# 1 READING • A description of a place

**1** ★ **Read the text. Tick (✓) the correct box.**

Miniland is ... London.

a ☐ in b ☐ near c ☐ far from

**A** Imagine it's your first time in London, but you have only got one day to see the city.

**B** There's an answer – visit Miniland! It's at the Legoland park in Windsor. This is only half an hour by train from London's Paddington Station and it's open March to November from 10 a.m.

**C** Miniland has hundreds of interesting places from London! There are pretty parks like St James's Park or shops like Hamleys. All of these places are very small and they're all in Lego bricks.

**D** There are about 40 million bricks in Miniland. One building has got 200,000 bricks – that's the Canary Wharf office building.

**E** It's not real London, but relax – you're a good tourist!

**2** ★★ **Read the text again. Match sentences 1–4 with paragraphs A–E.**

Parks and buildings – all in Lego bricks. C

1 There are a lot of bricks here. .....

2 Where is Miniland? .....

3 Don't worry! You're a great visitor. .....

4 Only one day in London! .....

**3** ★★ **Read the text again. Write *True* or *False*.**

Miniland is a good place for tourists with only one day in London. True

1 It's thirty minutes by train from London to Windsor. .....

2 Legoland is open all year. .....

3 There's a shop in Miniland called Hamleys. .....

4 The buildings in Miniland are very big. .....

5 Miniland has got millions of bricks .....

6 Tower Bridge in Miniland has got 200,000 bricks. .....

**4** ★★★ **Answer the questions. Write complete sentences.**

1 What's the name of the London train station for visitors to Windsor?

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2 What time is Miniland open in the morning?

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3 Which London park is there in Miniland?

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4 How many bricks are there in Miniland?

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5 Is there a place like Miniland in your country? Where is it?

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6 Are places like Miniland interesting for you? Why / Why not?

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**5** ★★ **VOCABULARY PLUS Complete the sentences with the given words.**

cabins chefs climbing wall ~~comfortable~~ exciting fantastic horrible passengers swimming pool

The beds on the new ship are very comfortable.

1 My brother and father work in a restaurant. They're .....

2 'The food in this new café is very good.' 'Yes, it's .....! But the food in that old café is .....!'

3 There are nine hundred ..... on this ship and they've all got nice .....

4 The sports centre has got a modern ..... It's very tall and very .....!

5 It's a hot day and there are a lot of people in the .....



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