer student A's questions.

	Times	Journey time	Ticket price (rupees)	Platform
Mysore to Bangalore	depart: 14.15 arrive: 16.25	2 hours 10 mins	995 (1st class)	3

LANGUAGE FOR SPEAKING

at the train station

Ticket seller

- Can I help you?
- When would you like to leave?
- Would you like a single or return?

Passenger

- When's the next train (to....)?
- How much does a single sleeper cost?
- How long does it take?
- Which platform does it leave?

LISTENING (20)

B. Listen and circle the tense of the verb you hear.

1. present / past
2. present / past
3. present / past
4. present / past
5. present / past

C. Listen and complete the sentences with the word you hear.

1. _____ a lot of photos?
2. _____ to work by train?
3. _____ the bus?
4. _____ on Fridays?
5. _____ near you?

WRITING/GRAMMAR (25)

D. Complete the sentences with the correct form of *get*, *take* or *have*.

1. I _____ a lot of text messages from my best friend.
2. When we get home from work, we always _____ something to eat.
3. Kati and Lina _____ a long time to get dressed before a party.
4. You should _____ a taxi late at night.
5. I used my new camera to _____ photos on holiday.

6. Siri likes to _____ a shower in the evening.
7. When I'm with my sister, we always _____ a lot of fun.
8. My grandmother likes to _____ a sleep after lunch in the afternoon.
9. They always _____ a good time on holiday.
10. I _____ hundreds of emails at work every day.

E. Complete the conversation with questions.

- Sergei** ¹ _____ go on holiday?
Nuala I went to Germany.
Sergei ² _____ like it?
Nuala Yes, I did. It was really interesting.
Sergei ³ _____ do there?
Nuala I went to the countryside and visited lots of castles.
Sergie That sounds nice. ⁴ _____ go with?
Nuala I went with my parents.
Sergei ⁵ _____ like it too?
Nuala Yes, they liked it a lot. We all want to go back next year.

F. Complete the sentences. Choose the correct answer a, b or c.

1. You _____ take the bus. It takes a really long time so it's not a good idea.
a) should b) have to c) shouldn't
2. Most museums in London are free so you _____ pay.
a) have to b) don't have to c) shouldn't
3. People _____ take a break when they drive for a long time.
a) should b) have to c) shouldn't
4. Children _____ wear a seat belt in the back seat. It's the law.
a) don't have to b) have to c) should
5. I think old people _____ have someone to take care of them.
a) should b) shouldn't c) don't have to
6. Tourists from other countries _____ show their passports at the airport when they arrive.
a) should b) have to c) don't have to
7. You _____ get the train because it is quicker than the bus.
a) have to b) should c) shouldn't
8. You _____ show your passport and be under sixteen to buy a child's ticket.
a) have to b) don't have to c) should
9. Passengers _____ get a ticket before they get on the bus because they can't buy one from the driver.
a) have to b) don't have to c) shouldn't
10. My brother _____ get up early tomorrow for a very important job interview at 9.00 a.m.
a) should b) doesn't have to c) has to

READING (20)

G. Read the text and answer the questions. Use one or two words from the text for each answer.

My favourite travel book is called *Eight Feet in the Andes*. It is a true story about a journey in Peru, in South America. The story is about a mother and her daughter who travel 2,000 kilometres across the Andes Mountains with a horse. The 'eight feet' in the title are two for the writer, Dervla, two for Rachael, her daughter, and four for the horse! They started the journey in the north of the country and went south for nine months on foot. Sometimes they stayed with local people in villages, but most of the time they slept under the stars.

Because the air is so thin in the high mountains, the journey was slow. The journey was sometimes dangerous because of the weather. They were very high up in the mountains – over 3,000 metres most of the time – so there were many storms and a lot of rain. It was important to find food for the horse every day because it carried their things. So, at times, Dervla and Rachael didn't have any food for themselves.

You should read this book if you like travel adventures.

1. How far did they walk? _____
2. How long did the journey take? _____
3. How did they travel? _____
4. What did the horse need every day? _____
5. What made the journey dangerous? _____

H. Read the text again. Decide if the sentences are true (T) or false (F). If there is no information about this, choose 'not given' (NG).

1. They began their journey in the south of Peru. _____
2. They often slept outside. _____
3. There were some dangerous animals in the mountains. _____
4. The trip was slow because Dervla and Rachael carried everything. _____
5. This book is good for people who like history. _____