

PRACTISE TEST 16/1

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For each question, choose the correct answer.

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- A The changing rooms are now in a different place.
- B Swimmers can't take their stuff into the pool area.
- C Don't forget your shoes, bags and towels before you go.

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- A Guests should only return room keys on the last day of their visit.
- B If there's no-one at reception, guests should keep their room keys with them.
- C The hotel looks after the room keys when guests go out for the day.

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- A The sports centre manager is looking for students to do reception work.
- B There are summer jobs in the sports centre café starting from next week.
- C The sports centre has holiday jobs for students to work as sports coaches.

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- A There are no lifts working at the moment.
- B This lift is only for people with children.
- C Customers should take the stairs or another lift.

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- A Visitors' phones won't work inside the hospital building.
- B Visitors should speak to hospital staff if they need to use a phone.
- C Visitors mustn't use their phones anywhere inside the hospital.

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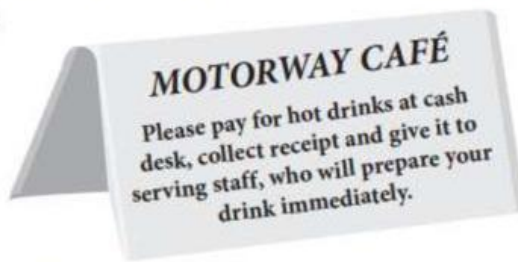


What does this notice say?

- A The way out of the museum is on this floor.
- B Visitors should use a different door to leave the museum.
- C Ask a member of staff to show you where to leave the museum.

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- A If you're only buying hot drinks, please pay in cash.
- B The waiters will tell you how much to pay for your hot drinks.
- C Collect your hot drinks after you have paid for them.

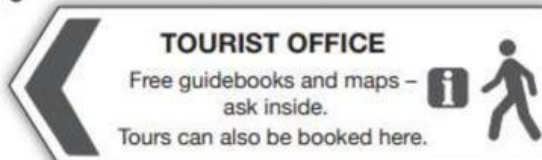
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What does this notice say?

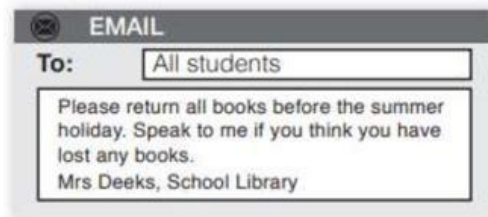
- A There are still some appointments available for today.
- B The dentist may see you if you haven't booked an appointment.
- C When you book an appointment, we can't tell you how much it will cost.

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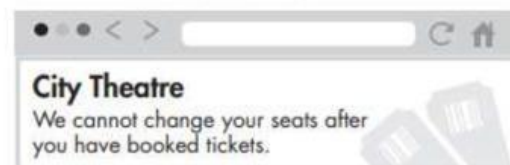
- A Buy a guidebook from the tourist office.
- B Collect a map from the tourist office.
- C Tours leave from the tourist office.

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- A See Mrs Deeks if you can't find the books you borrowed.
- B Tell Mrs Deeks if you plan to keep your library books until next term.
- C Speak to Mrs Deeks if you don't know what to read during the holiday.

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What can't theatre customers do?

- A choose where they sit before they book
- B get their money back on tickets
- C ask for different seats after they've paid

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- A Dan doesn't think they'll visit every shop in the shopping centre on Saturday.
- B Dan doesn't think James will like the size of the shopping centre.
- C Dan doesn't know how to get to the shopping centre.



Exam task

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For each question, choose the correct answer.

My last holiday

A Max

I went on holiday with my friends. The flight was fine, but it took two hours by bus to get to the hotel – I didn't enjoy that! The hotel was noisy and the staff weren't friendly, but it didn't matter because we spent all our time on the beach, a short walk away. We tried lots of new dishes in the restaurants in the town. It was hard to sleep with such high temperatures, but we had a fantastic time, and the best thing was, we spent almost nothing once we arrived!

B Felipe

The drive to our hotel from the airport was along lovely country roads. The hotel my wife and I stayed in was quite expensive. The people who worked there were wonderful, but I wasn't so sure about the hotel restaurant – the desserts were fine, but the main courses weren't very good. It was cloudy and rainy most days, but it didn't matter at all because we went to walk in the countryside, not to lie on a beach.

C Nikhil

My family and I drove across the USA last year. We stayed in lots of different hotels. I don't know how much we spent because my parents paid. There was a lot of driving, but my dad enjoyed that. The weather was fantastic, and I couldn't believe the differences in what people ate from place to place. It was good to be with the family, because there was always someone to talk to, or to do things with.

