

Test 2

Reading and Writing

Part 1

- 10 questions -

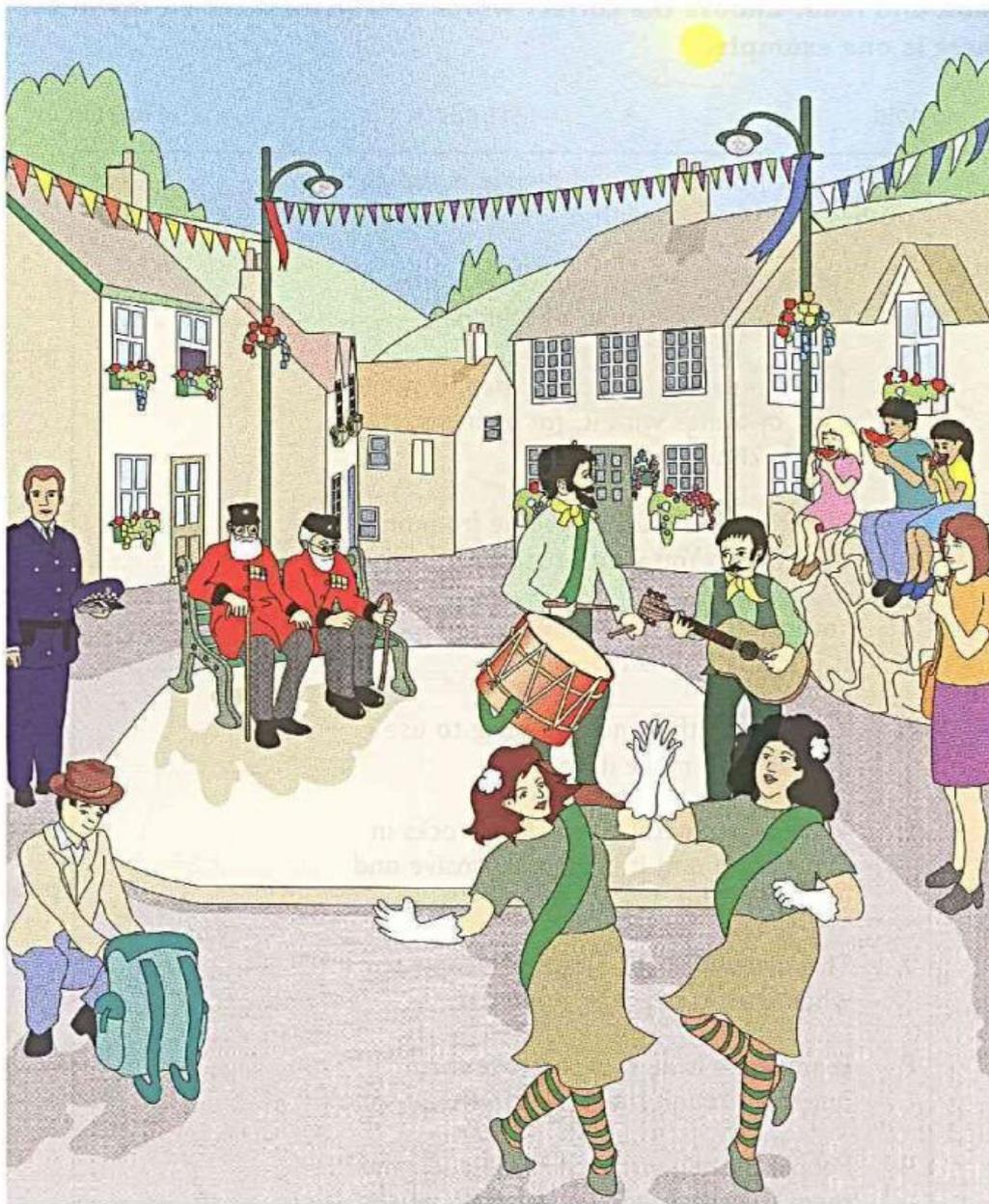
Look and read. Choose the correct words and write them on the lines.
There is one example.

	gold	newspapers	a train
	This comes from sheep and people make warm clothes and blankets with it.		wool
scissors	1	If you want to post a letter you usually have to put this on the envelope.	
	2	This comes from trees and people make a lot of things with it, for example, tables, chairs and shelves.	glass
	3	This can take a lot of people from one place to another. You wait at stations for it.	
soap	4	You use this to draw straight lines. It is made of plastic.	wool
	5	You ride on this and you have to use your legs to make it go.	
postcards	6	This yellow metal comes from rocks in the ground and it is very expensive and very beautiful.	paper
	7	This usually smells nice and people use it when they wash their hands.	
	8	If someone is ill, this can take them quickly through the traffic to the hospital.	
a ruler	9	People usually write on these and send them to their friends and family when they are on holiday.	a lorry
	10	Windows are made of this because you can see through it, but it is easy to break.	
wood	a stamp	a bicycle	an ambulance

Part 2

- 7 questions -

Look and read. Write **yes** or **no**.



Examples

The children who are sitting on the wall are eating a watermelon.

