



Reading

1 Read. Then circle. (5 marks)

MY SCHOOL NEWS

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TODAY'S DATE

END OF TERM PARTY!

This year at school we had an end of term party. We hadn't had a party before. Every class had a job to do. My class had to bring the food and drinks. I made a fruit cake and a carrot cake. They were very tasty. My best friend, Sarah, made a mushroom and spinach pizza and some egg sandwiches. I took some salt and pepper and some sugar.

On the day, we were very excited. We listened to CDs and we had some competitions. I came second in the karaoke competition! Julia, who is in the class above mine, came first.

After singing we had some food. We ate and ate. There was a lot of food. There wasn't much fruit! The food was really unhealthy... but it was nice.

Then we danced. It was an excellent day. Everyone was so helpful and everyone really had a lot of fun. But the next day... oh, what a mess!

1 The school had an end of term party

- a every year.
- b sometimes.
- c this year.

3 Sarah

- a didn't make a cake.
- b brought some salt and pepper.
- c won a competition.

5 After the party

- a we didn't clean up.
- b we danced.
- c we had a lot of fun.

2 Every class

- a made a cake.
- b helped.
- c sang.

4 The food

- a was very healthy.
- b was very good for us.
- c tasted good.

Maria's blog

Hi. I'm Maria. I live in New York and I'm American. My cousin is here at the moment. He's from Ireland. His name is Sean. That's an Irish name. They don't say Seeyan, they say Shawn. Some people in Ireland speak Irish. It's very different from English. Sean is going to school with me. He's going to sit next to me in class and he's going to be in all my classes. It's so exciting.

Last night, we watched DVDs until midnight! It was Friday and mom and dad said it was ok. They made us a pizza and gave us some juice and then they went to bed at 10:30 p.m. This morning we were very tired. We had breakfast at 11 a.m! Then we played chess in the dining room. Dad taught me how to play last year – it was difficult to understand at first but now it's easy,

and Sean can play, too. My uncle taught him. After lunch, we went shopping. I got some sneakers. They were \$20. That's cheap! Sean got a wallet that cost \$30. That's expensive! I hope he doesn't forget his wallet because tomorrow we're going to the movie theater! Well... I should get ready. I have a soccer game at five o'clock and it's four-thirty now!

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| 1 Sean is staying in Ireland. | ☐ |
| 2 Maria doesn't want Sean to go to school with her. | ☐ |
| 3 Sean and Maria went to bed after Maria's mom and dad. | ☐ |
| 4 They got a pizza from the pizza restaurant. | ☐ |
| 5 Maria's dad taught Maria and Sean to play chess. | ☐ |
| 6 Sean got a new wallet that was expensive. | ☐ |

1 Read. Then complete. (6 marks)

am are in played went love

Last winter, I ¹ _____ to the mountains with my family. We ² _____ skiing. My mom and dad ³ _____ good at skiing. I ⁴ _____ not good at skiing but I am good at snowboarding. ⁵ _____ the evenings, my dad ⁶ _____ the guitar and we sang. We love ski vacations!

2 Write the numbers. (5 marks)

1 1st _____

2 22nd _____

3 16th _____

4 23rd _____

5 50th _____

3 Read. Then write questions. (5 marks)

1 Is he _____ ?

Yes, he is. He's Egyptian.

2 Where did you _____ ?

I went to Turkey.

3 What are they _____ ?

They are good at skiing.

4 Was _____ ?

Yes, it was very interesting.

5 Did you _____ ?

No, I didn't. It was boring.

4 Order to make sentences. Then match. (9 marks)

1 you / Why / excited / are
_____ ?a to / went / I / Ibiza
_____2 often / your / Do / you / clean / room
_____ ?b tomorrow / my / is / birthday / Because
_____3 last / you / Where / did / summer / go
_____ ?c it / clean / I / Saturday / every.

5 Read. Then complete with the verb in the correct form. (8 marks)

come eat get give have help play sing

Yesterday was Jo's birthday. She's eleven now. She ¹ _____ a new bike.
Sue ² _____ Jo a new bag as a present. Jo ³ _____ a party. It was fun.
Everyone ⁴ _____ "Happy Birthday". Jo's cousins ⁵ _____ to the party.
They ⁶ _____ some games in the yard. They ⁷ _____ pizza and birthday
cake after the games. Jo ⁸ _____ her mom to make the cake.

6 Read. Then complete the questions. (6 marks)

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|--------------------|---------------------------|
| 1 Are they _____? | Yes. They're Egyptian. |
| 2 Where _____? | I went to Turkey. |
| 3 What are _____? | They are good at skiing. |
| 4 Whose _____? | That book is mine. |
| 5 When did _____? | I came home last weekend. |
| 6 What were _____? | I was playing chess. |

7 Order to make sentences. (3 marks)

- 1 your / any / in / Are / country / mountains / there / ?

- 2 take / class / should / You / in / notes

- 3 party / at / He / wasn't / the

8 Read. Then complete. (5 marks)

a lot of birthday chocolate sang tired

Yesterday was my ¹ _____ and I had a party. All my friends came. We had
² _____ food. There were plates of ³ _____ cookies. My favorite!
In the afternoon, we ⁴ _____ karaoke songs.
We were all very ⁵ _____ by the end of the day!

