PART 1

Questions 1–5

Look at the text in each question. What does it say?
Choose the correct letter **A**, **B** or **C**.
In the exam, you mark your answers **on a separate answer sheet**.

Example:

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Charlie,
Please can you pick up my coat from the dry cleaner's when you collect your suit? I'll pay you back this afternoon, if that's OK.
Thanks a lot!
Vera

What will Charlie do?

A Receive the money for the dry cleaning later today.
B Take his clothes to the dry cleaner's.
C Fetch Vera's suit from the dry cleaner's.

0	A	B	C

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RIVER SCHOOL LIBRARY

Wait in this area while your books are checked. Thank you.

A You must tell us if you leave books here for checking.
B Check that you have all your books before leaving the library.
C Do not leave here until we have checked your books.

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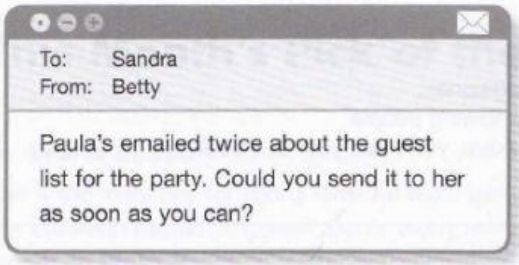
Countryside here's OK. Mountains higher than we expected. Very little wildlife, though the other people in the group are fun and we have easy transport.
Deshini

In Deshini's opinion, what is the disadvantage of the place she is visiting?

A The transport.
B The animals.
C The mountains.

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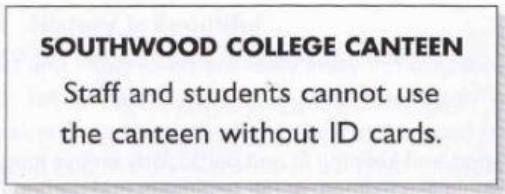
What does Sandra need to do?

A Let Paula know who's going to the party.

B Send a party invitation to Paula.

C Ask Paula who should be invited to the party.

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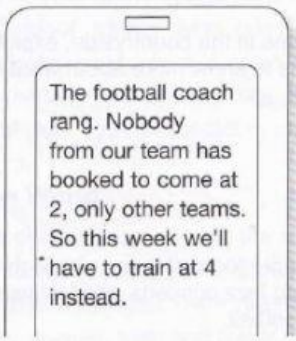


A Students can get their ID cards in the canteen.

B Staff must bring their ID cards if they want to eat at the canteen.

C Students need to show staff their ID cards.

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A We need to change the training time because it's full at 2 p.m. this week.

B We may have to train with a different team this week.

C We must go training at a later time this week.

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PART 2

Questions 6–10

The people below are all looking for a magazine to buy.
On the opposite page, there are eight advertisements for magazines.
Decide which magazine would be the most suitable for the following people.
For questions **6–10**, choose the correct letter (**A–H**). In the exam, you mark your answers **on a separate answer sheet**.

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Omar is interested in architecture and wants to know more about it. He would like to meet people with the same interest and to visit special buildings locally.

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Cecile is very keen on sport and keeping fit and particularly enjoys long-distance running. She would like to improve her technique and perhaps find other people to run with.

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Duncan enjoys spending his free time in the countryside, exploring different areas on foot and by bike. He wants to know more about what he sees when he is exploring.

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Heidi likes going to watch her favourite football team, although she usually has to work at weekends, organising jazz concerts and festivals. She's keen to learn about the history of football.

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Piotr is studying IT and Business at university, but he's very interested in modern art, although he's usually too busy to visit galleries and museums.

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This Month's Pick of the Magazines

A World of Sport

This is *the* magazine for sports fans! All team sports are covered. Missed a game? Don't worry – full reports on all games, as well as interviews with players and much more. There are lots of photos and special articles on subjects such as the early beginnings of football and baseball clubs in distant places.

B History is Beautiful

Art and music lovers will really enjoy this magazine. It's full of interesting articles about the history of concert music and classical architecture around the world and the development of the great museums and galleries.