.....yes.....

It is a cold and cloudy day and everything is wet.

.....no.....

Questions

- 1 The women who are dancing are wearing white gloves and tights with stripes.
- 2 The man with a brown hat has just put a heavy rucksack on his back.
- 3 Two old men with beards are standing near the people who are dancing.
- 4 The man who is playing the drum is taller than the man who is playing the guitar.
- 5 There are some plants and flowers in boxes under the windows of the houses.
- 6 The policeman has lost his hat and he is looking for it.
- 7 The three lines of flags are all the same colour.

Part 3

- 5 questions -

Alex is talking to her mum about going out.

Read the conversation and choose the best answer. Write a letter (A-H) for each answer.

You do not need to use all the letters. There is one example.

Example	
	Mum: There's a new swimming pool in the city. Would you like to go?
	Alex: C

1  **Alex:** When can we go? This morning?

 **Mum:**

2  **Alex:** Where is the swimming pool?

 **Mum:**

3  **Alex:** How are we going to get there, Mum?

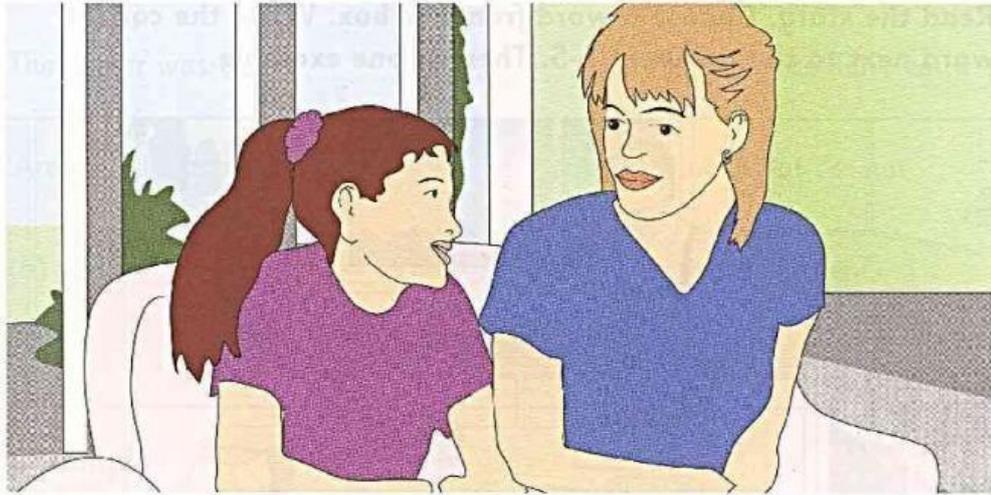
 **Mum:**

4  **Alex:** What shall I take with me?

 **Mum:**

5  **Alex:** Can I bring my friend, Jane? She loves swimming, too.

 **Mum:**



- A By bus, I think. That's quickest.
- B Yes. Call her now.
- C Yes, I would. What a great idea! **(Example)**
- D Because we walked all the way!
- E No, not until after lunch.
- F Just put all your swimming things in your sports bag.
- G Come on! Let's do that now.
- H It's over the bridge near the station.

Part 4

– 6 questions –

Read the story. Choose a word from the box. Write the correct word next to the numbers 1–5. There is one example.



Last Saturday afternoon, Mr Brown said to his children, Betty and William,
 'I'm going to *cook* the dinner today. There's a lot of
 food in the fridge so we don't need to go to the **(1)**

. Don't eat anything before dinner.'

Mr Brown made a cake first. He broke some chocolate into pieces and put
 it in a **(2)** on the table. The chocolate looked nice.

He put one piece in his mouth, then another and then some more. Then he
 made a pizza. He found some cheese for the top. He

(3) the cheese into pieces with a knife. He ate a

piece then he ate some more. Then he made soup. He tried it with a spoon. Then he tried it again.

The dinner was (4) _____, but Mr Brown couldn't eat it.

'Are you ill?' asked Betty. 'No. I'm fine,' said Mr Brown. 'But I'm not

(5) _____ because I ate too much in the kitchen!

Example				
cook	ready	high	store	ticket
hungry	grew	cut	bowl	spend

(6) Now choose the best name for this story.

Tick one box.

