



ESL Practice Test

Unit 1 – Describing People



Question 1 (5 points) – Unscramble the words to find apposite adjectives

Adjectives	Opposite Anagram	Answer
Hard-working	ZALY	
Generous	FSISHEL	
Nervous	LACM	
Cheerful	ADB-PREDTEME	
Shy	GGOTUONI	

Question 2 (6 points) – Match the prepositions from the list with each adjective

Prepositions: in / on / under / to / about / with / by

- a. Worried _____
- b. Interested _____
- c. Shocked _____
- d. Happy _____
- e. Ready _____
- f. Excited _____

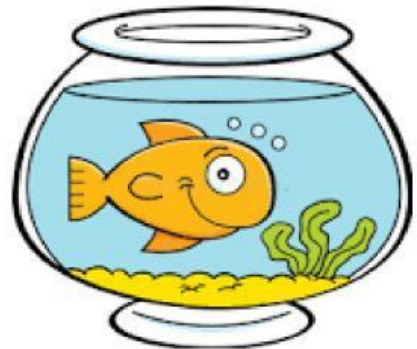


Question 3 (12 points) – Complete the sentences with a correct word in each space.

Every day I _____ up at around 6am when my alarm _____ off. I then _____ up and _____ my breakfast. I usually _____ a bowl of cereal and _____ juice. I _____ usually _____ toast. Once I have finished, I _____ a shower and _____ ready for school. I _____ the house at around 7.10am every day. I _____ going to school.

Question 4 (4 points) – Present Tense: Choose the correct verb tense

- He _____ (go) to school every day.
- My fish _____ (not eat) in the morning.
- _____ you sing well?
- I _____ (play) computer games every day.



Question 5 (5 Points): Choose the best question word.

- _____ do you live?
- _____ do you get to school?
- _____ you have any brothers?
- _____ is your best friend?
- _____ you like playing games?

Question 6 (4 Points): Complete the sentences with the correct (-ED/-ING) adjective.

- He feels _____ after working all day.
- Reading is _____.
- The news story was really _____. So many people were injured.
- I was so _____ when I saw the spider.

Question 7 (4 points) – Choose the best subheading for each sentence

Since starting his career at Sun Records where he recorded his first hit single “That’s Alright Mama”, Elvis went on to become one of the most successful actors and singers that the world has ever seen. He had over 30 songs which went to number 1 on the charts and also made several movies that sold out box offices worldwide. He was very successful and lived a very luxurious life.

Elvis Presley was born in a small town of Tupelo, Mississippi in 1935. He had a twin brother who unfortunately died when he was young. He moved to Memphis, Tennessee with his family when he was only 13 years old and started to listen to local musicians.

From early on Elvis fell in love with music which he was strongly passionate about. He was a polite, friendly and hard-working boy who was also ambitious wanting to become a star. In later years, he was extremely generous using his millions to help out friends, family and strangers.

Growing up, his family was very poor and did not have enough money for new clothes or new musical instruments. He struggled early on to hold down a job during the day while singing and rehearsing at night. He also had many critics who did not like his new music style or way of dancing. This led to him being forced to join the army and living in Germany.

