

English test

GRAMMAR

1 Underline the correct verb form.

Example: I usually read / am reading the newspaper in the evenings.

- 1 Roberto writes / is writing an email to his sister at the moment.
- 2 Joanna usually works / is working in a coffee shop at the weekends.
- 3 We always eat / are eating lunch at home on Sundays.
- 4 Lara waits / is waiting for her flight right now.
- 5 That's my sister over there. She wears / is wearing a red skirt.

2 Complete the sentences. Use the present continuous form of the verb in brackets.

Example: Leon is reading (read) a book in his room.

- 1 Maria _____ (stay) in a hotel near our house.
- 2 We _____ (have) a great time in London.
- 3 Alex _____ (make) dinner for John and Pat.
- 4 I can't talk right now. I _____ (drive) to the office.
- 5 Jack and Ben _____ (do) their homework.

VOCABULARY

3 Complete the sentences. Write one word in each gap. The words are all related to clothes.

Example: It's cold today, so I'm wearing a sweater.

- 1 Where are my black tr _____? I want to wear them at work today.
- 2 Mary always wears a dr _____ when she goes to a restaurant.
- 3 I like wearing j _____ and a T-shirt at the weekends.
- 4 My husband works in a bank and he wears a s _____ and tie to work every day.
- 5 Mike works in the kitchen in a restaurant. He wears a big hat and a white j _____.

4 Complete the email with a verb from the box. Use the correct verb form.

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Hi Jenny,

We're on holiday now and we're having a great time! Here are some photos of everything so far. The first photo is me. I'm at home and I'm ¹ _____ my suitcase. I have so many clothes! Then, in the second photo, you can see us in Paris. We're ² _____ at our hotel. In the third photo, you can see us in a shop near our hotel. We're ³ _____ presents for our friends. Don't worry...I have a present for you, too!

In the next photo, we're ⁴ _____ a train to a different city. That was hard because we can't speak French! And in the last photo, it's me in our little car – we're ⁵ _____ a car here for a week!

See you on Monday!

Carly

READING

1 Read the blog. Complete the sentences with ONE word.

A different life

Emma Livingston works for a children's organization in Africa. Every day, she writes her blog for an online news website.

Tuesday, 15th August

Every morning, I get up at 6 o'clock and go to the camp. One thousand families live there. They don't have much food or water.

At the moment, I'm working in the school and helping some teachers. I'm at the school right now. It's in a big, old house near the camp, and it's open to children from five to 12 years old. It's usually hot inside. I'm teaching three classes every day this week.

When the children arrive at school at a quarter past seven, they go into the house and meet their friends. They talk and play games. They love games! Then, classes start at a quarter past eight. The children can speak a little English, but they can't write in English. I'm teaching them to write words and sentences.

The children love asking questions. They have questions about my life in England, my family, and about my boyfriend! The teachers make some food for the children, and they eat it before they go home. The children go back to their families in the afternoon.

There's a computer in the school and I use it to send emails to my family and my boyfriend. I usually have my dinner about 7 o'clock, but tonight I'm meeting my friend. She's German and we're cooking something together.

Example: There are one thousand families at the camp.

- 1 The families at the camp don't have a lot of f _____ to eat.
- 2 The students at the school are five to t _____ years old.
- 3 The children ask about Emma's boyfriend and her f _____.
- 4 Emma can use the c _____ at the school.
- 5 Emma's friend comes from G _____.

Read the blog again. Tick (✓) True or False.

Example: Emma works for a children's organization.

True False

- 1 Emma works in India.
True False
- 2 Emma gets up late every day.
True False
- 3 The children's school is big and cool.
True False
- 4 The school building is old.
True False
- 5 Emma's teaching three days this week.
True False
- 6 The children play games in the classroom when they arrive at school.
True False
- 7 The children can write in English.
True False
- 8 The children don't ask Emma questions.
True False
- 9 The children stay at school after lunch.
True False
- 10 Emma writes emails to her family and her boyfriend after school.
True False

LISTENING

1 Listen to Jan and Louise's telephone conversation. Tick (✓) True or False.

- 1 Louise is in the park.
True False
- 2 Jan would like to have a coffee with Louise today.
True False
- 3 Louise can't meet Jan at 3 o'clock.
True False
- 4 Jan isn't having a holiday this year.
True False
- 5 Louise can give Jan a book about New York.
True False