ENGLISH MIDDLE TEST 1

NAME: …….

CLASS:……..

TIME: 45 minutes

I. LISTENING

1. Listen to a talk between Mrs Mai and two students about their favourite programmes. Fill each of the gaps with NO MORE THAN THREE WORDS OR A NUMBER. You will listen TWICE.

	Programme Name	Channel	Content	Feelings
Mi	Kids' Funs	(1) _____	funny (2) _____	fun and relaxing to watch
Tom	(3) _____	Discovery	a gigantic shark	(4) _____
Mrs Mai	Journey to Space	9	(5) _____	interesting

2. Listen to the conversation between a customer and a receptionist at the gym. Answer the questions with NO MORE THAN TWO WORDS AND/OR A NUMBER. You will listen TWICE.

1. What sports are they talking about?

_____

2. What class level is the customer interested in?

_____

3. What class time did the customer choose?

_____

4. What should the customer wear?

_____

5. What does the gym provide?

_____

II. READING

1. Read the following passage about Michael Jordan. Circle A, B or C to answer each question.

Michael Jordan was born on February 17, 1963. He is considered one of the best basketball players ever. He led the Chicago Bulls to six National Basketball Association championships, And won the NBA's Most Valuable Player Award five times.

Jordan started studying at the University of North Carolina (UNC) in 1981. He soon became an important member of the school's basketball team. In 1982, with Jordan scoring the final basket, **the team** defeated Georgetown University and became the champion. He was the College Players of the Year in 1983 and in 1984.

In 1984, Jordan became a member of the U.S. Olympic basketball team. The team won the gold medal that year.

1. What team did Michael Jordan play for?

A. Chicago Bulls

B. National Basketball Association

C. Georgetown University

2. How many times did Michael Jordan win the title "College Player of the Year"?

A. Six times B. Five times C. Two times

3. When did Michael Jordan start playing for the University of North Carolina?

A. 1963 B. 1981 C. 1984

4. What does "**the team**" in paragraph 2 refer to?

A. University of North Carolina

B. Georgetown University

C. College Player

5. What is the best title of this passage?

A. Michael Jordan: life and career

B. Michael Jordan: the best basketball player

C. Michael Jordan: a professional basketball player

2. Read the passage and answer the questions.

Watching television is an interesting and fun activity. The first television broadcast in Australia was in 1956. Back then, the pictures on a TV were black and white only. Television has changed a lot since then.

There are several channels and they show different TV programmers. In Western Australia, the main channels are ABC, Seven, Nine, Ten, and SBS. TV guides tell us what programmers are showing on which channel, and at what time on a day.

Many programmers on television are episodes. They are part of a series. These episodes usually last for either 30 minutes or a full hour. At the weekend there are interesting films. You can watch them instead of going to the cinema.

1. When was the first Australian TV broadcast?

2. How were the pictures on a TV then?

3. List any three TV channels in Western Australia.

4. Where can you find out the time of your favorite TV show?

5. How long do episodes on TV usually last for?

III. LANGUAGE FOCUS

1. Choose the word whose the underlined part is pronounced differently from the other's. Circle A, B or C.

1. A. <u>th</u>is	B. <u>th</u>ough	C. hea<u>th</u>
2. A. mo<u>th</u>er	B. clo<u>th</u>	C. wi<u>th</u>in
3. A. fea<u>th</u>er	B. <u>th</u>eatre	C. ear<u>th</u>
4. A. wea<u>th</u>erman	B. <u>Th</u>anksgiving	C. nei<u>th</u>er
5. A. ba<u>th</u>room	B. ca<u>th</u>edral	C. ano<u>th</u>er

2. Choose the best option to complete each sentence. Circle A, B or C.

1. I _____ football with my friends yesterday.

A. play B. played C. was playing

2. My mother _____ to work yesterday.

A. didn't go B. didn't went C. doesn't go

3. What _____ Jack and Jim _____ last weekend?

A. do – do B. does – do C. did – do

4. The concert _____ held in the City Hall.

A. did B. was C. were

5. Who _____ the food and drinks last night?

A. did buy B. did bought C. bought

3. Choose the best option to complete each sentence. Circle A, B or C.

1. We need to fix the basketball _____ before the match.

A. court B. ring C. pool

2. You will need a good _____ to play tennis.

A. rope B. racket C. basket

3. When you go swimming, you should wear _____ to protect your eyes.

A. pedals B. skis C. goggles

4. I'm going for a bike _____ after class.

A. race B. ride C. drive

5. First thing in table tennis is you need to learn how to _____ a ball.

A. catch B. serve C. throw