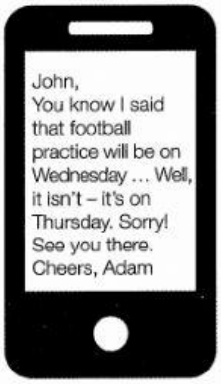
Reading and Writing Part 1

Questions 1–6

For each question, choose the correct answer.

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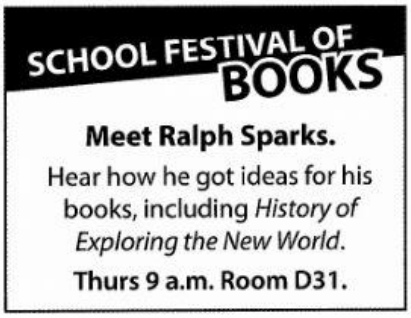
Why has Adam written this message?

A to ask if John wants to play football

B to tell John that Adam can't play football

C to let John know about a change of plan

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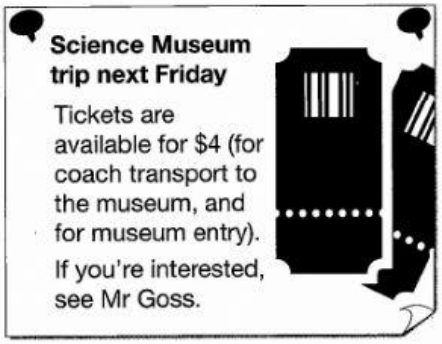
Pupils can

A buy books.

B read about explorers.

C come and listen to a writer.

3



A You can now buy tickets for the museum trip.

B Tell Mr Goss how you want to travel to the museum.

C Mr Goss will tell you if you need a ticket to the museum.

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From: Lizzie

To: Jenny

Jenny,

I think I left my scarf in your flat after the party. Have you seen it? Otherwise I'll buy another one.

Lizzie

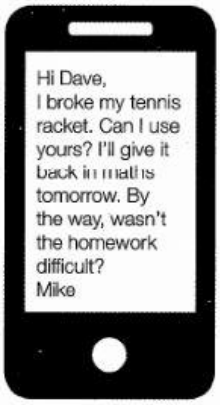
Why has Lizzie written this?

A to invite Jenny to a party

B to tell Jenny about a shopping trip

C to ask about something that she's lost

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Mike wants to

A play tennis with Dave.

B borrow something from Dave.

C get help from Dave with the homework.

6

Mr Gregson is away today. Class 3, at 9 a.m., please go and join Class 4 in Room 7C for geography. Mr Gregson will be back tomorrow.

A There isn't a geography lesson tomorrow.

B Class 4's lesson is happening at a different time today.

C There will be more people in Room 7C than usual today.

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Questions 7–13

For each question, choose the correct answer.

		Gaurika Singh	Tracy Austin	Nadia Comăneci
7	Which sports person now works as a journalist?	**A**	**B**	**C**
8	Which sports person made her sport more popular?	**A**	**B**	**C**
9	Which sports person won something that she couldn't use?	**A**	**B**	**C**
10	Which sports person became rich when she was young?	**A**	**B**	**C**
11	Which sports person was the youngest person in a competition?	**A**	**B**	**C**
12	Which sports person did something that people believed was not possible?	**A**	**B**	**C**
13	Which sports person was born in one country and now lives in another?	**A**	**B**	**C**

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Three teenage sports superstars



Gaurika Singh, swimmer

Gaurika is from Nepal, and she was the only under-14-year-old to take part in the 2016 Olympics in Rio de Janeiro. She swam the 100 metres backstroke for Nepal. Home for Gaurika these days is in the UK, and she trains at the Copthall Swimming Club, where the coaches have trained other world-class swimmers. Her father, Paras Singh, travels with her around the world when she goes to a competition.



Tracy Austin, tennis player

When Tracy Austin was given a car as a prize in a tennis competition in Stuttgart, Germany, she was 15 and still too young to drive, but she was already a professional tennis player. Then, at the age of 17, the American became the youngest ever sports person to earn a million dollars. Before long, she was the world's number one player. These days, she often appears on TV, talking about tennis matches at major competitions.

Nadia Comăneci, gymnast

When Romanian gymnast Nadia took part in the Olympic Games in Montreal, Canada, in 1976, she immediately became one of the most famous sports people in the world. She got perfect scores of 10.0 in seven different events. Everyone thought that nobody could do this and, in fact, 9.9 was the highest number that the score board could show. She did so well that she helped large numbers of people become interested in gymnastics.



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Questions 14–18

For each question, choose the correct answer.



Lots of people become good at something when they are young. And quite a lot of children know what career they want to follow when they are older. But not everyone opens their own company. This is exactly what Isabella Rose Taylor has done. She started designing clothes when she was eight years old.

At the time, she was a keen painter. She used a lot of reds, blues and yellows, and these colours helped her to think of new clothes which she could make.

When she started designing and making clothes, Isabella just made clothes for fun. But people liked her designs, so soon she started selling them online. Now she has a business and takes part in fashion shows. She runs her business from the family home, where she has made one room into an office, and another into a studio where the clothes are made.

Isabella has also found time to finish school and get a college degree. She's intelligent, and she has thousands of followers online who love her stuff. It's brilliant that she already has people who work for her. Above all, she really knows what is needed to succeed in the world of fashion. And I am sure that she will.

'The way I see it is I get to follow my dream and be a teenager at the same time. I think I'm pretty lucky,' she says.

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14 What does the writer say is unusual about Isabella Rose Taylor?

A She planned her future career when she was very young.
B She started her own business when she was very young.
C She got interested in fashion when she was very young.

15 What does Isabella say about painting and making clothes?

A It is important to paint good pictures of clothes.
B The colours in her paintings gave her ideas for clothes to make.
C She uses paint to put her favourite colours on the clothes she makes.

16 What do we learn about Isabella's home?

A Everything for her business is done in the same room at home.
B Her home is too small, so she's looking for another one.
C She's made changes to her home so that she can work there.

17 Why does the writer think that Isabella will do well in the future?

A She is already very popular online.
B She understands the fashion business.
C She has brilliant people who work for her.

18 What is the best title for the article?

A The girl who can't wait to start working in fashion soon
B The problem with working and studying
C A hobby that is becoming a career

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Questions 19–24

For each question, choose the correct answer.

Ferry to School

Most pupils go to school each day on foot or by car, but Jordan Basford is different. He lives on the Scottish island of Egilsay. There, the school had to **(19)** ..... because there weren't any other pupils. The nearest school is in Rousay, across the sea. His family have a boat, but it is small, and they can **(20)** ..... use it in good weather. A much larger boat is **(21)** ..... in bad weather. So every day, Jordan has to **(22)** ..... the ferry across the sea to go to school. He usually comes back home afterwards, but sometimes he phones home to say that he's **(23)** ..... the night at a friend's house instead. 'I know I have to travel a long **(24)** ..... to school each day,' he says. 'But I don't mind.'

19	**A** close	**B** complete	**C** finish
20	**A** almost	**B** only	**C** nearly
21	**A** needed	**B** liked	**C** had
22	**A** travel	**B** make	**C** catch
23	**A** resting	**B** staying	**C** sleeping
24	**A** way	**B** transport	**C** mile

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