

Task 1. Listen to Kate and James talking about houses in the future.

Tick (☐) T (True) or F (False). You will listen TWICE.

		T	F
1.	James wants to live on another planet.		
2.	James' house will have fifteen rooms.		
3.	James' kitchen can give the smell of food.		
4.	James' robot might speak Martian's language.		

Task 2. Listen to Mr. Wilson talking about the Future City competition. Fill in each gap with ONE WORD OR A NUMBER. You will listen TWICE.

FUTURE CITY COMPETITION	
Participants	- Grade 6 th , 7 th , and 8 th students - Compete in (1)_____teams
Topic	- Living on the (2) _____

Products	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- an essay- a model of the city- a (3)_____plan- a presentation video
Prize	- a scholarship of (4) \$_____

II. READING (2 points)

Task 1. Read the text about recycling. Circle the best answer A, B or C.

Recycling is beneficial. First, recycling means less trash, so it saves space in landfills. Second, if we use materials again, we can take fewer resources from the Earth. Third, recycling materials produce less pollution, so it helps to keep our environment clean.

So what can you do? Be sure to recycle everything you can at home and school. Always drop your used aluminum cans and plastic bottles in a recycling bin. Remember to put paper items like the newspaper, cereal boxes, and homework pages into the recycling bin, too. Besides, find creative ways to reuse old items before throwing them away.

Here are some fun facts about recycling. Old paper can be recycled around seven times. Glass is one of the best recycling materials. Clear glass can be recycled over and over again. In 2009, the United States recycled around 30% of all its waste and they found ways to recycle around 7 million tons of metals.

1. What is NOT a benefit of recycling?

- A. It helps to protect the environment.
- B. It saves the Earth's resources.
- C. It makes landfills safer places.

2.What can you drop in the recycling bin?

- A.Glass bottles.
- B. Paper worksheets.
- C. Old cereal.

3.Which is the best recycling material?

- A.Metal.
- B. Old paper.
- C. Glass.

4.What might be the best title for this reading passage?

- A.All about recycling
- B. Reuse - Reduce - Recycle
- C. Advantages and disadvantages of recycling

Task 2. Circle the correct option to complete each blank.

Havana is the capital, and also the largest city (1) _____Cuba. Havana celebrated its 500th birthday in 2019. There are amazing things to see and (2) ____ in this city. For example, you can visit the National Aquarium and the house of Fuster, a well-known artist in Cuba. He decided to turn his house and the entire (3)_____into a work of art. Don't forget to have fun with the street performers. You might even get a free dancing lesson from some local people. Food in Havana is great. Kids might love to try Coppelia Ice Cream and Cuban sandwich. For adults, don't miss Mojitos and Bucanero Beer, and of course, coffee. It is delicious and a (4)_____of daily life here.

1 A. at

B. of

C. on

2 A. do

B. go

C.
view

3 A.
neighbourhood

B. neighbour

C.
area

4 A. thing

B. piece

C.
part

IV. LANGUAGE FOCUS (2 points)

Task 1. Choose the word with a different way of pronunciation in the underlined part. Circle A, B or C.

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| 1. A. <u>th</u> eatre | B. <u>th</u> an | C. <u>th</u> ink |
| 2. A. cont <u>e</u> st | B. <u>e</u> xercise | C. <u>e</u> xpensive |
| 3. A. g <u>a</u> me | B. g <u>a</u> teway | C. r <u>a</u> cket |
| 4. A. gr <u>o</u> w | B. t <u>o</u> wel | C. f <u>o</u> und |

Task 2. Put the verbs in brackets in the correct form.

1. Refrigerators____(be) invented in 1834.
2. Space robot can____(help) scientists to explore other planets.