Listening

1 Listen and circle. (12 marks)

Yesterday I ¹ (watched / went) my brother play ² (soccer / basketball). It ³ (was / were) very exciting. The game was very ⁴ (difficult / different). He ⁵ (practiced / studied) for weeks. I ⁶ (went / go) with my mom and dad. It finished at ⁷ (a quarter after eleven / ten-thirty). We got home ⁸ (at / on) noon. My brother was very ⁹ (tired / thirsty). He didn't do his homework! He ¹⁰ (listened to / watched) TV. I ¹¹ (played / talked to) my friends. I was ¹² (telling / talking) them funny jokes.

2 Listen. Then write. (8 marks)

	Where from	Activity	When	Where
Sue				
Tony				

3 Listen. Then match. (5 marks)

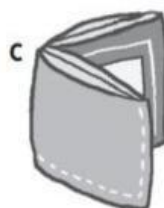
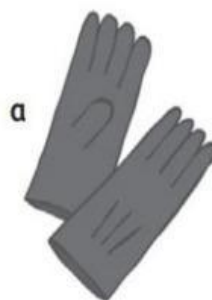
baggy

expensive

old-fashioned

tight

cheap



4 Listen. Then complete. (12 marks)

didn't do difficult exciting finished met Mexican
midnight must practiced violin watched went

Yesterday I ¹ _____ my dad play the ² _____ in a concert. It was very
³ _____. The music was very ⁴ _____. He ⁵ _____ for weeks.
I ⁶ _____ with my mom and sister. I ⁷ _____ some of my dad's friends.
We went for dinner in a ⁸ _____ restaurant. It ⁹ _____ at ten-thirty.
We got home at ¹⁰ _____. I was very tired. I ¹¹ _____ my homework!
I ¹² _____ do it today.

5 Listen. Then write. (12 marks)

	Where from	Activity	Season	Where
Stephanie				
Rob				

6 Listen. Then match. (5 marks)

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|--------------|----------|---------------|
| 1 Spanish | umbrella | modern |
| 2 Australian | plate | expensive |
| 3 Brazilian | helmet | baggy |
| 4 Italian | pants | old-fashioned |
| 5 Indian | belt | cheap |

- 1 Look at the pictures. Find five differences. (10 marks)

Speaking

In picture 1,
there is/are...

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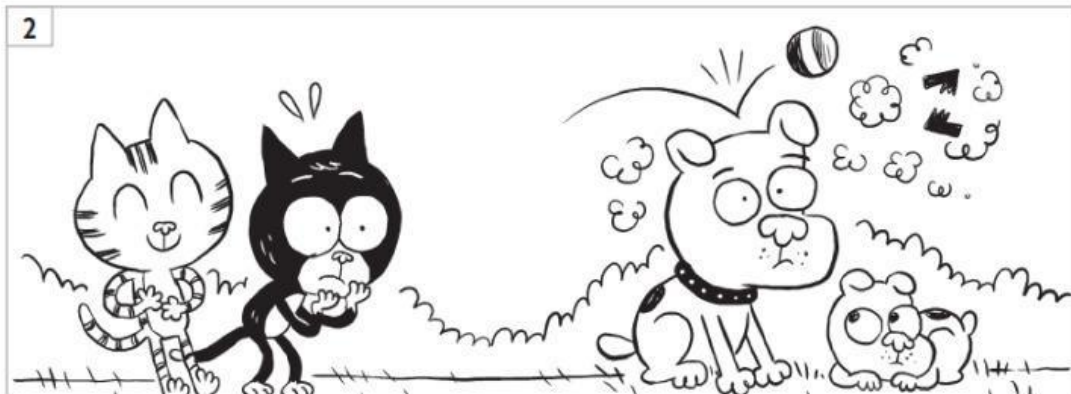
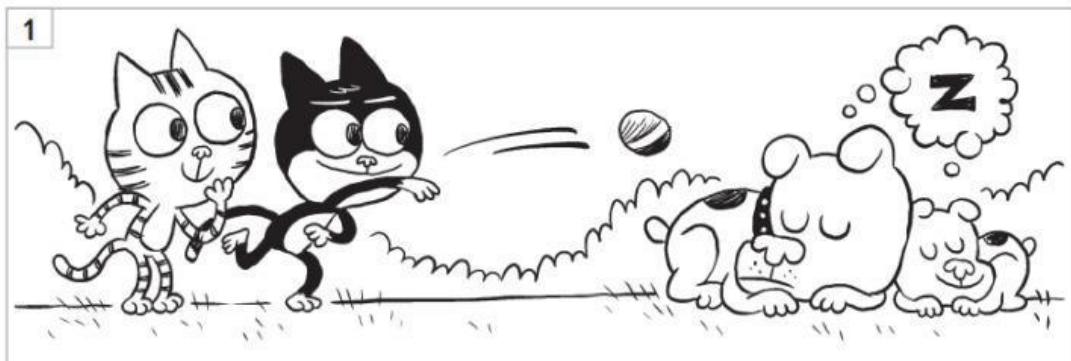


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- 2 Talk about the party in picture 1. (15 marks)

4 Look. Then describe the pictures. (10 marks)



5 Read the beginning of the story. Then continue it. (10 marks)

One day, the two cats were bored. They didn't know what to do...