Part 1

Questions 1 – 6

For each question, choose the correct answer.

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Why has Sally written this message?

A to ask Jenny what time she is going to the cinema

B to find out if Jenny would like a lift to the cinema

C to suggest that Jenny meets her outside the cinema

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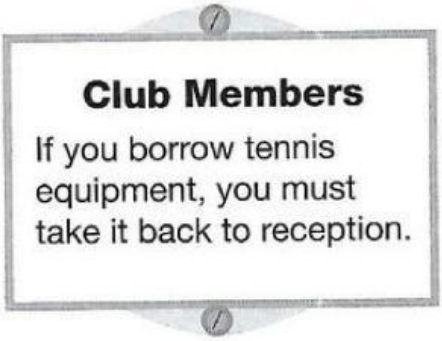

A If you join the club, you must bring your own equipment.

B You should return the club's tennis rackets after using them.

C Members must let reception know when they have finished playing.

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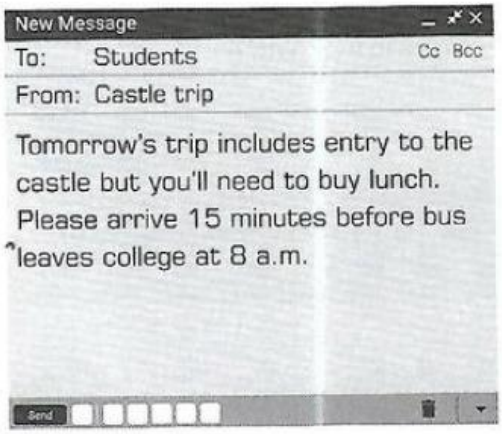

Students going on the castle trip tomorrow will have to

A bring some money with them.

B arrive at college at 8.00 a.m.

C buy a ticket to get into the castle.

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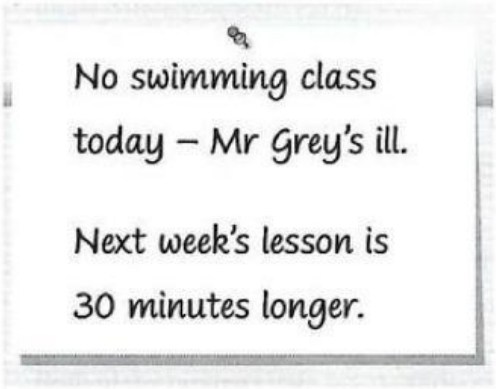

A The swimming class today will be 30 minutes shorter than usual.

B Everyone should arrive 30 minutes before the swimming class begins.

C It will be possible to swim for an extra 30 minutes in the next class.

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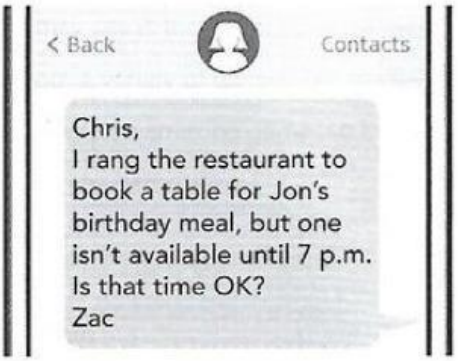

What is Zac doing in this message?

A checking if Chris minds starting a meal at 7 p.m.

B suggesting somewhere to go for a meal

C inviting Chris to a birthday meal

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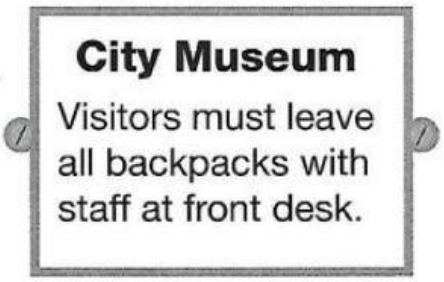

A You cannot enter the museum until you have bought a ticket.

B Museum staff will need to look inside visitors' bags.

C You are not allowed to take a backpack into the museum.

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Part 2

Questions 7 – 13

For each question, choose the correct answer.

		Kamil	Mia	Liam
7	Who says their favourite computer game was a gift?	A	B	C
8	Who often plays computer games with other people?	A	B	C
9	Who has seen a new computer game they would like to buy?	A	B	C
10	Who prefers playing computer games to doing sport?	A	B	C
11	Who has got better at playing their favourite computer game?	A	B	C
12	Who is not allowed to play computer games every day?	A	B	C
13	Who prefers computer games that teach something?	A	B	C

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Computer games

Three teenagers talk about playing computer games.

