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Cambridge Young Learners English

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Reading & Writing

Sample Paper



CAMBRIDGE ENGLISH
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There are 50 questions.

You have 40 minutes.

You will need a pen or pencil.

My name is: .....

LIVEWORKSHEETS

Part 1

– 10 questions –

Look and read. Choose the correct words and write them on the lines. There is one example.

a fridge an apartment cupboards knives

	People like flying this in the sky on a windy day.	.....a kite.....
	1 You find this in the kitchen. It is cold inside.	.....
salt	2 This is white and we put it on food. Children often like it on chips.	..... volleyball
	3 These are made of metal. You cut food like bread and fruit with them.	.....
	4 These usually have shelves inside and doors on the front. They are often made of wood.	.....
vegetables	5 This is a game for two teams, which you can play on grass with a little white ball.	..... a kite
	6 They look like lemons but they are smaller and they are green.	.....
limes	7 Many people live in this kind of home. All the rooms are usually on the same floor.	..... meals
	8 You play this game in a team. You throw a ball in the air and hit it with your hands and arms.	.....
sugar	9 You can grow these in the ground. Beans, peppers and carrots are some examples.	..... scissors
	10 People have these every day. Breakfast is one of them.	.....

chicken an armchair hockey

LIVEWORKSHEETS

Part 2

– 7 questions –

Look and read. Write yes or no.



Examples

There are two big black suitcases and one small red one. yes

The dog is next to the woman who is listening to music. no

LIVEWORKSHEETS

Questions

1 The time on the round clock is quarter past nine. .....

2 The woman who is talking on the telephone is also holding a newspaper. .....

3 The woman with a baby has got a fan in her hand. .....

4 A boy is putting an empty bottle into the bin. .....

5 One of the men in the café is wearing black shorts. .....

6 The door which is nearer to the plant is closed. .....

7 The man in the uniform has got a green flag in his hand. .....

LIVEWORKSHEETS

Part 3

– 5 questions –

Katy is talking to her friend, Helen. What does Helen say?

Read the conversation and choose the best answer.
Write a letter (A–H) for each answer.

You do not need to use all the letters.

Example



Katy: Miss Brown is going to leave our school next week, isn't she?



Helen: B .....

Questions

1 

Katy: Let's buy her a present!



Helen: .....

2 

Katy: What shall we get for her?



Helen: .....

3 

Katy: I know! Let's try that new shop in town.



Helen: .....

4 

Katy: Is it in River Street? That's a long way from here.



Helen: .....

5 

Katy: OK. We can go there now. Have you got any money?



Helen: .....

LIVEWORKSHEETS



A	Yes, she did.	
B	Yes, that's right!	**(Example)**
C	Oh yes, the one near the hospital.	
D	OK. She'd like that!	
E	I don't know. It's difficult to choose.	
F	No, I need to go home and get some.	
G	Yes it is, so we'll have to go by bus.	
H	He had one last year.	

LIVEWORKSHEETS

Part 4

– 6 questions –

Read the story. Choose a word from the box. Write the correct word next to numbers 1–5. There is one example.



My aunt went on holiday last month but she couldn't take her cat, Tiger, to a hotel with her, so he stayed with us. My aunt gave us some food for Tiger and Mum put it in the hall. Most of the time, Tiger enjoyed (**1**) ..... in our garden, but at dinner time he always came into the hall to eat. On Saturday afternoon, Mum said to me, "Can you give Tiger his food today because I have to go out?"

"Of course, Mum," I answered and at five o'clock I went (**2**) ..... to call him.

"Tiger! Tiger! Time to eat!"

But he didn't come. I wanted to watch a TV programme in the living room so I (**3**) ..... a window for Tiger to come in. Ten minutes later, I heard something strange and I (**4**) ..... into the hall. When I got there, Tiger and three other cats from our street were all eating their dinner from his (**5**) ..... !

LIVEWORKSHEETS

example				
month	sleep	outside	torch	ran
ready	closed	bowl	sleeping	opened

(6) Now choose the best name for the story.

Tick one box.

Tiger goes to a hotel	☐
Tiger' s dinner party	☐
Tiger runs away	☐

LIVEWORKSHEETS

Part 5

– 7 questions –

Look at the picture and read the story. Write some words to complete the sentences about the story. You can use 1, 2, 3 or 4 words.

Emma's favourite doll



My name is Betty and I have a little sister called Emma. She has lots of dolls, but her favourite one is called Daisy. Mum and Dad gave it to her when she was a baby and she takes it everywhere with her. She takes it to school and to her bedroom and when we sit down to eat, the doll always sits next to Emma.

Last Sunday, our family went to the park to have a picnic. We took our dog, Treasure, with us and of course, Emma took Daisy too. There were a lot of people in the park because it was sunny. We found a place near the lake to have our picnic. After lunch, Emma and I went on the swings. After a few minutes, Emma said to me, "Betty, I want Daisy on the swing with me. Can you go and get her for me?" "OK!" I answered.

But when I went back to our picnic, Daisy wasn't there. "Mum!" I shouted, "we've lost Daisy!" Dad looked in all the bags and Mum and I looked under our sweaters and other things, but we couldn't find her. I went to tell Emma the bad news, but when I got there, I saw Treasure. He carried Daisy carefully in his mouth. "Look!" said Emma, "Treasure has brought Daisy to play with me. He's very kind."

LIVEWORKSHEETS

Examples

Betty has a little sister called Emma.

Daisy is Emma's favourite doll.

Questions

1 Emma got the doll when she ..... .

2 Daisy always sits ..... Emma when she eats.

3 The family had a ..... in the park on Sunday.

4 The park was full of people because ..... .

5 Emma and Betty played on ..... after lunch.

6 Mum and Betty looked everywhere, but they ..... the doll.

7 ..... brought the doll to Emma.

LIVEWORKSHEETS

Part 6

– 10 questions –

Read the text. Choose the right words and write them on the lines.

Hospitals



Example When we think of a hospital, perhaps we only think of

1 doctors and nurses there, but other people ..... there too.

2 They all do important jobs. ..... are secretaries, cooks and engineers. In hospitals with a lot of children, they have teachers

3 who give ..... lessons when they can't go to school. Some

4 people go to hospital ..... for one day, but other people

5 need to ..... there for a longer time. If you go to hospital,

6 sometimes you ..... to wait a long time before you see the

7 doctor ..... doctors have a lot of work to do. If you are in

8 hospital for a long time, you need to take clothes and ..... books or comics to read. Often your friends and family bring you

9 cards and flowers ..... they visit you. Hospitals are full of

10 people ..... want to help you, but most of us still want to go home quickly.

LIVEWORKSHEETS

Example	*a*	*an*	*the*
1	work	works	working
2	That	There	Someone
3	this	these	them
4	just	still	already
5	stay	stays	staying
6	have	must	should
7	but	because	if
8	much	some	every
9	than	when	or
10	who	which	what

LIVEWORKSHEETS

Part 7

– 5 questions –

Read the letter and write the missing words. Write one word on each line.





Dear Camera Club,

Example I have read ..about.. the competition in your magazine.

1 I am sending you a photo that I ..... with my

2 camera in London last year. The picture is .....

3 "Sea of Umbrellas". That day ..... very wet, so everyone had an umbrella. It looked like a sea of umbrellas.

4 Please can you send it back to me ..... you have finished with it? I have written my name and address

5 ..... the back.

from

Harry Green



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