

First Term Exam . Level 7

1. GRAMMAR

I. Underline the correct words.

Example: You have an interesting name. Mine / My is boring.

- 1 Jemma lost her mobile phone, so I gave *she* / *her* my old one.
- 2 *His* / *He's* new flat is smaller than the one he had before.
- 3 Would you like a piece of birthday cake? My daughter made *me for it* / *it for me*.
- 4 We asked for some names of hotels and *them* / *they* found some good ones.
- 5 His name is Eduardo and *her* / *hers* is Janaina.
- 6 Erik brought me a story book and asked me to read *it to him* / *it him*.
- 7 Is that *theirs* / *their* new car?
- 8 That looks like a good book. Can you lend *it to me* / *it for me*?
- 9 Our grandparents sent *we* / *us* a postcard from Scotland.
- 10 **A** What are his children's names?
B I have no idea. He didn't tell *my* / *me*.

II. Underline the correct word(s).

Example: I'm going to stay at Zoe / Zoe's tonight.

- 1 I always go to the same *hairdressers* / *hairdresser's*.
- 2 She would like to start *her own* / *she own* business.
- 3 The *film's end* / *end of the film* was very disappointing.
- 4 I can't stand looking at other *people's* / *peoples'* holiday photos.
- 5 Sunita finally bought a place *her own* / *of her own*.
- 6 Raoul is a very good *my friend* / *friend of mine*.
- 7 We went to *Elsa's* / *Elsa* house for dinner last night.
- 8 What's *Denis* / *Denis'* phone number? Can you remember?
- 9 I wonder what that sister of *your* / *of yours* is doing right now.
- 10 *Dmitry and Mila's* / *Dmitry's and Mila's* wedding was a wonderful occasion.

VOCABULARY

III Complete the sentences. Write one word in each gap. They are all related to shops.

Example: A department store sells a wide variety of items.

Chain stores - barber's - off licence- launderette- estate agent's- fishmonger's

- 1 Gareth says you get the best men's haircut and shave at the Turkish _____ in West Street.
- 2 **A** Do you ever shop at _____?
B Sometimes, but I prefer going to small local shops.
- 3 If you want to buy fresh fish, you should try that _____ on the high street.
- 4 We bought our new house through a local _____.
- 5 When our washing machine stopped working, I took my dirty clothes to the I _____.
- 6 The _____ sells wine and other drinks.

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IV Complete the sentences. Write one word in each gap. They are all related to holidays.

Example: You'll need your towel to get dry after swimming.

First-aid kit - adaptor- travel agent's - wash bag- sunscreen- guidebook

- 1 Most people book holidays online now. Not many go to a _____.
- 2 Put those big bottles of shampoo in your _____ and pack it in the suitcase.
- 3 Your skin is very pale so it's especially important to put on _____.
- 4 I remembered my charger but not the _____ so I can't charge my phone.
- 5 I usually buy a _____ before I go. I can look at the maps and plan which places to visit.
- 6 I always pack a _____ in case the children fall over and hurt themselves.

LISTENING

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Listen to five people talking about their names. Match each speaker with how they feel about their name.

- A doesn't really like their middle name
- B regrets changing their maiden name
- C finds their nickname embarrassing
- D has a problem with their first name
- E thinks they might change their name
- F appreciates the reason why they have their name

Speaker 1 _____

Speaker 2 _____

Speaker 3 _____

Speaker 4 _____

Speaker 5 _____

File Test 1

Reading and Writing B

READING

Read the article about names. Five sentences have been removed. Choose from the sentences A–G the one which fits each gap (1–5). There is one extra sentence which you do not need to use.

The significance of scarlet

Ruby, scarlet, cherry or crimson – these are all names for shades of one of the world's favourite colours. So let's just think about red for a moment. 0 G What does it bring to mind? Studies indicate that red is one colour which many people react to in a predictable way, automatically associating it with danger. This is likely to be connected with the fact that in road systems around the world, red traffic lights signal drivers to stop. This connotation with warning has resulted in it being the colour used for beach flags when it is unsafe to swim. 1 ____ Similarly, the border surrounding all kinds of warning signs is often red, as are fire engines in many countries.

It has been scientifically shown that this colour is one which is most instantly visible to the human eye. The fact that our eyes react to red so dramatically is another reason to employ it in situations where safety is paramount. Interestingly, the next fastest visual reaction we have is to the colour yellow. 2 ____

Coming back to the colour in question, red is not only thought of as dangerous. There are plenty of other associations that people may have with it and this will depend in part on where you come from. 3 ____ For example, if you are European you'll probably get a sense of strong emotions, such as anger. In fact this is the meaning of the English idiom 'to see red'. Another European interpretation is that red stands for romance and passion, which has led to a tradition of giving red roses to the one you love.

Outside of Europe, red often signifies success and good fortune, particularly in Asia. The Chinese offer gifts of money in red envelopes during New Year celebrations and the colour is worn by brides at weddings. 4 ____

And finally, for some crimson may symbolise blood or fire. These are powerful and impressive images which evoke the essence of life. 5 ____ There is certainly no doubt about the significance of the colour red.

- A Such a representation of strength may be one reason why this colour is included in approximately 77% of the flags of the world.
- B This is also true in India where it is an important colour in marriage ceremonies.
- C It is unsurprising then that this is the second most common colour for warning signs and fire trucks around the world.
- D In other words, different cultures respond to red in a variety of ways.
- E Another use is for reflective markers to assist motorists' awareness of road edges when driving at night and in systems of lighting for aviation.
- F There simply isn't anything else that red can signify.
- G What does it bring to mind?