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**READING AND WRITING****I) READ THE FOLLOWING ARTICLE CAREFULLY:****TONY HAWK: THE MAN AND THE CHAMPION**

Tony Hawk is American. He's 34 and he's got three children and an ordinary job at a small shop. So, what's special about him? He's the skateboarding world champion! He has definitely got talent! 'I always want to be the winner', he says.



Tony has 73 prizes from skateboarding competitions. He's 34 but he can skateboard like a 16-year-old boy. He goes very fast and he does tricks on his skateboard: he jumps high in the air! But he never falls and he always looks good. Incredible!

Tony can do other things, too. He loves writing books and he even makes computer games! Lots of people buy his books. His book 'Hawk- Occupation: skateboarder' is excellent and it's famous in the United States.

Tony also has a skateboarding and music show and he performs all around the United States and Canada. He doesn't play the music in his show- he can't play the guitar or sing- but he performs his acts with other people, and some musicians play rock music. 'I enjoy performing on stage in front of a big audience', he says. The show is very popular and when it finishes, everybody is very happy!

**A) NOW ANSWER "TRUE" OR "FALSE":**

- 1- Tony is really good at skateboarding and writing. \_\_\_\_\_
- 2- When he does his tricks, Tony usually gets hurt. \_\_\_\_\_
- 3- Tony works in a shop. \_\_\_\_\_

**B) CHOOSE THE BEST ANSWER: a), b) or c):**

- 4- Tony ...
  - a- was the winner in a writing competition.
  - b- got a prize for his book 'Hawk- Occupation: skateboarder'.
  - c- got the first prize in a skateboarding world championship.
- 5- Tony ...
  - a- sings and plays musical instruments in his show.
  - b- isn't the only performer in his show.
  - c- isn't famous.

**II) FILL IN THE BLANKS. CHOOSE THE WORDS FROM THE BOX BELOW:**

Bob's very happy today 1- \_\_\_\_\_ it's his birthday and he always has a special celebration. This year it's his 2- \_\_\_\_\_ birthday! At the moment he's 3- \_\_\_\_\_ all his friends to his party. His Mum always 4- \_\_\_\_\_ a chocolate cake for him but today she 5- \_\_\_\_\_ cooking that - She wants to prepare some pancakes with fruit and chocolate sauce... mmm! Delicious!

**DOESN'T – INVITING – BUT – EIGHTEENTH – MAKES – BECAUSE – ISN'T**

**III) READ PART OF FRANCI'S EMAIL TO A FRIEND. CHOOSE THE CORRECT ANSWER : a) b) or c)**

Dear Paul,

My friends and I are spending our summer holidays in Lima and we go **1-** \_\_\_\_\_ in the river every day. We arrived yesterday and travelled across the mountains by bike. Our **2-** \_\_\_\_\_ day was amazing! Today we're going to another place so we're packing a bottle of water and a **3-** \_\_\_\_\_ because it's very hot and **4-** \_\_\_\_\_.

Now we **5-** \_\_\_\_\_ plans for tomorrow. We want to go to Caral, the home of an old civilization.

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| <b>1-</b> a- boat   | b- cycle  | c- sailing    |
| <b>2-</b> a- first  | b- third  | c- second     |
| <b>3-</b> a- shorts | b- hat    | c- sunglasses |
| <b>4-</b> a- sunny  | b- cold   | c- rains      |
| <b>5-</b> a- make   | b- making | c- are making |

**IV) COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING DIALOGUE:**

**TOM:** **1-** .....?  
**MARK:** Running. I run every day after school.  
**TOM:** Oh, that's good exercise but **2-**.....  
**MARK:** Really? I love them! And I've got another "hobby", too  
- I buy lots of sports shoes!  
**TOM:** Sports shoes?? **3-** .....?  
**MARK:** 12. They're beautiful.  
**TOM:** And tell me. Where do you keep them?  
**MARK:** **4-**.....  
**TOM:** I see! And tell me... **5-** .....?  
**MARK:** I get a pair every week.

- A-** I love doing exercise too.
- B-** How old are you?
- C-** How often do you buy shoes?
- D-** How many have you got?
- E-** What's your favourite sport?
- F-** I'm very bad at sports.
- G-** In a cupboard in my room.

**WRITING:**

**This is part of an email from a friend that you received yesterday. Read it and answer it.**

... You know? Next weekend I'm travelling to B. A. because I've got an important football match. I love football!!! What about you? What's your favourite sport? How often do you train? Is it a difficult sport to do? By the way, your mum told me you go to a different school! Do you like it? How many students are there in your class? Well, I must stop now. Please, write to me soon and answer all my questions!

Love,  
Brenda

Dear Brenda,  
Thanks for your email. Now, I'm writing to answer your questions.

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That's all for now. Write me soon.  
Love,  
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