

Time Zones 3 ExamView Unit 5**True/False***Indicate whether the statement is true or false.***Read the article. Then answer *T* for True or *F* for False.**

We've all been in this situation before: a friend asks you to go somewhere with them, but you really don't want to. You're not busy—you *are* available—but you're just not that interested in the event. What do you say? In some situations, you agree to go. It's part of being a friend, after all, and sometimes you just do things for each other. But it's also definitely okay, and sometimes even necessary, to say "no" to your friends.

Your friends need to know what your likes and dislikes are. If they're true friends, they won't ask you to do things you don't like. But maybe you and your friend are opposites; for example, you like loud parties and your friend likes visiting quiet museums. In this case, take turns doing things together. Sometimes your friend goes with you to parties, and other times you go with your friend to a park or museum of their choice.

Also, you need to know yourself: what makes you happy, and what makes you feel stressed? If going to a certain type of event makes you feel stressed, don't go. When you're stressed, your friend will probably notice and not have a good time either. You'll both be annoyed and ready to go home early!

Before the event happens, tell your friend how you feel. Say something like, "I'm sorry, but I really don't like watching soccer matches." Or, "I'm afraid I can't go to the water park this weekend. Something has come up." This second option isn't as truthful, but some friends will like that better than the cold, hard truth.

- ____ 1. This article is about how to say "no" to an event you don't want to go to.
- ____ 2. The writer believes he or she is describing a very common situation.
- ____ 3. In the second paragraph, *take turns* means to have one person make all the choices.
- ____ 4. In the last sentence, the *cold, hard truth* implies that sometimes, the truth can hurt people's feelings.
- ____ 5. The author believes you should always say "yes" to your friends' invitations.

Multiple Choice*Identify the choice that best completes the statement or answers the question.***Read the email. Then answer the questions.**

Hey, everyone. Thanks so much for all your hard work on the presentation. It looks like we'll be the second group to give our presentation, which means we start at around 10:30. Here's the plan so far:

- 10:30: Kara introduces group members and asks the class what they plan on doing after high school. Kylie writes students' plans on the board.
- 10:32: Mark describes the problem and gives some statistics about the number of students who don't finish high school in our state.
- 10:34: I offer our solution - Study Buddies - and explain how the program works.
- 10:36: Kylie passes out a paper that describes Study Buddies and asks the class who would be interested.
- 10:38: Kara points at students' plans on the board and asks questions like, "Who's going to help Steph graduate high school with good grades so she can become a doctor?"
- 10:40: Mark finishes the presentation with something like, "Study Buddies creates a community of students interested in helping each other reach their goals."

I think our presentation shouldn't take longer than 10 minutes. Let me know what you think. Does this sound okay? Should we add anything?

Thanks, guys.

Ralph

- ____ 6. This email is about ____.
 - a. studying for a test
 - b. the plan for a presentation
 - c. getting together to practice
- ____ 7. The presentation is probably about ____.
 - a. helping students finish high school
 - b. helping students prepare for university
 - c. good study habits
- ____ 8. During the presentation, the writer is going to ____.
 - a. ask students to join a club
 - b. introduce his group members
 - c. explain how Study Buddies works

____ 9. The presentation ____.
a. already happened
b. has been canceled
c. is going to happen soon

____ 10. The word *statistics* means ____.
a. problems a school has
b. classes a student takes in college
c. numbers and information about something

Complete the conversations.

____ 11. **A:** What are you doing this weekend?
B: ____.
a. Sure, no problem.
b. Maybe another time.
c. Not much. Do you want to do something?

____ 12. **A:** ____?
B: I'm afraid I need to stay home and study for Monday's test.
a. Who are you meeting at 12
b. Are you going anywhere this weekend
c. What time does the soccer match start

____ 13. **A:** What time does the shopping mall close?
B: ____.
a. It closes at 9
b. I'm free that night
c. Sure! I heard it's delicious

____ 14. **A:** Do you want to try that new pizza place on Saturday?
B: Sure, ____.
a. I'd love to
b. I'm afraid I'm busy
c. maybe another time

____ 15. **A:** ____?
B: I'm free that night. Let's meet for ice cream.
a. When do you want to go jogging? Same time as last week
b. What are your plans for Thursday? Do you want to do something
c. What time does the plane arrive? Do you need me to pick you up

Completion*Complete each statement.***Complete each sentence. Choose the correct form of the words in parentheses.**

16. I _____ a big test tomorrow at school. (have)
17. What _____ you _____ this weekend? (do)
18. I _____ to the US to study English this summer. (go)
19. What time _____ the flight _____? (leave)
20. The train _____ at 10:15 tonight. (arrive)

Complete the sentences with the correct form of the words in the box.

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| arrival | browse | departure | jogging | relatives |
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21. We need to hurry. The plane's _____ is at 12:30 and we are already late for check-in.
22. This weekend, I'm visiting some _____. We're celebrating my grandmother's 80th birthday.
23. I go _____ from 8 to 9 on Saturday mornings.
24. It's so cold outside. I can't wait for the _____ of spring!
25. I usually spend a few hours _____ the internet on the weekends.

Matching**Match each word to its description.**

- a. risk
- b. lonely
- c. suffer
- d. reject
- e. accept
- f. embarrassed

- _____ 26. feeling sad because there's no one around you
- _____ 27. say "yes" to something
- _____ 28. feeling bad because you made a mistake in front of others
- _____ 29. experience pain or difficulty

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____ 30. say "no" to someone or something
____ 31. the chance of something bad happening

Short Answer

Put the words in the correct order to make sentences.

32. afternoon. / Jeff / I'm / Friday / mall / the / meeting / at / on

33. ? / market / the / farmers' / what / open / does / time

34. weekend. / going / a / match / to / this / I'm / soccer

35. . / Mrs. / lunch / Smith / having / they're / with

36. noon. / arrives / grandfather's / at / my / train

Complete the sentences. Choose the correct words in parentheses.

37. My weekends are usually _____ (bored / boring). Let's do something fun instead!

38. Was the end of the movie _____ (surprised / surprising) to you?

39. Will Yolanda be _____ (annoyed / annoying) if we're late?

40. Were you _____ (confused / confusing) by Kai's text message? I couldn't understand what he was trying to say.

Essay

41. **Write an email to a friend about your plans for the next holiday or school break. Make plans together. Write one or two paragraphs.**

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Other

42. Put the sentences in order to make a conversation.

- a. Friday's perfect. I can't wait!
- b. Hi, Taylor. Are you doing anything this Saturday?
- c. Sorry, I'm afraid I already have plans on Sunday. How about Friday night?
- d. I want to go see that new superhero movie. Are you free on Sunday instead?
- e. Oh, hi, Celeste. Um, yeah, I'm going shopping. Why?