



## Test 1st Adolescents (Unit 1)

Name: .....

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### Reading Comprehension

**Read the texts and complete the sentences.**

**Lisa** My favourite place is Brighton. It's a small city – it's smaller than London – but there are a lot of exciting places. It's very friendly. There's a nice beach, too, and it's only five minutes on foot from the city centre.

**Bob** Glasgow, in Scotland, is my favourite place. There are some fantastic modern buildings in Glasgow. There aren't any beaches, but there are some nice parks.

**Karen** Cardiff is my favourite city. It's the capital city of Wales. There's a beautiful castle in the city centre. There are a lot of good theatres there, too.

Lisa's favourite place is Brighton.

- 1 Brighton is a small \_\_\_\_\_.
- 2 Brighton has got a lot of exciting \_\_\_\_\_.
- 3 The beach is five minutes on \_\_\_\_\_ from the centre.
- 4 Bob's favourite place is \_\_\_\_\_.
- 5 Glasgow has got a lot of modern \_\_\_\_\_.
- 6 There aren't any \_\_\_\_\_ in Glasgow.
- 7 Karen's favourite city is \_\_\_\_\_.
- 8 Cardiff is the \_\_\_\_\_ city of Wales.
- 9 The centre has got a beautiful \_\_\_\_\_.
- 10 Cardiff has got a lot of good \_\_\_\_\_.

## Vocabulary

1 Complete the sentences with the words in the box. (10 marks)

flat	school	centre	restaurant	office	centre
station	library	station	cinema	café	

The train station is near my house.

- 1 My brother and I go to the sports c \_\_\_\_\_ on Saturday mornings.
- 2 Is there a bus s \_\_\_\_\_ in your town?
- 3 The shopping c \_\_\_\_\_ has got over 500 shops.
- 4 There are really good films at the c \_\_\_\_\_ this week.
- 5 My mum is a teacher at that s \_\_\_\_\_.
- 6 Our favourite r \_\_\_\_\_ is Pizza Palace on Bank Street.
- 7 This c \_\_\_\_\_ makes really good coffee.
- 8 There are a lot of books in the l \_\_\_\_\_.
- 9 I live in a f \_\_\_\_\_. It's got two bedrooms.
- 10 My dad works in a big o \_\_\_\_\_ in town.

## Language

1 Choose the correct words. (5 marks)

There's / are two theatres.

- 1 There isn't a / **any** park near here.
- 2 There are **some** / an offices next to the theatre.
- 3 There aren't **some** / **any** nice shops here.
- 4 There's a / **some** train station near my house.
- 5 There isn't a / **any** cinema in town.

2 Complete the questions with *Is there* or *Are there*. (5 marks)

Are there any restaurants?

- 1 \_\_\_\_\_ any parks in this town?
- 2 \_\_\_\_\_ a skateboard park?
- 3 \_\_\_\_\_ a library near your house?
- 4 \_\_\_\_\_ any music shops?
- 5 \_\_\_\_\_ an office building?

3 Write the correct comparative form. (5 marks)

friendly – f r i e n d l i e r

- 1 old – o \_\_\_ r
- 2 pretty – p \_\_\_\_\_ r
- 3 dangerous – m \_\_\_ e d \_\_\_\_\_ s
- 4 bad – w \_\_\_ e
- 5 good – b \_\_\_ r

**4 Complete the words in the sentences. (5 marks)**

This building is ol d e r (old) than that building.

- 1 This town is saf    (safe) than that town.
- 2 Cycling is more d          (difficult) in big cities.
- 3 The museum is m    interesting (interesting) than the shopping centre.
- 4 The cinema is big    (big) than the museum.
- 5 Our school is furt    (far) from my house than from your house.

**5 Choose the correct words. (5 marks)**

My school is ten minutes by / on car.

- 1 The train station isn't far – five minutes **by / on** foot.
- 2 Paris is two hours **by / on** plane.
- 3 Murcia is thirty minutes from here **by / on** train.
- 4 The city is two hours **by / on** car.
- 5 My house is ten minutes from here **by / on** foot.