Mr Brown buys too much food

Mr Brown eats too much

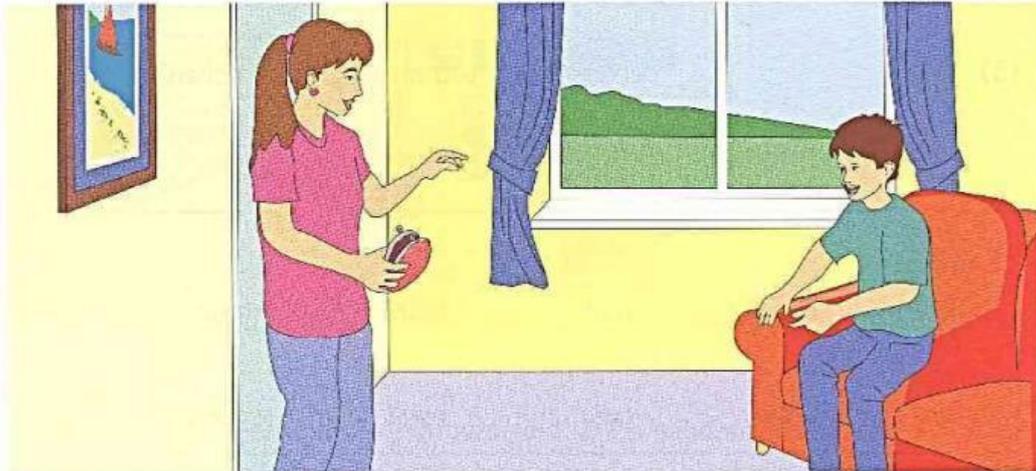
Mr Brown is ill

Part 5

– 7 questions –

Look at the picture and read the story. Write some words to complete the sentences about the story. You can use 1, 2, 3 or 4 words.

David's busy morning



It was Saturday morning and David's mother had lots of work to do. David's baby sister, Katy, was only two and a half, and David's father, who was a fireman, always worked at the fire station until midnight. David was fourteen. He liked reading books about animals, reading magazines about computers and watching football on the television. At 11 o'clock, he was lying on the sofa in the living room when his mother came in.

'I want to get some medicine from the chemist's and some fruit and vegetables from the supermarket. Katy is sleeping so I can't take her with me. You can stay here with her, or go to the shops for me. Which job do you want to do?' It was a hot day and David didn't want to go out. 'I'll stay with Katy,' he said. 'That will be easier.'

David's mother left, but Katy only slept for five more minutes, and then she woke up. 'David play with Katy!' she shouted. David gave her some toys, then read her a story. Then he found some paints for her and she painted a picture. After that, he had to tidy Katy's room. When his mother came home, he said, 'I've been very busy and I'm very tired now! I chose the wrong job, Mum!!'

Examples

David's mother had to do lots of work

David's baby sister was two and a half years old.

Questions

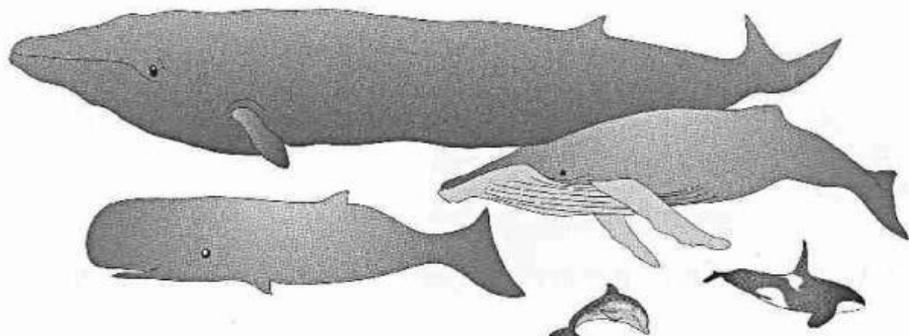
- 1 David's dad wasn't at home because he didn't finish work until *
- 2 David liked reading about and computers.
- 3 David was in when his mum came to talk to him.
- 4 David's mum needed to go to the supermarket to get some *
- 5 David decided to stay because he didn't want to go into the town.
- 6 When Katy woke up she said, '.....'.
- 7 The job that David chose made him feel *

Part 6

- 10 questions -

Read the text. Choose the right words and write them on the lines.

Whales



Whales are sea animals that look like very big fish. But whales are different from fish because their babies *stay* with their

1 mothers and drink their mother's milk a year or more.

2 Whales are also different from fish because they to

3 swim up to the top of the water take air in every 30 or 40 minutes.

4 are two different kinds of whales: whales with teeth and

5 whales without teeth. One kind of whale that have teeth

6 is the Blue Whale. Blue Whales are the animals in the world, but they only eat very small sea animals. These are

7 'krill'.

Dolphins are a kind of whale with teeth. They eat fish and live in

8 family groups. They learn quickly and people swim with

9 dolphins never them because they are very clever, friendly and beautiful.

Whales have strange songs which they whistle or sing under the water.

10 These songs are very loud. The whale is noisier all other animals.

Example	stay	stays	staying
1	of	since	for
2	has	have	had
3	at	by	to
4	There	They	Those
5	doesn't	don't	didn't
6	big	bigger	biggest
7	called	calling	call
8	which	who	when
9	forget	forgot	forgotten
10	or	from	than

Part 7

- 5 questions -

Read the diary and write the missing words. Write one word on each line.



Saturday December 29

Example

I *had* a great time in the snow today with my friends.

- 1 We took our sledges to the of the hill and raced them down to the bottom. After a few hours it was too dangerous
- 2 go up there because the snow on the hill was like ice.
- 3 But it will snow again tonight, Mum says, so we are to do it again tomorrow.
- 4 This, when I came home for my dinner, my fingers
- 5 blue, so I've got some warmer gloves for tomorrow.