

# SPOT 2

## UNIT 2: FACT OR FICTION?

### PART 1

### SHORT TEXT

Read the text carefully in each question. Choose the best answer A, B or C.

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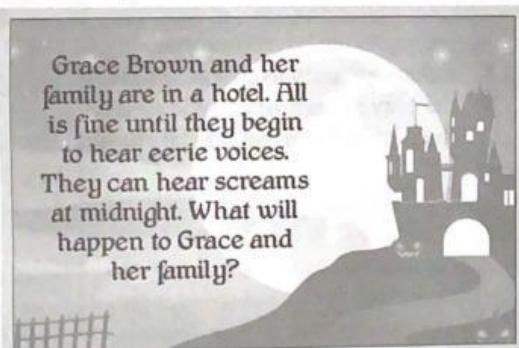
To: karim@mail.com  
Subject: Purchase Book for Project

Dear Karim,

I went to the bookshop yesterday and bought a book for our project. It narrates the rise and fall of the Malaccan Sultanate which can be very useful to us. There is another interesting book entitled *Malacca and Its Invasion*. Should I buy that too? What do you think?

Ramli

1 Karim and Ramli  
A have an interest in Malaysian history.  
B enjoy reading books on historical events in Malacca.  
C are looking for reading materials for their History project.



2 The best title for the movie synopsis above is  
A The Haunted Marvel Hotel.  
B The Adventures of Grace Brown.  
C The Brown Family.

- Be on time!
- Do not use phone
- No talking

3 Who should follow these rules?  
A Salim who is at the cinema  
B Davis who is at the museum  
C Francis who is at the bookshop

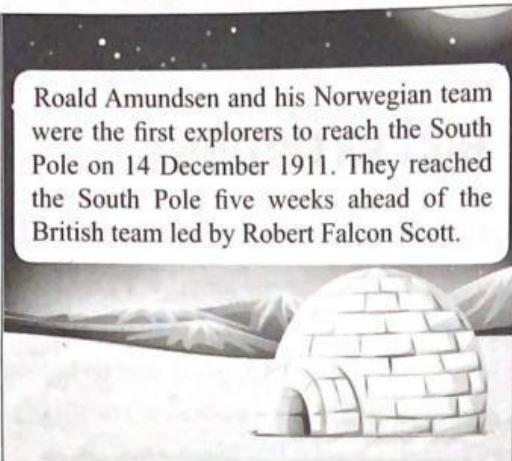


**Little Botanist**

- Latest information on floras
- Colourful illustrations
- A step-by-step guide to set up your rock garden



4 This book is suitable for children who likes  
A arts.  
B gardening.  
C cooking.



Roald Amundsen and his Norwegian team were the first explorers to reach the South Pole on 14 December 1911. They reached the South Pole five weeks ahead of the British team led by Robert Falcon Scott.

5 Roald Amundsen and his team

- A were the pioneers in the South Pole exploration.
- B came in second after Robert Falcon Scott and his team.
- C reached the South Pole five weeks after the British explorers.

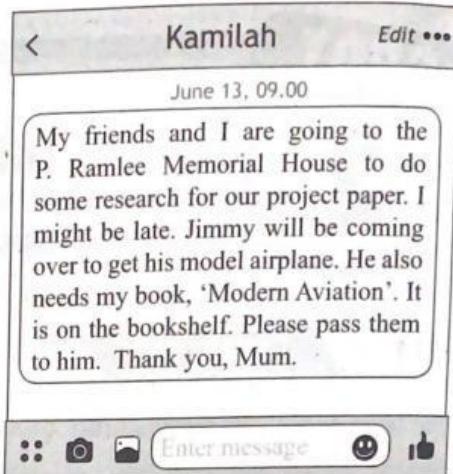
Dear Azura,

There is a play on Hang Tuah at the local theatre next Saturday. I know you love watching plays, especially on local themes. It's a two-hour show beginning at 7 p.m. We can then have dinner at our favourite stall. Let me know if you are keen.

