

## READING

### Read the text and answer the questions

It is usually cold and rainy in winter in London and this weather makes Peter's mother moody and upset, so she always wants to go to warm places on holiday. Last Saturday, it was her birthday and Peter's father organized a weekend break to celebrate it. They decided to go to Nice. It's the fifth largest city in the south of France. Everyone in the family was happy but Peter's mother was happier about enjoying some good weather. Nice usually has a mild temperature all year round and it is between 8°C and 14°C during the winter months. On Friday morning, Peter and his family got up early, had their breakfast and took a taxi to the airport. Their plane landed in Nice at 9 o'clock in the morning. The weather wasn't very good. It was very foggy, so it took a long time to arrive at their hotel. When they got to their hotel, it started to rain heavily. They spent all day at the hotel. On Saturday, the weather was worse- it was windy and very cold. They stayed at the hotel again! On Sunday, it snowed in Nice for the first time in 20 years! It hardly ever snows in London, so the snowy weather made them excited and they wanted to play in the snow, but they didn't have any coats or other warm clothes. They only watched the snow through the hotel windows! They came back to London that evening and Peter's aunt met them at the airport. "The weather was fantastic here this weekend! It was warm and sunny every day and we were all out" she said! "How was Nice? Did you enjoy some sunny weather, too?" she asked. They all felt too disappointed and tired to answer that question.

#### A Write True (T) or False (F). Correct the False sentences. (7×2= 14 pts.)

- ☐ 1. London is a city with a wet climate.
- ☐ 2. Peter and his family got wet on the way to their hotel.
- ☐ 3. It is unusual to get temperatures below freezing in Nice.
- ☐ 4. Peter and his family didn't take any winter clothes with them.
- ☐ 5. The snowy weather had bad effects on the emotion of Peter's family.
- ☐ 6. Peter and his family spent lots of time outside at the weekend.
- ☐ 7. The weather in London was better than the weather in Nice last weekend.

#### B Answer the questions. (6×2= 12 pts.)

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| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. How does rainy weather affect Peter's mother?<br/>.....</li> <li>2. Why did Peter's father plan a weekend break to Nice?<br/>.....</li> <li>3. What is the temperature in Nice during winter months?<br/>.....</li> </ol> | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>4. How did they go to the airport?<br/>.....</li> <li>5. What was the weather like when they got to Nice?<br/>.....</li> <li>6. How long did they stay in Nice?<br/>.....</li> </ol> |
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## VOCABULARY

#### A Circle the correct answer. (8×1= 8pts.)

1. It was boiling hot this afternoon, but it is nice and **warm** / **cold** now.
2. We didn't see the sun today because it was too **cloudy** / **windy**.
3. Tina doesn't want to get out of the bed on rainy days. She feels **cheerful** / **sleepy** in this weather.
4. There is a 50% **receipt** / **discount** on all clothes in that shop.

5. I don't want to get on the merry-go-round. I think it is very **dull** / **enjoyable**.
6. These trainers don't **fit** / **try** me. I need a bigger size.
7. Do you know that Mike is going to play the electronic guitar in a rock **tune** / **band**.
8. Sally didn't want to go on the roller coaster because she thought it was **scary** / **moody**.

**B Complete the sentences with the words from the box. (8×1= 8 pts.)**

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| cost | foggy | explored | mild | lyrics | scream | spooky | fans |
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1. You have to drive slowly when it is .....
2. First, we ..... the inside of the castle and then walked around the gardens.
3. Taylor Swift writes the ..... for most of her songs.
4. Betty started to ..... on the roller coaster because it was very fast and terrifying.
5. The ..... were really excited when the band came out on stage.
6. A: How much did you pay for this dress?  
B: It ..... only \$20 because it was on sale.
7. Last year we had a ..... winter. It wasn't as cold as we expected.
8. A: Why were you so scared on the ghost train?  
B: Because it was very dark and there were some ..... creatures in it.

## GRAMMAR

**A Fill in the blanks with the comparative or superlative form of the adjectives in brackets. (7×2= 14 pts.)**

1. That was ..... (**bad**) film of all.
2. This hat is ..... (**expensive**) that one.
3. Summer is ..... (**hot**) season of all.
4. I think bumper cars are ..... (**enjoyable**) the merry-go-round at the funfair.
5. Sarah can play the piano and sing very well. She is ..... (**good**) Lucy at music.
6. I love the roller coaster. It's ..... (**thrilling**) ride at the funfair.
7. The Golden Hotel is ..... (**old**) hotel in the town.

**B Circle the correct one. (8×1= 8 pts.)**

1. A: Can you show me the dress in the window, please?  
B: Which **one** / **ones**?
2. Linda isn't as **good** / **better** as her sister at drawing.
3. My father works hard at work, so he feels very **tiring** / **tired** when he comes home.
4. A: Which trousers would you like, David?  
B: The blue **one** / **ones**.
5. The party was very **bored** / **boring**, so I left early.
6. That coat is the **less** / **least** expensive of all.
7. Martin's favourite subject is Science. He thinks doing different experiments is **interested** / **interesting**.
8. Would you like to pay **in** / **by** credit card?



**C** Complete the sentences with the correct form of “be going to” and the verbs in brackets. (5×1= 5 pts.)

1. Tim and Anna ..... (spend) their holiday in France this summer.
2. Martin ..... (not / play) football tomorrow because he's ill.
3. A: We're going for a walk. .... you ..... (come) with us?  
B: No, thanks. I ..... (stay) at home and finish my homework.
4. Next week, Linda ..... (go) to a concert to watch her favourite band.

**D** Complete the sentences with “will” or “won’t” and a verb from the box. (5×1= 5 pts.)

come      wear      pass      have      become

1. I'm cold. I ..... my coat.
2. A: What would you like to eat?  
B: I ..... a pizza, please.
3. Jill is very tired. I think she ..... to the party tonight.
4. Susan is very good at music. I think she ..... a famous singer one day.
5. I'm afraid Tony ..... his exams. He doesn't work hard.

## LISTENING

**A** Listen to the two dialogues and answer the questions. (8×2= 16 pts.)

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| 1. What does each customer want to buy?<br>Customer 1: .....<br>Customer 2: ..... | 3. How much does each customer pay for it / them?<br>Customer 1: .....<br>Customer 2: ..... |
| 2. What's wrong with it / them?<br>Customer 1: .....<br>Customer 2: .....         | 4. How does each customer pay?<br>Customer 1: .....<br>Customer 2: .....                    |

## WRITING

Write a short paragraph about your experience at a funfair answering the following questions and comparing the rides. (10 pts.)

**Write about:**

- when you went
- who you went with
- which rides you went on
- how you felt

**Use these structures:**

- Simple Past Tense
- Comparatives and superlatives