JUNIOR 1
FINAL EXAM

READING

1)- Read about Covent Garden. Then, read the sentences below, decide if they are true (T) or false (F)

Come to COVENT GARDEN

Covent Garden is a popular place for tourists. It's got an interesting history. It was the first public square in London. The architect, Inigo Jones, took the idea from Italian cities, and called it the Piazza.

In the 1750s a market started there. It sold fruit and vegetables to shops all over the city. In 1830 there was one market building, but a century later there were more and more, because the market was big and important. There were also theatres, cafès and restaurants in the area.

In 1973 the market moved to an area of London with good transport and car parks. Planners wanted to build a conference centre, hotels and roads in Covent Garden, but the people of London wanted the beautiful square and historic buildings to stay. In the end, Londoners got what they wanted.

Now the first market building is an unusual shopping centre. It's got a lot of small shops. They sell artistic things –it's great for tourists!

There are still theatres, including the Royal Opera House, and there's a Theatre Museum and a Transport Museum.

In the Piazza there are street musicians and circus performers. It's a wonderful place to visit when you come to London!

1-Covent Garden's first name was the Piazza. _____

2-In the 1750s, the market sold meat and fruits. _____

3- In 1830, there were more than one building. _____

4- The first market building is a shopping centre now. _____

5- In 1973, people of London wanted to build new hotels and roads in Covent Garden. _____

6- You can also learn about transport and theatre's history in this place. _____