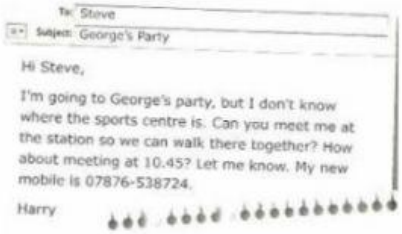
KET 2020 Test Reading & Writing

Question 1

Choose the correct answer that goes with this text.


To: Steve
Subject: George's Party

Hi Steve,

I'm going to George's party, but I don't know where the sports centre is. Can you meet me at the station so we can walk there together? How about meeting at 10.45? Let me know. My new mobile is 07876-538724.

Harry

A. Harry wanted Steve to guide him to the station.

B. Harry wanted to meet Steve at 10.45 at the sports centre.

C. Harry wanted to meet Steve at 10.45 at the station.

Question 2

Choose the correct answer that goes with this text.

A. The restaurant serves food all the meals of the day.

B. Customers cannot pay a visit to the restaurant on weekends.

C. The restaurant opens daytime only.

Question 3

Choose the correct answer that goes with this text.

A. Karate courses cost the same for all learners.

B. Learners can choose karate courses on weekends.

C. Karate courses are only available in the afternoon.

Question 4

Choose the correct answer that goes with this text.

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A. All kinds of vehicles can be accepted in the city centre.

B. No vehicles are accepted in the city centre.

C. People can use vehicles but cannot park their cars in the city centre.

Question 5

Choose the correct answer that goes with this text.

A. People wearing jeans or T-shirts cannot attend the party.

B. The party has no dress code.

C. People coming to the party have to wear dresses.

Question 6

Choose the correct answer that goes with this text.

A. The library will open before April 5 2020.

B. The library will still close after April 5 2020.

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C. COVID-19 is the reason for the library closure.

My Bedroom

Robert

Robert likes his room to be tidy, but it's difficult as it's his brother's bedroom too. When Robert is alone in the room he does his homework or listens to music. On the walls, there are a few small posters. Robert wants to have more and to paint the walls yellow, but his mother doesn't agree. There are photographs of family holidays and of his sister's children. 'I like my room best when they're here. It gets untidy, but I don't mind.'

James

James's bedroom is painted in his favourite colour, yellow. He loves rugby, and there are several photos of him playing in the school team. 'After school, I like to come up here to play computer games. My room's like my safe place. I can relax here.' James keeps his room tidy. His school work is on one shelf, and on another he has all his books.

Harry

'After school, I come up here and chat to everyone I know on the computer,' says Harry. 'I never work here - I study in the kitchen.' He has a big desk with a laptop in the middle, a PC on one side and a lamp on the other. On the walls, there are two posters of his favourite tennis stars. 'I don't do much sport but I like watching tennis.'

Question 7

Who has more than one computer in his room?

A. Robert

B. James

C. Harry

Question 8

Who would like more pictures on the walls?

A. Robert

B. James

C. Harry

Question 9

Who has pictures of himself doing sport?

A. Robert

B. James

C. Harry

Question 10

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Who shares his room with someone else?

A. Robert

B. James

C. Harry

Question 11

Who talks to friends when he's in his room?

A. Robert

B. James

C. Harry

Question 12

Who sometimes has visitors to his room?

A. Robert

B. James

C. Harry

Question 13

Who studies in his bedroom?

A. Robert

B. James

C. Harry

Hijack

Some people are afraid of flying. They are worried that the plane will crash or that someone may *hijack* it. A person who hijacks a plane usually says he will blow up the plane if he does not get money. Sometimes hijackers do not want money, however. They want other things. They sometimes want their friends to let out of *jail* or to go to another country.

The first hijacking happened on the 16th June 1948 on a plane travelling from Macau to Hong Kong. Some men with *guns* told the pilot they wanted money. The pilot fought them but the hijackers shot him. The plane crashed into the sea and nearly everyone in it died. Only one man lived. His name was Wong-yu Man. When the police brought the plane out of the sea, they looked at it very carefully and found bullet holes in the walls of the plane. They knew then that there had been a hijack.

A policeman sat near Wong-yu Man's bed in the hospital. Before long, Wong-yu started to talk in his sleep."Where are my ***men***?" he said. "Are they all right? Did they get the money?" The policeman wrote everything down. He knew Wong-yu's words meant something. He thought Wong-yu was one of the hijackers. He was right. When Wong-yu came out of the hospital, he went

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to jail for a long time.

Question 14

The passage is about _____

A. a plane crash.

B. how to hijack a plane.

C. the first hijacking.

Question 15

When they fly, some people are afraid _____

A. the plane will crash or be hijacked.

B. their friends will go to jail.

C. someone will get a lot of money.

Question 16

The plane crashed because _____

A. the police shot the plane.

B. the hijacker blew up the plane.

C. the hijackers shot the pilot.

Question 17

The police thought the crash was unusual because _____

A. Wong-yu Man was still alive.

B. they found bullet holes in the plane.

C. Wong-yu Man went to hospital.

Question 18

The word "men" refers to _____

A. the hijacker's friends in jail.

B. everyone on the plane.

C. the other hijackers.

Question 19

Read the passage and choose the best answer to fill in the blank.

To: Tanyacoolperson@tanya.com

Subject: My new school

Hi, Tanya,

How are you? Well, good news! My new school is amazing, I love it. I've already made good

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friends. Guess what? I don't have to wear a uniform! Well, except when we do sports. When we do sports we Q19.1..... wear sports clothes, but that's fine. And I am so happy Q19.2..... our new house is next to the school and my little brother Tim and I can walk to school! We don't have to Q19.3..... the bus! Q19.4....., Tim isn't very happy. I told him that he Q19.5..... be nervous about meeting new people, but I think he feels lonely. Mum thinks he should Q19.6..... a club so that he has to meet people with the same interests as him. Anyway, I've got so much homework tonight, so I must stop here.
Please tell me all your news.
Bye for now,
Paul

Q19.1.	A. can	B. should	C. have to
Q19.2.	A. because	B. so	C. although
Q19.3.	A. have	B. make	C. take
Q19.4.	A. Therefore	B. Unfortunately	C. Luckily
Q19.5.	A. hasn't	B. shouldn't	C. don't have to
Q19.6.	A. take part	B. have	C. join

Question 20

Read the passage and fill in the blank with ONE suitable word.

Well, you wanted to know Q20.1..... my houseboat. Most people find it unusual, but for me it's normal. I Q20.2..... lived here all of my life. When I'm Q20.3..... home, I watch TV or shop online. I've got my favourite laptop computer in my room. You see, my home is just like where I have everything Q20.4..... I need ... but it's on the water! Sometimes in the evening it's a bit noisy outside. There are a Q20.5..... of tourists in Amsterdam and they all want to Q20.6..... photos of my beautiful houseboat!

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