

MULTIPLE CHOICE 1

A- WRITE THE CORRECT ANSWER (A, B, C, OR D) IN THE GAPS.

HOW MUCH DO YOU SLEEP?

A study which (0) _____ at school start times has shown that a later start can (1) _____ in improved attention and mood of students.

Over 240 students aged between 13 and 18 took (2) _____ in the study at a school in Luisiana, USA. Rather than beginning classes at 8 a.m., they (3) _____ the start of the school day by half an hour (i.e. until 8.30 am). The students all (4) _____ in a questionnaire both before and after the study. The number of them who (5) _____ to sleep for more than eight hours per night rose from 17.4% to 54.7 % during the study. The researchers who (6) _____ out the study claimed that students needed to (7) _____ around nine hours a night sleeping. This amount of sleep (8) _____ then to function properly during the day and, in particular, to (9) _____ on their lessons.

What else did the researchers find out? The percentage of students who said they were unhappy dropped from 67.8% to 45.1%. They also felt more positive about school and, because of this, they (10) _____ more of their lessons and they (11) _____ more progress. The students and teachers were so pleased with the effect that they voted to (12) _____ to start at 8.30 am. the following term.

0 A reviewed	B looked	C researched	D watched
1 A develop	B lead	C result	D follow
2 A place	B position	C piece	D part
3 A postponed	B stopped	C put	D cancelled
4 A completed	B finished	C answered	D filled
5 A succeeded	B managed	C achieved	D arrived
6 A set	B carried	C dealt	D based
7 A take	B pass	C spend	D last
8 A enabled	B let	C ensured	D meant
9 A think	B consider	C remember	D concentrate
10 A attended	B appeared	C associated	D accompanied
11 A took	B did	C made	D went
12 A repeat	B continue	C remain	D extend

B- WRITE THE CORRECT ANSWER (A, B, C, OR D) IN THE GAPS.**MAGICIAN AND ESCAPE ARTIST THE AMAZING HARRY HOUDINI**

Hanging upside down from a tall building isn't normally most kids' (0) _____ of fun, especially if your hands and feet are tied together. (1) _____, if you read about the life of Ehrich Weiss, you'll discover that he was not your (2) _____ kid. As an adult, he (3) _____ his name to Harry Houdini and went on to become a world-famous escape artist. In fact, (4) _____ some people, he was the greatest escape artist of all (5) _____.

Born in Hungary in 1874, Harry Houdini was (6) _____ in the USA. Around the age of twelve, he developed a great (7) _____ in magic and started performing card tricks in small theatres and at funfairs. Harry later developed amazing escape tricks, and these really drew the public's (8) _____.

(9) _____ how he was tied up — with chains, ropes or handcuffs — the great Harry Houdini would (10) _____ manage to escape. Once people had become used to his tricks, he would develop even more dangerous ones, including escaping from water-filled tanks and cases. Harry Houdini was a clever showman and he always managed to get excellent (11) _____ for his shows. (12) _____ he arrived in a new town, he would invite the police to put handcuffs on him, which, of course, he then escaped (13) _____.

0 A idea	B attitude	C plan	D suggestion
1 A Despite this	B What's more	C But then	D Rather than
2 A familiar	B average	C medium	D general
3 A turned	B replaced	C moved	D changed
4 A according to	B believed by	C referring to	D stated by
5 A time	B day	C year	D era
6 A raised by	B grown up	C come from	D brought up
7 A love	B interest	C hobby	D fascination
8 A attraction	B agreement	C attention	D approval
9 A No way	B No matter	C No need	D No wonder
10 A yet	B quite	C still	D already
11 A advertisement	B media	C broadcast	D publicity
12 A Whenever	B Whatever	C Whoever	D Whichever
13 A of	B from	C ---	D at