You **must** answer this question.

Write your answer in about **100 words**.

Question 1

Read this email from your English-speaking friend Sam and the notes you have made.

New Message

From: Sam

Subject: Learning the guitar

Hi

I know you play the guitar really well. Guess what! I've just started learning, too. ← *Fantastic!*

I was wondering if you'd be able to give me some advice. How often do you practise, and for how long? ← *Tell Sam*

Should I buy a guitar straight away or just use the one the school has lent me for now? ← *Say which is better*

Would you be able to teach me how to play some simple songs? ← *Yes, but ...*

See you soon

Sam

Write your **email** to Sam using **all the notes**.

Part 2

Choose **one** of these questions.

Write your answer in about **100 words**.

Question 2

You see this announcement in your school English-language magazine.

Articles wanted!
The time you spend online
How much time do you spend online each day on computers and mobile phones?
Do you think parents should limit how long their children can spend online each day?
What are the benefits of spending less time online?
The best articles answering these questions will be published next month.

Write your **article**.

Question 3

Your English teacher has asked you to write a story.
Your story must begin with this sentence.

Anna had just got out of bed when the phone suddenly started ringing.

Write your **story**.

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Part 1

Question 1:

Remember that the test is about English, not your knowledge of music! So there are no right or wrong answers.

How often do you think good musicians practice, and for how long each day? You need to say a length of time and how often.

Should someone buy an expensive musical instrument if they've only just started playing? What are the reasons for your opinion?

What problems could there be teaching a beginner how to play the guitar?

Part 2

Question 2:

How would you feel if your parents limited the amount of time you could spend online each day? Are there any benefits to spending less time online?

Question 3:

Who do you think was calling? What did they want? What happened next? How might the story end?

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