

Final Exam



Preliminary Level **Reading and Writing Examination**

Paper Number: **Sample 3**

Candidate Instructions:



Make sure you have the correct test for your level.



Answer ALL the questions.



Time allowed – ONE hour and FIFTEEN minutes.

Reading Section [50]

Writing Section [50]

Section R1 (10 marks)

Read this postcard from Rowena and answer all the questions.

Dear Jolanta,

I am staying at my grandfather's house in the mountains. It is small but very comfortable. We can see the mountains from the window. Yesterday it rained but today it isn't raining and is sunny. My brother Julian likes snowboarding but I don't like it. It's fast and scary! When he is snowboarding, I go skating. Yesterday, Julian fell and hurt his shoulder, but he feels better today.

My grandfather is a waiter, and he works in a small café. In the afternoon, we sit at a table near the window. Julian usually has a coffee and I choose a hot chocolate every time. We're having a great holiday!

From Rowena

Example:

Rowena is staying in the mountains.

True False



1. Her grandfather's house is large.
2. It is raining today.
3. Rowena enjoys snowboarding.
4. Her grandfather has a job.
5. Rowena always drinks hot chocolate at the café.

Section R2 (10 marks)

Read the passage and answer the questions. There is one example.

Maisie is 16 and she goes to school Monday to Friday.

Last Saturday, she started a new job at a pizzeria. It is next to the cinema and behind the hospital. Maisie got up at 7.00 am and had breakfast at 8.00. She started work at 10.00. In the morning, the manager showed her the kitchen. Maisie cleaned the floor but she didn't cook. The waiters washed the plates and cleaned the glasses.

At lunchtime, Maisie made 18 pizzas. She cooked five chicken pizzas, 12 cheese pizzas and one with an egg on it. Her job was interesting but Maisie was really tired when she got home. She loved the job but she didn't want any dinner because she wasn't hungry!

Example:

When did Maisie start her new job?

A Monday B Friday C Saturday D Sunday

1. Where does Maisie work?

A at a cinema B at a shop C at a hospital D at a restaurant

2. What time did Maisie eat her breakfast?

A 7.00 am B 8.00 am C 9.00 am D 10.00 am

3. What did she do at work in the morning?

A She cleaned the floor. B She washed plates. C She cooked. D She cleaned glasses.

4. How many cheese pizzas did Maisie cook?

A one B five C twelve D eighteen

5. How did Maisie feel when she finished work that day?

A She felt hungry. B She hated her job. C She was bored. D She was tired.

Section R3 (10 marks)

Choose the correct words and tick the box. There is one example.

Example:Debbie caught three fish yesterday.

A catching B catches C caught D to catch

1. The purple necklace is the _____ in the shop.
 A prettier B prettiest C pretty as D pretty
2. Keith goes to work _____ motorbike.
 A to B in C by D on
3. She _____ help the teacher yesterday.
 A doesn't B wasn't C isn't D didn't
4. There wasn't _____ milk in the fridge.
 A many B any C very D lot
5. This is _____ classroom.
 A them B ours C they D our
6. Jeremy can't _____ the saxophone.
 A play B to play C plays D playing
7. France is _____ than England.
 A large B as large C larger D largest
8. The train left five minutes _____.
 A ago B in C then D for
9. That jacket is _____.
 A mine B she C their D her
10. Matilda _____ in the wardrobe at the moment.
 A to hide B hide C hiding D is hiding

Section R4 (10 marks)

Read about a new shop and answer the questions. There is one example.

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Our new shop is now open.

We have all the fruit and vegetables you need.

Shop open from 8 am to 7 pm

Sorry – we are not open on Tuesday

'A wonderful new shop. I love it.'

21, Castle Road

Find us opposite the town library.

Telephone: 07680 722 488

e.g.	What is the name of the shop?	Good Greens
1.	What does the shop sell?	
2.	What time does the shop open in the morning?	
3.	What day is the shop closed?	
4.	What is the address of the shop?	
5.	What is the phone number?	

Section R5 (10 marks)

Read the following passage. Put the verb in brackets into the past tense OR the present tense. There is one example.

Felipe (example) likes (like) animals and he always ⁽¹⁾ _____ (watch) television programmes about them. He ⁽²⁾ _____ (draw) pictures of animals every day.