C Footloose

Are you someone who loves being outside and looking after your body? *Footloose* is the magazine for the outdoor runner who takes their hobby seriously. Professional advice is given, with tips for achieving the best style on long runs. There are also lists of local clubs you can contact or join.

D Green World

The busier our city lives become, the more we want to escape to the fields and hills. *Green World* is the magazine to take with you. There's lots of information about birds, animals, trees and plants, together with maps of great bike rides and walks.

E Sport Business

Interested in sport? Want a career in sport? Want to study sport? This is the magazine for you! Maybe you want to learn about setting up a health club or a bike shop, or about how football clubs operate in the business world. It's all here!

F Plan for Success

This magazine is all about setting up businesses that will succeed in today's difficult economic climate. With articles by famous sportspeople and tips on how to run a company efficiently, you can learn all you need to get ahead.

G How We Live

Houses, offices, museums, bridges ... somebody designed them, somebody built them – but most people walk straight past them. Learn about the structures we live and work in. *How We Live* also contains a list of local groups, so you can share your enthusiasm with other people in your area.

H Pictures in Your Living Room

This is the magazine for today's art lover. Every month there are large high-quality reproductions of famous pictures from the 20th and 21st centuries. Whether you live in a student room or a castle, turn your home into an exhibition hall with these masterworks.

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PART 3

Questions 11 – 20

Look at the sentences below about a comedy club for young people, called *Comedy Kids*.
Read the text on the opposite page to decide if each sentence is correct or incorrect.
If it is correct, mark **A** on your answer sheet.
If it is not correct, mark **B** on your answer sheet.

11 *Comedy Kids* operates a number of internationally-based clubs for young people.

12 *Comedy Kids* comedians have had as much experience working with children as with adults.

13 According to John Winterton, he is the first ever young people's stand-up comedian.

14 John looks like most people's idea of a typical entertainer for young people.

15 *Comedy Kids* will hold special parties at their clubs for young people if requested.

16 A lot of *Comedy Kids* comedians have the right qualities for performing at young people's parties.

17 Guests at *Comedy Kids* parties are invited to perform if they wish.

18 *Comedy Kids* have discovered lots of good young comedians who have not been trained.

19 In a year's time there'll be more classes available for young people wanting to be comedians.

20 *Comedy Kids* prefer it if the young people who join them are already quite confident.

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Comedy Kids



Do you enjoy watching comedy? Do all your friends at school think you tell great jokes? Then why not come and see what's happening at *Comedy Kids*?

Comedy Kids own comedy clubs in several countries that are run just for young people aged 10-15. They're real clubs with real comedians, who are just as familiar with working in adult comedy clubs as they are working with children. But don't take our word for it – come and see for yourself!

The *Comedy Kids* company was set up by John Winterton, who says that no-one had thought of being a stand-up comedian for young people until he came along. In fact, his act quickly became so popular that he soon found lots of other comedians who wanted to join his company and perform for families and young people. And if you think, as many others do, that a young people's comedian leaps on stage in a brightly-coloured costume and big red nose – think again. John usually appears dressed in a cool black jacket and trousers – more like a Hollywood movie star than a circus clown!

If you're having a party at home *Comedy Kids* can come and perform for you there at your party – just ask! Of course, it's not the same as performing on stage, so we're always looking for comedians in the clubs who are good at working with small numbers of young people – and we've discovered there aren't many of them about! But the ones we have found are brilliant. Your very own comedian will also help you to tell your guests some jokes and silly stories – and they can join in too, if they want! It'll be fun – and very different from any party you've ever had before!

Here at *Comedy Kids*, it's not just about the adults telling the jokes. We also have very short 'open spots' where young people get the chance to perform. But we've yet to find someone who can do that without preparation, so we've set up the world's first 'Comedy Classes' to teach young people how to tell jokes on stage. At the moment our classes are only monthly, but we're planning to start a number of others over the coming year. So if you want to be a comedian but don't want to wait until you grow up, this is where you can do it. And if you're creative but feel you're lacking in the confidence to speak up, we can certainly help. We'll listen to what you want to do, and try to make it happen.