Kamil

I spend about five hours a week playing computer games. My parents don't mind because they know it's less time than some teenagers spend on the computer. I've got all kinds of games, but the ones I like most are those where you learn things. I've got a brilliant game called 'History Ship'. It shows you what life was like on sailing ships hundreds of years ago and it's fun to play. There's another interesting game I'd like to get called 'Space Journey'. It's quite expensive, but I think I'll have enough money for it soon.

Mia

Both of my brothers love being outdoors playing football, but the hobby I enjoy most is playing computer games. My parents are OK with that because they think you can learn a lot from playing games. The only thing they say is that I can't play games on the evenings I have homework. I've got a variety of games, but my favourite is called 'Forestworld'. A friend said it was an amazing game, so I was really pleased when I got it as a present for my birthday.

Liam

I've enjoyed playing computer games for as long as I can remember. I have lots of different games, but the one I like most is called 'Sea Adventure'. It's a really great game. I wasn't very good at it at first, but I've improved and can complete the different levels really quickly now. Several of my friends like computer games too, so they come round to my house at the weekend and we play together. It's great fun!

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Part 3

Questions 14 – 18

For each question, choose the correct answer.

A round-the-world trip

Alice Woods and her brother Luke went on a special holiday.

When I was 16, my parents decided to take me and my brother Luke out of school for six months to travel around the world. They wanted us to visit lots of different countries and have new experiences. They said we were old enough to do that kind of trip and believed it was better for us than spending six months in the classroom.

We both had to continue with our studies during the trip, so nearly every day we had online classes in subjects like maths and science. Our parents also made sure we studied the history of the places we visited, and when we had time, we went to museum exhibitions or read guidebooks.

We did some fantastic things on the trip, like sailing along the Mekong River in Vietnam and visiting the Taj Mahal in India. Luke enjoyed travelling around the Amboseli National Park in Kenya. He's interested in wildlife and loved seeing the elephants. I enjoyed that too, but for me the best part was visiting the Rocky Mountains in Canada. We camped there for a few days and the views were amazing!

It was a great trip, but now we're home again, I'm happy to be back at school and spending time with my classmates. Everyone asks if I missed things while I was away – like my favourite food or having my own room – but I tell them not really. It was an adventure and I enjoyed everything about it.

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14 Why did Alice's parents decide to take the family on a round-the-world trip?

A They were a little bored with life at home.

B They believed it was a good way to learn new things.

C They wanted to visit other countries while the children were still young.

15 Alice says that most days she and Luke

A visited an exhibition.

B read a guidebook.

C did lessons on the internet.

16 What is Alice doing in the third paragraph?

A explaining how to plan a trip

B describing some activities they did

C giving advice to people who enjoy travelling

17 Which place did Alice enjoy visiting the most?

A the Taj Mahal in India

B the Rocky Mountains in Canada

C the Amboseli National Park in Kenya

18 How does Alice feel now that their trip has finished?

A glad to see her friends again

B happy to eat meals cooked at home

C pleased to be back in her own room

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Part 4

Questions 19 – 24

For each question, choose the correct answer.

Life before mobile phones

Today, **(19)**..... all teenagers have a mobile phone and cannot imagine life without one. But most of their parents did not have a mobile phone when they were young – the **(20)**..... of one did not even enter their heads.

Twenty-five years ago, young people did not **(21)**..... to their friends on the phone very much. There were phones in the home, but these were used by the **(22)**..... family. Instead, young people often met up with their friends and did a variety of activities with them.

Today, many parents are happy for their teenage children to have a phone. They think there are good **(23)**..... for them having one. For example, if their children are out, they can call them to **(24)**..... where they are and what time they will be home.

19	**A**	already	**B**	nearly	**C**	easily
20	**A**	idea	**B**	thing	**C**	difference
21	**A**	say	**B**	tell	**C**	speak
22	**A**	whole	**B**	full	**C**	extra
23	**A**	ways	**B**	reasons	**C**	sorts
24	**A**	look out	**B**	go out	**C**	find out

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Part 5

Questions 25 – 30

For each question, write the correct answer. Write one word for each gap.

Example: 0 *for*

New Message

From: Stefan

Cc Bcc

To: Josh

Thanks 0 *for* your email. It was good to hear from you.

Are you doing anything this Saturday? The weather's going to be good, so how 25 ____ going for a bike ride?

26 ____ you want, I can meet you at 10 in the morning and we can cycle to Bluewater Lake. 27 ____ do you think?

Send

New Message

From: Josh

Cc Bcc

To: Stefan

That's a great idea. I'd 29 ____ to come.

Can we meet a little later? I have 29 ____ work on my history project for a few hours in the morning because I'm visiting my grandparents all day on Sunday. 30 ____ 12 o'clock OK with you?

See you Saturday!

Send

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