

# Exam Practice

## Part 1: Reading

A- Read the following paragraphs. Circle the best answer (a, b, or c) for each space.

### Rania Elwani

Rania was one of the world's .....(0).... swimmers and a great athlete. She .....(1)..... born in 1977 in Cairo. She got her first swimming prize .....(2).... she was 13 years old.

She was .....(3)..... very good student. She .....(4)..... degrees in Science and Medicine. She does not .....(5)..... in competitions now, but she is a member of the International Olympic Committee (IOC).

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| 0. a. fast  | b. faster   | <b><u>c. fastest</u></b> |
| 1. a. was   | b. is       | c. were                  |
| 2. a. where | b. when     | c. what                  |
| 3. a. an    | b. a        | c. the                   |
| 4. a. had   | b. having   | c. have                  |
| 5. a. swim  | b. swimming | c. swims                 |

**B- Look at the following notes and signs in each question and circle the letter next to the correct meaning (a-c).**

1

**Warning**

Road works starting next month.  
Please use other routes where possible.

- a. There are traffic problems on this route today.
- b. You should start planning to travel a different way.
- c. There will be delays for the next four weeks.

2

Please wait here until a member of staff takes you to your seat.

- a. Somebody will show you where you can sit.
- b. If you don't want to wait you can go straight to your seat.
- c. You should go to your seat and wait for a member of staff.

3

There is no longer a delivery charge on orders of pizza.

- a. This restaurant gives a free pizza with every order.
- b. You don't have to pay for a pizza delivery.
- c. Some orders of pizza cannot be delivered.

4

Please show your staff discount card before you pay for your goods.

- a. Some people can have a discount in this shop.
- b. Staff are not allowed any discounts.
- c. Staff will always ask you for your discount card.

5

Take one tablet twice a day

- a. You should eat before you take these tablets.
- b. You should take these tablets for two days.
- c. You should have two tablets per day.