

Part 1 (5 points).

Questions 1 – 5.

Read the sentences.

Choose the best word (A, B or C) for each space.

For questions 1 – 5 circle A, B or C.



- 0 Example I forget things _____ than I used to.

A. often

☒ B. more often

C. oftener

- 1 must take a shower before they go in the water.

A. Everyone

B. Anyone

C. Someone

- 2 She has worked in the company two years.

A. for

B. since

C. already

- 3 John plays the violin as Carol does.

A. as often

B. often as

C. more often than

- 4 She wants to, so she practices and doesn't give up.

A. get fit

B. have fit

C. stayed fit

- 5 Some humans' activities damaged our environment.

A. do

B. are

C. have

Part 2 (5 points)

Questions 6 – 10

Complete the conversation between two people. Match the answers with the questions to complete the conversation.

Complete the conversation between Richard and James. What does James say to Richard?

Example:

Richard: Where are you going, James?

James: (0) --- B ---.

Questions:

Richard: What do you do there?

James: (6) _____.

Richard: That sounds great! Do you go rollerblading with your friends every day?

James: (7) _____.

Richard: Yes. Every weekend I go rappelling with my family. I love this challenging activity because it makes feel excited and release stress.

James: (8) _____.

Richard: You are right, James. Practicing sports everyday helps us to get fit.

James: (9) _____.

Richard: Such people always suffer from diseases or bad healthy.

James: (10) _____.

Richard: I agree with you. Doing exercises and taking part in sport clubs will keep students healthy and teach them discipline.

James: Discipline is very essential for the progress of an individual.

- A. You are absolutely right. I think playing sports should be made compulsory for students.
- B. I am going to the sports club.
- C. I play tennis and go rollerblading there with my team.
- D. But, some people do not play any sports. They do not realize the importance of workout.
- E. Yes, I practice it very often because it keeps my body and mind fit. Do you play any sports, Richard?
- F. I'm not available on Tuesdays, but the other days are fine.
- G. I think playing sports is necessary for good health.

Part 3 (8 points)

Question 11-18.

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

Otters

Not many people (0) seen an otter. These animals live (11) rivers and make their homes from small pieces of wood. They usually come (12) of their homes at night. Otters are very good in the water and can swim at more than 10 kilometres (13) hour. They have thick brown hair and this (14) them warm in the water. An otter can close (15) ears and nose. This means otters can stay under water (16) several minutes. Twenty years ago, there were (17) otters in Great Britain. The water in the rivers was so dirty that many fish and insects died and the otters couldn't find anything to eat. But today there is lots of food for them (18) the rivers are clean again.

Example:

0 A. did B. have C. are

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| 11 | A. at | B. near | C. next |
| 12 | A. away | B. off | C. out |
| 13 | A. one | B. an | C. a |
| 14 | A. keeps | B. keep | C. kept |
| 15 | A. the | B. their | C. its |
| 16 | A. since | B. during | C. for |

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| 17 | A. few | B. little | C. any |
| 18 | A. after | B. because | C. when |

Part 4 (5 points)

Questions 19 – 23

For questions **19-23**, choose the correct letter **A, B or C**.

19. 	A. All swimsuits are half price in June. B. The special offer is only for few days. C. Everything is on sale for the next two months.
20. 	A. At the weekend the coffee shop closes one hour earlier. B. The coffee shop opens at the same time every day. C. You can only buy coffee here.
21.	A. Students can buy two tickets for the price of one. B. People over 65 years old pay more to buy a ticket.

Cinema tickets  Buy one and get one free! Only for students and over 65s	C. There are free tickets for 65 students.
22. 	A. Anna has invited both Sophia and her brother to her party.
	B. Sophia will go to Anna's home in her brother's car.
	C. Sophia's brother doesn't want to go to Anna's party.
23. 	A. You will need to work for the whole weekend.
	B. If you park your car here, you pay 5 per hour.
	C. Mr. Black can give you details about the job.

Part 5 (7 points)

Read the article about three people talking about Sport and then answer the questions.

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



Alan

I started playing tennis when I was five years old, but I was never very good at it. My parents really wanted me to do well and paid for me to have lessons outside school, but I always preferred football. I'm good enough to be in a top local team. With tennis, I could never hit the ball where I wanted it to go – it was always too high or too far. Finally, my parents let me stop going to tennis lessons and I've spent my time playing football since then.



Rod

My favourite sport has always been rugby. I've tried other sports and I was good at tennis. I won a tennis competition at school and my sports teacher told me that I was an excellent tennis player. But I didn't enjoy it as much as rugby because I like being part of a team. So I stopped playing tennis when I was about thirteen. My teacher and parents thought I should continue with it, but I preferred rugby.



Ben

I've always played a lot of sport. It's an important part of my life, and since I left school I do a wide variety of different types of sports – golf, rugby, tennis and football. I'm quite good at all of them, but I can't really say that I enjoy one of them more than the others. I'm probably best at rugby because I'm a big person, and it is hard to stop me when I'm running fast.

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| 24. Who doesn't have a favourite sport? | A. Alan
B. Rod
C. Ben |
| 25. Who was very good at a sport that was not their favourite? | A. Alan
B. Rod
C. Ben |
| 26. Who has an extra lessons in a sport? | A. Alan
B. Rod
C. Ben |
| 27. Who says their body size helps them do a sport? | A. Alan
B. Rod
C. Ben |
| 28. Who has enjoyed football all their life? | A. Alan
B. Rod
C. Ben |
| 29. Who likes to play with a group of other people? | A. Alan
B. Rod
C. Ben |
| 30. Who says they are good at only one sport? | A. Alan
B. Rod
C. Ben |

Part 6 (7 points)

Question 31 – 37.

Read the text carefully and decide if the statements below are *Right*, *Wrong* or *Doesn't say*

Winter Sports in Scotland

Winter is a great time to try out some new sports! In Scotland, there are many winter sports to be enjoyed.

Alpine Skiing

Alpine or downhill skiing is a popular sport. For many years, people used skiing as a mode of transport in snowy climates but in the nineteenth century, it became a popular pastime.

Curling

Curling is a Scottish sport, having been invented there over 500 years ago.

Curling involves heavy curling stones being pushed down an ice track towards a target. While the stone travels down the ice, the team's sweepers sweep the ice in front of the curling stone to make it move more quickly or to try to make it move to either side. Each team has eight stones to throw and points are awarded depending on how close each stone gets to the centre target.

Ice Climbing

Another sport that is gaining popularity in Scotland is ice climbing. Near Glencoe, there is a centre that has its very own indoor ice wall! People can learn how to ice climb, and grow in confidence in this safer environment before giving it a go in the wild Scottish countryside with guides.

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| 0. Winter is a wonderful time to take up some new sports. | <i>Right</i> |
| 31. There are only a few winter sports in Scotland. | |
| 32. Alpine is known as "downhill skiing". | |
| 33. People used to love skiing but now they don't. | |
| 34. In the nineteenth century, skiing was enjoyed as a pastime. | |
| 35. Scottish people invented Curling more than 5,000 years ago. | |
| 36. To help the stones move quickly to the centre target, the players sweep the ice in front of the curling stone. | |
| 37. Curling is one of the most difficult winter sports in Scotland. | |