So what are you waiting for? Come and join *Comedy Kids*!

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PART 4

Questions 21–25

Read the text and questions below.
For each question, choose the correct letter **A**, **B**, **C** or **D**.
In the exam, you mark your answers **on a separate answer sheet**.

To Camp or Not to Camp?

When I asked a group of my friends this question, everybody had a strong opinion. Camping was either terrible or wonderful – there was nothing in between. I think it depends on your childhood: if you had fun camping when you were a kid, then that was the beginning of a life-long enjoyment. But the opposite could also be true! The message for families is clear.



Personally, I loved camping when I was a child and I still do today. My father worked in the oil industry and my family moved from city to city. I was quite lonely, I realise now. I never felt that the holidays we spent in other cities were real holidays; *real* holidays were the ones when we got out into the countryside and slept in tents. I think every family should have that experience. And even though I still live and work in a big city, this remains my opinion.

The camping I remember was out there, up mountains, in forests, by rivers – not stuck in campsites. If you're camping with friends or family, that's who you want to be with, not all the other people you meet in campsites. They're too safe – although they do have great showers and shops, and they are reasonable value for money. In fact, a night at a site once in a while lets you all get your clothes clean and stock up with food. But, wherever you go, don't pack lots of things: keep it basic and you'll have a better time.

We took my children camping last summer. We could see they loved it: the freedom, cooking on a fire, looking at the stars at night. I like to think that they understood the value of fresh air and water, sunshine, running and swimming, and that it meant more to them than expensive beach holidays.

21 What is the writer's main purpose in writing the text?

A To explain how to prepare for a camping trip.
B To encourage families to go camping together.
C To describe his childhood camping experiences.
D To persuade parents to let their children go camping.

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22 What does the writer say in the second paragraph?

A He spent a lot of time with his parents when he was young.
B He had a happy childhood.
C He has always taken his holidays in the countryside.
D He has always lived in cities.

23 What does the writer say about campsites?

A It is useful to stay at campsites occasionally.
B It is too expensive to stay at campsites.
C They don't usually have enough facilities.
D They are a good place to make friends.

24 What does he hope his children learnt on their last camping holiday?

A The importance of simple things.
B How to save money.
C The names of stars.
D How to cook food.

25 What is the writer most likely to say?

A *If you go camping, take a map that shows where campsites are.*

B *People don't always realise that camping is enjoyed most by children.*

C *The less you take with you when camping, the more you'll enjoy it.*

D *Remember that camping can be quite dangerous, so plan your trip carefully.*

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PART 5

Questions 26-35

- Read the text below and choose the correct word for each space.
- For each question, mark the letter next to the correct word - **A, B, C** or **D - on your answer sheet.**

Stop the Invaders

Even if you take good **(26)** ... of your body, you can still get sick sometimes. Germs can invade even a healthy body! Getting sick can make you feel miserable, but **(27)** .....are some things that you can do to help yourself get better quickly and be more comfortable. **(28)**..... first thing to do when you are not feeling well is to **(29)** ……..... your parents know.

Sometimes it is hard to tell whether you have a cold, the flu, or something more serious. So your parents may take you to the doctor. Your doctor can **(30)** ……..... tests that will let you know **(31)** ..... is making you sick. You may be sick **(32)** …….. of bacteria. Strep throat is an **(33)** ……. of an illness caused by bacteria. If bacteria has made you sick, your doctor **(34)** ……..... give you antibiotics. Antibiotics are medicines that are designed to help your body get rid **(35)** ……..... the bacteria that is making you sick.

26. A. care	B. responsibility	C. attention	D. trouble
27. A. that	B. this	C. there	D. it
28. A. Some	B.An	C. A	D. The
29. A. admit	B. permit	C. let	D. allow
30. A. do	B. put	C. carry	D. follow
31. A. what	B. which	C. how	D. when
32. A. although	B. despite	C. because	D. due
33. A.case	B. model	C. symbol	D. example
34. A. have	B. will	C. is	D. had
35. A. for	B. from	C.of	D. in

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