

UNIT 8: SKILLS TEST A

# DICTATION

You will hear a recording about a boy. Listen and write what you hear. You will hear the recording twice.

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# LISTENING

Listen to someone talking about a school fashion show. Complete the sentences.  
You will hear the recording twice.

- 1 Sophie Smith has a yellow dress and black .....
- 2 Ethan Savage is fourteen and is wearing a white t shirt and .....
- 3 Amelia Beaumont has a ..... and pink T-shirt.
- 4 Daniel Taylor is ..... person in the show.
- 5 Katie Potter has a dress, boots and .....

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# READING

Read the text and answer the questions.

## All about eyes

Eyes are all different colours: brown, blue, green and even grey! Most people (6) ..... the world have brown eyes, and brown eyes are usually the strongest eye colour.

What (7) ..... this mean?

When a parent with brown eyes and a parent with green eyes have a baby, the baby usually (8) ..... brown eyes too. With parents who have (9) ..... colour eyes, the baby can have any eye colour.

## Jayden's Family

Jayden is twelve years old. His mother has green eyes and his father has brown eyes. They have dark curly hair. Jayden's sister, Katie, is two years older (10) ..... Jayden. She has light hair and brown eyes and Jayden has dark hair and brown eyes. Jayden and Katie both have (11) ..... father's dark eyes. Jayden looks a lot like his dad, but the family think that Katie got her hair colour from her grandmother.

## Task 1

Choose the correct answer (A, B or C) for each gap.

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|--------------|-----------|-----------|
| 12 A on      | B in      | C at      |
| 13 A is      | B has     | C does    |
| 14 A have    | B has     | C had     |
| 15 A lighter | B thinner | C heavier |
| 16 A with    | B by      | C than    |
| 17 A they    | B them    | C their   |

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## Task 2

Answer the questions about the text.

18 What eye colour do most people have?

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19 How old is Katie?

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20 Who does Jayden look like?

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21 What is different about Katie?

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Total:  50

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# VOCABULARY

## Task 1

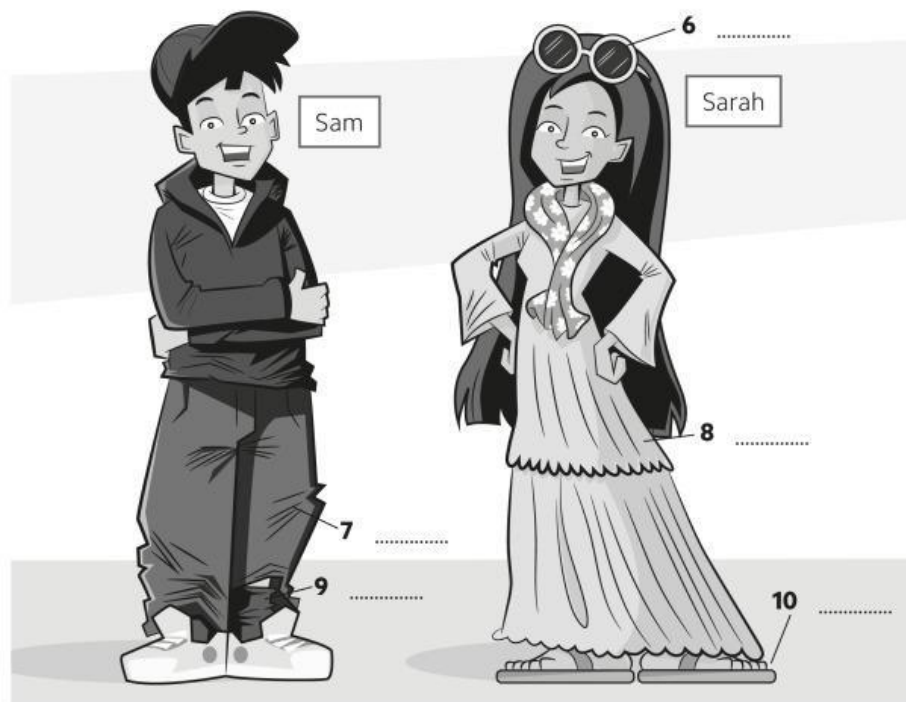
Complete the words. Use the first letter to help you.

- 1 You have fingers on your **h** \_\_\_\_\_.
- 2 You can eat and speak with your **m** \_\_\_\_\_.
- 3 You have two **e** \_\_\_ on the sides of your head. You use them to listen.
- 4 You walk with your two **f** \_\_\_\_\_.
- 5 A **b** \_\_\_\_\_ is the hair on a man's face.

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## Task 2

Label the clothes in the picture.



6 .....  
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## Task 3

Match the adjectives (11–15) with their opposites (A–E).

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| 11 light    | ..... | A short |
| 12 long     | ..... | B bad   |
| 13 straight | ..... | C old   |
| 14 good     | ..... | D dark  |
| 15 young    | ..... | E curly |

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# GRAMMAR

## Task 1

Complete the sentences. Write the comparative form of the adjectives in brackets.

- 16 My brother is ..... (old) than me.  
 17 My best friend is ..... (tall) than me.  
 18 My high school is ..... (big) than my first school.  
 19 This English test is ..... (easy) than the last test.  
 20 I think maths class is ..... (bad) than English class.

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## Task 2

Complete the sentences. Write the superlative form of the adjectives in brackets.

- 21 Paulo is the ..... (tall) student in my class.  
 22 I think I am the ..... (fast) runner in the school.  
 23 I am the ..... (young) person in my family.  
 24 I think today is the ..... (happy) day of my life!  
 25 Eva is the ..... (good) student in this class.

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## Task 3

Complete the text with these words.

better biggest cooler heavier nicest

Yesterday my class and I visited a museum. It was really good, and there were lots of things to see. I think it is one of the (26) ..... museums ever! I liked it a lot. The visit was (27) ..... than our trip to a farm. I didn't like that. At the museum there were lots of old clothes. We tried them on! Our clothes now are much (28) ..... than the old clothes. The old clothes looked ugly and were hot! Also, clothes in the past were (29) ..... – we couldn't even walk in them! On the bus home, I sat next to Emma. She's the (30) ..... girl in the class! All my friends wanted to sit next to her.

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