- 1 Who was surprised about the variety of food on holiday?
A Max **B** Felipe **C** Nikhil
- 2 Who thought that part of their journey was too long?
A Max **B** Felipe **C** Nikhil
- 3 Who liked travelling with a group of people?
A Max **B** Felipe **C** Nikhil
- 4 Who was happy with the cost of their holiday?
A Max **B** Felipe **C** Nikhil
- 5 Who thought the hotel staff were good?
A Max **B** Felipe **C** Nikhil
- 6 Who says that the weather was a problem at times?
A Max **B** Felipe **C** Nikhil
- 7 Who was unhappy with some of the food they ate?
A Max **B** Felipe **C** Nikhil

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HOMEFEATURESABOUT MECONTACT ME

SEARCH

13-year-old Alessandra talks about her favourite chatroom, Teen-Age

I joined a chatroom called Teen-Age last month. A classmate read about it in a magazine and told me all about it. She said it's a really great way to make friends with people in other countries. And she was right!

Everyone on the chatroom is a teenager. We share information about home life, music and films. Friends that I chat to often ask me about school life in Britain. One friend in Spain sometimes asks me to write the words of English songs for her. My favourite thing is finding out how to prepare food people eat in different countries.

Some of my friends on Teen-Age live on the other side of the world, so when I chat to them at lunchtime, it's nearly midnight where they are. My parents like it that I have international friends, but they get upset if I'm chatting to people all evening. They always want me to finish my homework first.

Chatting to people online is different from chatting to people at school. Some people at school aren't very friendly and don't want to talk much, but everyone I've met on Teen-Age is really nice. It's easy to talk about problems with them and they usually give good advice.

Many of my schoolfriends have joined several chatrooms, but I won't ever do that. I like the online friends I have now, so I'll keep using Teen-Age. If I have friends in different chatrooms, it'll be too hard to chat to them all.

- How did Alessandra find out about the chatroom?
 - from a magazine
 - from someone at school
 - from a friend in another country
- What does Alessandra like doing best on the chatroom?
 - learning new dishes
 - talking about music and films
 - finding out about schools around the world
- What does Alessandra say about her parents?
 - They worry that she is chatting online while she is at school.
 - They think schoolwork is more important than chatting online.
 - They don't understand why she goes on the chatroom every day.
- What does Alessandra say about chatting to people online?
 - She never tells them about problems.
 - She gives them advice when they need it.
 - She thinks they are very kind.
- Alessandra thinks that in the future she will
 - try other chatrooms.
 - stop using all chatrooms.
 - continue to use Teen-Age.



Exam task

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HOMEFEATURESABOUT MECONTACT ME

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My name's Zack and I'm 14. This summer my dad and I travelled to Tanzania to climb Mount Kilimanjaro, Africa's highest mountain. My dad and I have climbed many mountains in Scotland since I was little, but, at 5,895 metres, Kilimanjaro was higher than anything I'd done before. Planning the trip took months, including a few weeks training in the mountains of Switzerland.

Over 20,000 people climb Kilimanjaro every year. Some do it because the countryside is very interesting, going from rainforest to snow at the top. Our reason was that you can get to the top without ropes and special climbing kit. There are also few storms on the mountain, but we only learnt that later.

Some UK travel companies only take people older than fifteen up Kilimanjaro. I thought this was strange because the youngest person to climb it was only seven. But a company in Tanzania with experience of climbing with kids allowed us to book their trip.

Climbing above 4,000 metres can be difficult because some people get terrible headaches. I was fine, but others in our group were sick, including Dad, so I had to look after him as we got near the top. The other problem was he lost his gloves. His hands got so cold, he couldn't feel them. This was dangerous, so I gave him my socks to keep his hands warm.

It took us six days altogether and it was my best experience ever. I'd do it again tomorrow.

- Where did Zack and his dad practise before climbing Kilimanjaro?
 - Scotland
 - Switzerland
 - Tanzania
- Why did Zack and his dad want to climb Kilimanjaro?
 - Not much equipment is needed.
 - The countryside is beautiful.
 - There aren't storms on the mountain.
- What problem was there with booking the trip?
 - Not many UK companies offer climbing holidays.
 - It was hard to book with Tanzanian travel companies.
 - Some travel companies thought Zack wasn't old enough.
- What does Zack say about some of the other people in their group?
 - They were surprised by how cold it was.
 - They became ill as they climbed the mountain.
 - They weren't wearing the right clothes for climbing.
- What is the best title for this article?
 - A difficult trip for me
 - My dad's first big climb
 - Helping my dad on the mountain