Last week, Felipe ⁽³⁾ _____ (go) to London Zoo with his class. In the morning, they ⁽⁴⁾ _____ (see) giraffes, elephants, lions and hippos. They ⁽⁵⁾ _____ (eat) their lunch next to the penguin pool. Some of the children were lucky and ⁽⁶⁾ _____ (give) the penguins some fish. The penguins were happy and ⁽⁷⁾ _____ (swim) in their pool. Then the children ⁽⁸⁾ _____ (ride) on camels. It was exciting. Their teacher ⁽⁹⁾ _____ (take) photos of the class in front of a lake. When he got home, Felipe ⁽¹⁰⁾ _____ (tell) his mother about his interesting day.

Section W1 (10 marks)
Write the questions.

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Example:

The school children like their teacher.

Do the school children like their teacher ?

1. Charlotte can play baseball.

Can _____ ?

2. The kitten drinks milk every morning.

Does _____ ?

3. Malcolm borrowed a bicycle.

What _____ ?

4. Alan is holding the baby.

Is _____ ?

5. They laughed at the funny film.

Did _____ ?

Section W2 (10 marks)Marks
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1. What is your favourite sport?

2. How many bedrooms are there in your house?

3. Who washes the car in your family?

4. What did you do last Sunday?

5. What colour is your hair?

Section W3 (10 marks)*Write five sentences about My family. Remember to use different structures and language in each sentence.*

1.

2.

3.

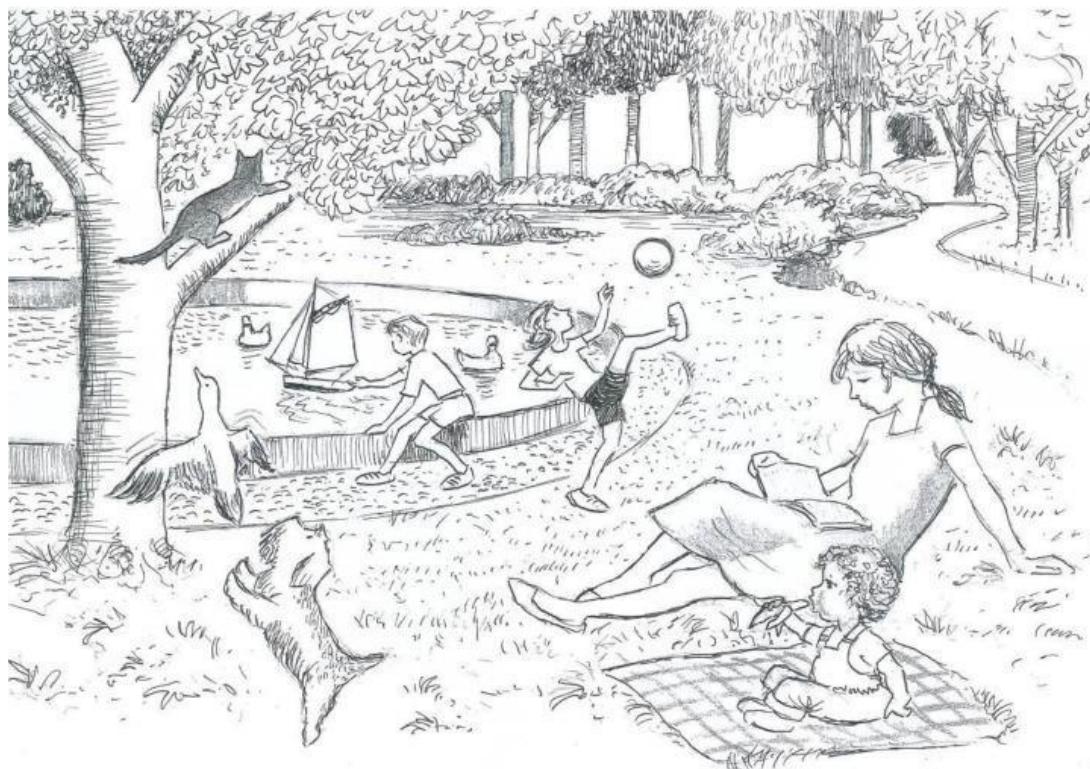
4.

5.

Section W4 (10 marks)

What is happening in the picture? Write five sentences.

Use one of the words from each box to make a sentence. There is one example.

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The dog
The woman
The girl
The boy
The cat
The baby

kick
chase
climb
eat
push
read

banana
tree
boat
bird
book
ball

Example:

The boy is pushing the boat.

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____

Section W5 (10 marks)
Fill in the form.

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