Cambridge Primary Progression Test
Question paper

Cambridge Primary

Duration
35 minutes

English as a Second Language

Stage 5

Name .....

Read the instructions for each part of the paper carefully.

Answer all the questions.

Give your answers on the paper.

There are **37** questions on this paper.

Each question is worth **one** mark.

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LIVEWORKSHEETS

Part 1

Questions 1 – 5



Read the sentences about cooking.
Choose the best word **(A, B or C)** for each space.

For questions **1 – 5** circle **A**, **B** or **C**.

Example:

0 I like to . . . . . my mother in the kitchen.

A work **(B)** help **C** stay

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1 My mother often asks me to . . . . . up the vegetables for her.

A cut **B** make **C** put

2 Everybody in our family . . . . . fish to meat.

A enjoys **B** likes **C** prefers

3 Once, I forgot the cooker was hot and . . . . . my hand.

A boiled **B** burnt **C** fried

4 Cooking a good meal can . . . . . a long time.

A spend **B** use **C** take

5 At the supermarket, some food like pizza is . . . . . to cook.

A right **B** ready **C** free

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Part 2

Questions 6 – 10

Complete the telephone conversation between two friends.
What does Jennifer say to Lily?

For questions **6 – 10** write the correct letter **A-H**.

Example:

Lily: Hi Jennifer, it will be lovely to see you on Friday.

Jennifer: **0** ..B..

Lily: What time is your train?

Jennifer: **6** .....

Lily: OK. I'll meet you. Would you like to go out that evening?

Jennifer: **7** .....

Lily: If you want to. Then on Saturday we can go to the new shopping centre.

Jennifer: **8** .....

Lily: And in the evening we can go to Oliver's party.

Jennifer: **9** .....

Lily: Oh anything. It doesn't matter.

Jennifer: **10** .....

Lily: Yes. It's a good place for a party. See you Friday, then.

A I have to go home at 6 o'clock.

B Yes, I haven't seen you for so long.

C I've heard it's really big.

D Is he still living in the same house?

E It should arrive early afternoon.

F How long will we stay with him there?

G I think I'll be tired. Shall we just stay at home?

H Great! What should I bring to wear?

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Part 3

Questions 11 – 18

For questions **11 – 18** read the text below and circle the correct word for each space.

Ancient Egyptians

It is very interesting to study the time … **(0)**… the Ancient Egyptians. The first Ancient Egyptians lived over four thousand years … **(11)** … . They were farmers … **(12)** … lived near the River Nile and used water … **(13)** … the river to help them grow food.

These Egyptians had a king called a pharaoh. When some pharaohs died, they … **(14)** … buried inside very large pyramids. … **(15)** … pyramid took at least twenty years to build and there are still about eighty of … **(16)** … in Egypt today.

There is still some ancient writing in the pyramids. Egyptian writing was made up of … **(17)** … of small pictures called hieroglyphics. There were over seven hundred different pictures but, if you know … **(18)** … to do it, they are not too difficult to read.

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Example:

0	**for**	**to**	**(of)**

11	ago	before	away
12	they	these	who
13	by	from	with
14	have	were	are
15	Each	Some	Other
16	it	that	them
17	lots	lot	many
18	what	how	why

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Part 4

Questions 19 – 23

Which notice (**A – H**) says this (**19 – 23**)?

For questions **19 – 23**, write the correct letter **A – H**.

Example:

0 Take food that is good for you to school on this day.

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19 If you don't join the club, you can still go here.

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20 Some things here are cheaper if you buy them on this day.

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21 New members are wanted for the club.

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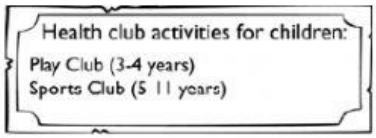
22 Children cannot go here in the morning.

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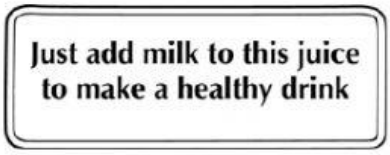
23 Children of different ages go to different clubs.

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A



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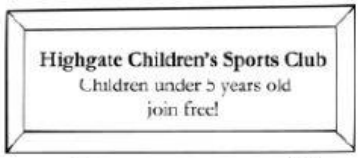
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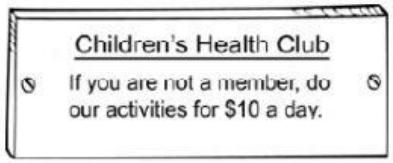
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Part 5

Questions 24 – 30

Read the article about three famous girls and then answer the questions.

For questions **24 – 30** circle **A**, **B** or **C**.

Alexandra, Ruth and Tara

These girls are young but they are already famous.

Alexandra



Alexandra's parents moved to the United States from Romania when she was a baby. She is only ten now but many people have already paid thousands of dollars for her paintings. "I want to stay at home and paint all day long," says the young artist, "but my parents say I have to go to school until I am eighteen."

Ruth



Ruth from London, England, was taught at home by her father, a computer expert. At the age of ten she went to Oxford University. Now, seven years later, she is the youngest student to become a doctor of mathematics. She is going to teach at a University in North America. "I will be younger than most of my students!" she says.

Tara



Tara is only fourteen years old and 1.4 metres tall, but she has just become the US ice-dance champion. She began ice-skating when she was three and always practices every day before and after school. "I was really lucky to become the US champion," she says, "because I was the youngest and all the other dancers have skated far longer than me. Now, I want to travel. I haven't been outside the United States yet!"

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Example:

0 Which girl is the youngest?

(A) Alexandra
B Ruth
C Tara

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24 Which girl has already earned a lot of money?

A Alexandra
B Ruth
C Tara

25 Which girl didn't go to school with other children?

A Alexandra
B Ruth
C Tara

26 Which girl was born in the USA?

A Alexandra
B Ruth
C Tara

27 Which girl left her country when she was very young?

A Alexandra
B Ruth
C Tara

28 Which girl was in a competition with older women?

A Alexandra
B Ruth
C Tara

29 Which girl says she would prefer not to go to school?

A Alexandra
B Ruth
C Tara

30 Which girl will start a new job soon?

A Alexandra
B Ruth
C Tara

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