Melati

6 Azura and Melati will probably

- A go home after the performance.
- B watch a movie at the Rex Cinema.
- C eat dinner after 9 p.m.



7 Kamilah wants her mother to

- A borrow Jimmy's model airplane.
- B meet her at the P. Ramlee Memorial House.
- C give her book and the model airplane to Jimmy.

**THE LEGEND OF MAHSURI**  
**BY PUSPA PERFORMING ARTS**  
**CATCH THIS LEGENDARY PLAY**

Date : 27 November 2025  
Venue : Mega Theatre  
Time : 10 a.m., 3 p.m. & 7 p.m.

Limited seats!  
Get your tickets at:  
All Famous Bookshop or  
go to: [www.puspaperformingarts.com.my](http://www.puspaperformingarts.com.my)

8 According to the advertisement,

- A tickets are only available online.
- B the play is performed twice a day.
- C the play is based on a local theme.

**PART 2****ERROR CORRECTION**

Read the text below and correct the underlined errors.  
For each question, write the correct word in the space provided.

**The Hunger Games**

The Hunger Games is (0) a American science fiction-adventure film. It was directed (1) for Gary Ross based on Suzanne Collin's 2008 novel with the same name. The setting is (2) at Panem. There are 12 districts in this nation and each district needs to (3) sent two tributes, a boy and a girl, aged between 12 and 18 to participate in this game. The tributes are (4) select through a lottery. The 24 participants are forced to eliminate their competitors in their quest to win the battle. They are (5) than asked to fight to death. This battle is televised for the nations of Panem to watch. The protagonists in (6) these story are Katniss and Peeta. They have been trained to keep (7) they powerful strengths a secret. Katniss is good at archery (8) although Peeta's strength lies in weight lifting. Eventually, they both win the battle.

[8 marks]

Example:

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No.	Write your answer
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**PART 3****INFORMATION TRANSFER**

Read the text below and complete the following table with no more than three words and/or a number from the text for each answer.

**Amy Johnson**

Amy Johnson was born on 1st July 1903. She lived with her father and four sisters in Hull. Her father had a fish import and export business. She graduated with a Bachelor of Arts degree in Economics from Sheffield University. However, her passion was for aviation. It began as a hobby but later she progressed to gain her aviator's certificate.

She was no ordinary woman as she was a British aviator. She created history by being the first woman to fly solo from London to Australia in 1930. After her outstanding feat, she became a superstar. 10 songs were dedicated to her for her remarkable achievement. In 1932, she notched up another victory by flying solo from London to Cape Town, Africa in 1932.

In 1932, she married a Scottish pilot, Jim Mollison. Together with her husband, they flew across the Atlantic. They set a new world record and were celebrated by the Americans including President Roosevelt.

Amy then took a break from the aviation world and focused on business ventures, journalism and fashion. She modelled clothes for Elsa Schiaparelli and even designed her travelling bag!

However, when the Second World War broke out in 1939, she joined the Air Transport Auxiliary that flew aircraft from factories to the Royal Air Force airbases around the country. She died while on duty on 5th January 1941 while flying an Airspeed Oxford. Her plane crashed into the Thames Estuary. A nearby ship, HMS Haslemere, reportedly spotted her parachute in the water but severe weather conditions obstructed any rescue attempt. However, her body was never found.

Amy Johnson is an inspiration for all women. She is an icon to every woman that gender is not an obstacle. Dream big and reach for the stars!

**Amy Johnson**

Hometown	1	_____
Interest in	2	_____
Solo flights	3	_____
	4	_____
Husband	5	_____
Modelled for	6	_____
Crash site	7	_____
Date of death	8	_____

[8 marks]

**PART 4****SHORT ANSWER**

Study the poster and answer the questions that follow.

For question 1 to 4, write True or False for every statement given.

