



P4 English Language Comprehensive Assessment 2021/2022:

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Score: /60

Part A – Listening (20 Marks)

Listen to the audio/your teacher and circle the correct answers. Highlight the correct answers if you are doing the assessment online.

Example: There are over _____ species of owl.

- a) 200 b) 300 c) 400 d) 450

1. Owls are _____ to be afraid of.

- a) always b) something c) nothing d) sometimes

2. Owls don't live in _____.

- a) Antarctica b) Europe c) Asia d) Africa

3. Owls have heads that can _____ around in almost any direction.

- a) jump b) play c) swivel d) bend

4. Owls cannot move their _____.

- a) legs b) eyes c) heads d) talons

5. An owl has _____ flight which makes it such a good hunter.

- a) slow b) fast c) noisy d) silent

6. An owl's prey never hears them _____.

- a) crying b) eating c) singing d) coming

7. Owls are _____.

- a) poor parents b) good parents c) funny d) average parents

8. How long owls take care of their young depends on the _____ of owl.

- a) size b) colour c) species d) age

9. Owls make many different _____, not just the one we always hear!

- a) noises b) cakes c) songs d) nests

10. Good luck hearing or seeing an owl in your _____.

- a) house b) neighbourhood c) garden d) forest



Part B – Writing and Grammar (20 Marks total)

Part B1 – The Zero Conditional (5 Marks)

Draw lines and match the first and second parts of the 'zero conditional' sentences. One example has been completed for you.

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| 1. If you don't sleep, | a) she gets dark skin. |
| 2. If she sits in the sun, | b) if he doesn't shave. |
| 3. He grows a beard | c) he feels sick. |
| 4. If he eats cheese, | d) if it reaches freezing point? |
| 5. Does water freeze | e) if I worry too much. |
| 6. I get a furrowed brow | f) you feel tired. |

Part B2 – The Zero Conditional continued (3 Marks)

Write 3 sentences using the zero conditional. Do not use sentences from the matching exercise above.

Example: (negative -) When you don't study, you fail your tests.

1. (affirmative +)

2. (negative -)

3. (interrogative ?)

Part B3 – Future forms (4 Marks)

Complete the sentences by writing a future form word in the spaces provided. Write your own future form sentence for number 4 (+ - or ?).

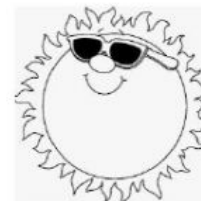
Example: (interrogative ?) Will you go to France alone?

1. (affirmative +) They _____ do their homework later.

2. (negative -) It _____ be sunny tomorrow.

3. (interrogative ?) _____ he play tennis tonight?

4. _____



Part B4 – Regular and irregular verbs/past simple tense (4 Marks)

Change the regular and irregular verbs in brackets into the past simple tense.

Example: She played (play) with her dolls.

1. I _____ (go) to Germany with my family in 2015.
2. He _____ (frown) at his friend.
3. We _____ (swim) in my friend's swimming pool earlier.
4. I _____ (be) on holiday last month.

Part B5 – Modals of possibility (4 Marks)

Choose the best modal of possibility to complete each sentence. Choose a word from the word box to do this. Write your own sentence(s) using a modal of possibility for number 4. You can use any of the words from the word box.

Example: I haven't slept for two days.
I should sleep well tonight!



Word box:

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|-------------|---------------|------------|--------------|--------------|
| must | should | may | might | could |
|-------------|---------------|------------|--------------|--------------|

1. She had some terrible news.
She _____ be really sad.
2. He needs to listen to his teacher
or he _____ be in trouble.
3. I just spoke to Mum.
She _____ be here in about ten minutes.
4. _____



Part C – Reading and Comprehension (20 Marks)

Read the passages and circle the correct answers.
Highlight the correct answers if you are doing the assessment online.

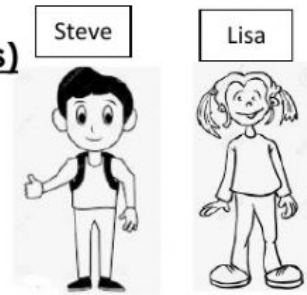
Example: How old is Steve?

a) 13

b) 14

c) 15

d) 16



The Future:

Hi, my name is Steve, I'm 15 years old and I live in London. I think that great things will happen in the future. It will be like a science-fiction film, but only better because it will be real!

I think we will invent flying cars, so there won't be long traffic jams anymore. We will also have different types of flying cars. Some will fly from country to country and some will take us to visit other planets! So instead of going for a Sunday drive with my parents in the countryside, we'll go for a drive to the moon!

We'll also invent time-machines, so we will travel back and forward through time.

Hello, my name is Lisa, I'm 14 years old and I live in Newcastle, in the north of England. I think the future will bring lots of technological advances. I think we will all have our own personal robots at home, so we won't have to do the washing up, the ironing and all the other household chores.

I think there will be special robots to go to the supermarket to buy all the groceries and transport them home, where of course they will also do all the cooking!

We will speak at least five different languages, but we won't learn them. We'll be born that way! School exams will never be the same. We will have clones to send in to do our exams while we stay at home in bed!

I also think we will see great improvements in medicine. We will find a cure for cancer and for all other illnesses and we will all live for at least 150 years!

1. Where does Steve live?

a) London

b) a supermarket

c) New York

d) Newcastle

2. What does Steve think cars will be able to do in the future?

a) sail

b) fly

c) talk to you

d) clean the house

3. Where does Steve think cars in the future will be able to travel to?

a) the Moon

b) the Sun

c) the past

d) the future

4. What else does Steve think will be invented in the future?

- a) time machines b) singing trees c) hoverboards d) a flying bike

5. Who is fourteen years old?

- a) Steve b) John c) Mark d) Lisa

6. Where is Lisa from?

- a) Bangkok b) Newcastle c) Manchester d) London

7. What part of the country does Lisa live in?

- a) the south b) the west c) the east d) the north

Answer questions 8-10 using full sentences:

8. What does Lisa think will do the washing up for her in the future?

9. What does Lisa think we won't need to learn in the future?

10. How many years does Lisa think people will live for in the future?

