

Test practice



Test Tip

Listen for any plural words and be sure to add an s at the end if you need to. Make sure you check your spelling at the end of the test.

Listening Section 4

1 8b Questions 1–10

Complete the notes below using NO MORE THAN TWO WORDS AND/OR A NUMBER.

The history of dentistry

Early history

- The earliest reference to problems with teeth was in (1).....
- The ancient Sumerians called problems with teeth 'tooth (2).....'.
- There is (3)..... to show that the Chinese used dental treatments.

Remedies and treatment

- An old text from (4)..... reveals medical practices from 1700 to 1500 BC. The text refers to the use of (5)..... and (6)..... to relieve toothache.
- In the fifth century BC a Greek (7)..... noted the beginnings of specialisation in medicine.
- A Greek doctor was the first to (8)..... problem teeth.
- In Europe during the (9)....., doctors performed dentistry in people's homes.
- A dentist from France is said to have founded (10)..... dentistry.