For 5 to 8, choose no more than five words and/or a number from the text for each answer.

## TORQUAY MUSEUM

Devon, UK

Open every day from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. except Sundays (Last entry: 3.15 p.m.)

### Visit the Agatha Christie Gallery

An exhibition about her life and works

- Over 700 items such as books, memorabilia and props
- Original manuscripts and costumes worn by actors who played famous Agatha Christie characters (Hercule Poirot and Miss Marple)
- Explore the set of Hercule Poirot's office from a TV series

### Entry tickets

Adult:	£11
Children under 3:	Free
Children 3 – 16:	£4.50
Senior citizens:	£9

Only permanent exhibition in the UK dedicated to Agatha Christie, the famous crime writer!

Check this website regularly for updates on Agatha Christie events such as talks, film screenings and festivals.

- 1 The gallery is closed to the public on Sundays. \_\_\_\_\_
- 2 Students can enjoy a discounted entry fee. \_\_\_\_\_
- 3 The museum organises film screenings at the gallery every month. \_\_\_\_\_
- 4 The gallery displays first-edition books authored by Agatha Christie. \_\_\_\_\_
- 5 Visitors would not be allowed to enter the museum after \_\_\_\_\_. \_\_\_\_\_
- 6 Visitors can see the set of \_\_\_\_\_ as used in a television series at the gallery. \_\_\_\_\_
- 7 Torquay Museum is home to the only \_\_\_\_\_ about Agatha Christie. \_\_\_\_\_
- 8 Fans of the crime writer can get information about events related to her life and work from \_\_\_\_\_.

[8 marks]

**PART 5****MATCHING (GAPPED TEXT)**

Read the text below. Eight sentences have been removed from the text.

For 1 to 4, choose from the sentences (A – D) to fit each gap.

For 5 to 8, choose from the sentence (E – H) to fit each gap.

**Famous Film Festivals Around the World**

Film festivals usually screen films from different countries and cultures. There are several famous annual film festivals around the world.

The Cannes Film Festival was founded in 1946. (1) It is held every year in Cannes, France in May. It screens new films and documentaries from around the world.

Another well-known festival is the Sundance Film Festival. It is held in Utah, America. It has been held every year in January since 1978. It showcases new films by American and international independent film makers. (2)

The Berlin International Film Festival is one of the world's leading festivals. It is an annual event usually held in February. (3) Other events organised include film trade fairs, lectures and workshops. Around 20,000 professionals from over 130 countries attend the festival.

The oldest film festival is the Venice Film Festival. (4) It takes place either in late August or September. Even though it is held in the island of Lido in Venice, films are screened in the famous Palazzo del Cinema and other nearby venues.

- A Around 400 films are screened during the festival.
- B It is an invitation-only festival.
- C It was founded in 1932.
- D It also organises a competition for various film categories.

**A Classic Novel: Anne of Green Gables**

Anne of Green Gables is a novel written by a Canadian author named Lucy Maud Montgomery. (5) Suitable for readers of all ages, it is considered a classic children's novel.

The novel is about an 11-year-old orphan named Anne Shirley. It is set in the late 19th century in the fictional town of Avonlea in Prince Edward Island, Canada. Anne is mistakenly sent to live with two middle-aged siblings – Marilla and Matthew Cuthbert. (6) They originally wanted to adopt a boy but they accept Anne into their home. The story is about Anne's life with the siblings, in school and with the townsfolk.

Anne is an imaginative, fanciful and dramatic girl. She is talkative especially about her dreams. (7)

The novel has been translated into 36 languages. (8) Therefore, it is one of the world's best-selling novels. After this novel, Montgomery wrote seven sequels which were published between 1909 and 1939.

- E The siblings live and run their farm at Green Gables.
- F It has sold over 50 million copies worldwide.
- G Her lively nature brings joy to Green Gables.
- H It was published in 1908.