

Reading the purpose of a text; multiple choice with six texts

1 Read the Exam Reminder. Which three questions can help you understand the purpose of a text?

2 Now read the texts and complete the Exam Task.

Exam REMINDER

The purpose of a text

- Try to answer these questions while you read a text: Who wrote this text? Why did they write it? Who is it for?
- Use your own words to describe the main idea of each text.
- For each text, read the answer options and choose the correct answer.

Exam TASK

Multiple choice with six texts

For each question, choose the correct answer.

1

Tall Trees Cinema

Grand Opening
2nd March

Come and celebrate
with us!

Film tickets – £2 off,
drinks and snacks –
half price

First show – 1 p.m.

- A Food and drinks have a discount.
- B Only tickets for the 1 p.m. show are on sale.
- C There is only one show that day.

2

Sean, I've gone to the supermarket ... we haven't got any bread for sandwiches. It's 2.30 p.m. now. I'll be back in about 25–30 mins. Sorry for the wait! Jill

Why did Jill write this note?

- A to see if Sean can come to her house later
- B to let Sean know that she is out
- C to ask Sean to bring bread for sandwiches

3

The front entrance to the museum is closed.

Please use the South Entrance.

Thank you for your understanding.

- A The museum is closed at the moment.
- B There is another museum south of here.
- C You can enter the museum another way.

4

Would you like to see all the best sights of Rome in one easy tour?

Rome Tours offers the best walking experience in the historic centre! You will love our fun five-hour tours. The ticket price includes lunch.

Call 322 459321 for pricing and more information.

- A The walking tour is for a couple of hours.
- B Tourists have to pay extra for their lunch.
- C You can call the number to find out the price.

5

Euro Air Flight 227 from Dublin to Cologne on Thursday 27th February will not fly out. We are working hard to find another flight for you as soon as possible. We will send you a text when we have more information.

- A The flight from Dublin to Cologne is delayed.
- B There are no other flights from Dublin today.
- C A person will contact passengers with new information.

6

From: Donna
To: Dad

I wanted to send you a quick email to say that we are in Amsterdam. Our guest house is lovely, but the room is a bit small for a family of four. The children are happy, but there was a mistake and little Raquel doesn't have a bed to sleep in at the moment. The staff are going to bring another one. I can't wait to see the city! Speak later!

- A Only Donna and Raquel are staying in the room.
- B Workers from the guest house will come to the room later.
- C Raquel will not be able to sleep in that room.