

I. Read the email below. Think about why Mia wrote this letter.

From: Mia (mia_more@gmail.com)

To: Kelly (youxd@gmail.com)

Subject: My vacations

Dear friend,

It feels like it has been such a long time since I have seen you. I know it's only been two weeks since school got out. So far my summer in California has been great! I spend my weekends at the beach. I am getting a nice tan. I have been playing lots of beach football, building sandcastles and finding cool seashells. Last weekend I won second place in a sandcastle contest at Horseshoe Bay!

On the weekdays I go to summer day camp. In the mornings we read and write. I have read so many interesting books. In the afternoons we go on field trips. The camp teachers are really nice. I have been to cool places like the Aquarium, Dolphin Quest and even the police station.

I hope your summer in Mexico has been fun too! There are only six weeks left before we go back to school. Next school year should be great. I can't wait to see you but I don't want summer to end.

Your friend,

-Mia

II. Answer the following questions

1. Write a question about the passage

2. What is the purpose of this email? Choose the correct answer.

- a) To say thank you
- b) To ask/find out about your vacations
- c) To narrate her vacations
- d) To apologize/say sorry

3. How do you know? Give a sentence from the letter that tells you the purpose.

4. The tone of the email is a

- a) sad
- b) satiric
- c) cheerful
- d) doubtful

5. How do you know? Give a sentence from the letter that tells you the purpose.

7. Which sentence is true?

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| a) Mia is Kelly's teacher. | T / F |
| b) Mia and Kelly are both in Bermuda. | T / F |
| c) Mia and Kelly are good friends. | T / F |