

Peter enjoys mountain biking because

- A it gives him the opportunity to enjoy the views.
- B he can use the time to plan his work.
- C he is able to stop thinking about his problems.
- D it helps him to concentrate better.

What does Peter say about cycling during his childhood?

- A He is sorry he didn't take more care of his bike.
- B His friends always had better quality bikes than he did.
- C His bike wasn't suitable for the activities he was doing.
- D He was more interested in designing bikes than riding them.

Peter says he returned to cycling after several years

- A because he had become unfit.
- B so that he could enter races.
- C in order to meet new people.
- D to replace an activity he had given up.

How does Peter feel about cycling now?

- A He is proud that he is still so fast.
- B He is keen to do less now that he is older.
- C He regrets the fact that he can no longer compete.
- D He wishes more people were involved in the sport.

What would be a good introduction to this article?

A

For Peter Fuller, nothing matters more than mountain biking, not even his career. Here, in his own words, he tells us why.

B

Artist Peter Fuller takes mountain biking pretty seriously. Here he describes how it all began and what he gets out of it.

C

In this article, Peter Fuller explains how he became an artist only as a result of his interest in mountain biking.

D

After discovering mountain biking late in life, Peter Fuller gave up art for a while to concentrate on getting as good as possible.

The Coconut Tree

The coconut tree is thought to be one of the most valuable trees in the world. It is mostly found by the sea where there is a hot and wet (21) The coconuts often fall into the sea and float on the water until they (22) another beach, where more trees then begin to grow.

Holiday makers often see the coconut tree as no more than an attractive sun umbrella that provides (23) However, this amazing tree has hundreds of (24) and more are still being discovered.

People have made houses, boats and baskets from the coconut tree's wood and leaves for centuries. Even today, if you take a (25) in your cupboards, you will find coconut oil in products as (26) as medicine and desserts.

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| 21 | A | temperature | B | condition | C | climate | D | weather |
| 22 | A | reach | B | go | C | travel | D | arrive |
| 23 | A | cloud | B | shade | C | dark | D | cold |
| 24 | A | uses | B | jobs | C | roles | D | things |
| 25 | A | scene | B | sight | C | look | D | view |
| 26 | A | opposite | B | separate | C | strange | D | different |

FOR SALE!
FOOTBALL BOOTS
Size 42
NEVER WORN!
25 euros or nearest offer
See Jack - Classroom 15B

- A Jack's football boots are probably not in a good condition.
- B Jack may be prepared to accept less than 25 euros for his boots.
- C Jack is keen to obtain some new football boots in size 42.

ART ROOM
No classes here for students until further notice – workmen are painting the room

- A See the noticeboard nearby for details about the art classes.
- B Students should only go into this room if they wish to do some painting.
- C Classes will not be held in here until the painting is finished.



Sarah is asking whether Jane

- A is bringing any friends to the party with her.
- B knows how big the party is going to be.
- C thinks anyone from outside school can attend the party.

NOTE TO SWIMMING TEACHERS

Swimmers in your classes will be asked to leave this public pool if they run along the side or jump in.

- A Swimmers may only practise jumping into the pool if they are with a teacher.
- B Swimmers who break the rules may not continue the class with their teacher.
- C Swimmers and their teachers must only use this side of the pool for classes.

SPECIAL OFFER

TWO MEALS FOR THE PRICE OF ONE
- BURGER, FRIES AND DRINK!

- A It's as cheap for two people to eat here as one.
- B Two people can choose whatever they want to eat and still pay less.
- C Special meals are twice the normal size.



