

GE7 EOT2 REVISION 3

A. USE OF ENGLISH

Read and choose the correct answer:

"Shall we leave before John comes back?" - Lena asked me whether _____

- a. they shall leave before John came back. b. they should leave before John comes back. c. they should leave before John came back.

"Would you mind taking a few pictures of me?" - The anchorman _____

- a. asked me whether I would mind taking a few pictures of him. b. asked me to take a few pictures of him. c. told me to take a few pictures of me.

"Everybody, line up," the teacher said. - The teacher _____

- a. told everybody to line up. b. asked everybody to line up. c. wondered if everybody could line up.

"Can you watch my kids this Sunday?" - Joe _____

- a. asked me to watch his kids that Sunday. b. wondered if I could watch my kids this Sunday. c. told me to watch his kids that Sunday.

"Don't open the door." - They _____

- a. asked him not to open the door. b. asked him if he didn't open the door. c. told him not to open the door.

"Do I have to go to the hospital tomorrow?" - Lily _____

- a. wanted to know if she had to go to the hospital the next day. b. asked me to go to the hospital tomorrow. c. told me that she had to go to the hospital the following day.

"I don't want to dress up for the party at all." - Carlos said _____

- a. he doesn't want to dress up for the party at all. b. I don't want to dress up for the party at all. c. He didn't want to dress up for the party at all.

"What are you going to do tomorrow morning?" - My mom wanted to know _____

- a. what am I going to do the next morning. b. What I was going to do the following morning. c. what you are going to do tomorrow morning.

B. READING

1. The people below are all looking for a job. There are descriptions of eight jobs. Decide which jobs would be the most suitable for the people below.

Sandra is doing a four-year degree in hair and beauty and wants to work as a volunteer for her third-year work experience. She likes to be part of a team and would enjoy dealing with customers.

Manuela is from Spain and is looking for work to support herself financially while she studies English at a local college. She can only work on Saturdays and Sundays and some evenings.

Stella is looking for work during the holidays. She's studying business at college and would love somewhere she can gain experience in a business environment and put her IT skills into practice.

John is looking for a job where he can work with customers. He recently completed a course in this area of work and is keen to find a job that would offer support in developing skills in managing staff.

Simon has a job but wants to work with teenagers during the weekend. He is planning a career change and is happy to work without pay in order to gain experience.

A ABC Computer Specialists

Do you have customer service skills? ABC Computer Specialists are looking for sales advisers to join our growing customer service team. This is a full-time post, 37 hours a week, with great opportunities for the right person.

B Mansion House Hotel

An exciting opportunity for students wanting work experience in the Mansion House Hotel on a part-time basis. You will be dealing with international customers and a second language would be an advantage. Hours of work can be agreed to suit your needs though you would be required to work some weekends.

C Susie's Hairdressing

We are a new hairdresser's and we want a young, hard-working volunteer to manage our reception desk. You will take calls, make bookings and help build a relationship with our customers. Suitable candidates will be offered a one-year contract.

D The Daily News

Our business is growing and we need an assistant for our customer service team. The successful person will assist in managing our sales staff and be responsible for reporting on sales. The successful person will receive training.

E Amega

Would you like to work in a modern office environment, building relationships with customers, and working with our excellent team? If you've recently completed your studies at university and are looking for a career in the beauty industry, then please get in contact.

F Peterfield Forum

We are looking for keen volunteers to help run our summer school. You will have experience in working with young people and be prepared to accompany them on trips. The school is open from Monday to Friday and we need volunteers for at least two of these days.

G Hall Green Community Centre

This is a great opportunity to gain experience in youth work. We are looking for a volunteer with work experience to support our young people as they begin to enter employment. You would be expected to work on Saturdays from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. with occasional Sunday sessions.

H Lucas Media

Are you a student looking for work from Monday to Friday over the vacation period? We are offering a short-term contract to a keen young person to work with our sales team. You will get an idea of how a modern company operates, deal with customer enquiries and have the chance to help develop our website.

2. Read and choose the correct answer:

Cross-country skiing in Sweden

by Jenna Walton, aged 15

Last year, Mum and I wanted to try a winter sport called cross-country skiing – travelling on skis across the countryside. And pictures of one area in Sweden, with people skiing along through forests on wonderful white snow, **persuaded** us that **destination** was a good choice. We hadn't done much skiing, though, so weren't sure how difficult cross-country skiing was, compared with skiing fast down **steep** mountains. But we signed up to join a group of people, of all ages, plus a guide.

We'd read about the place we went to before we left, so we knew it was close to where Sweden ends and Norway starts. And our family knew we couldn't text home, as there was no internet connection – and actually, it was relaxing to be far from anywhere, or anyone. What we

1 After their arrival, what did they discover about where they were staying?

- A It wasn't far from the border with another country.
- B They could get great views of a spectacular natural event.
- C It was at a point where they couldn't use technology.
- D They weren't near local people of their homes.

2 How did Jenna feel about the long trips through the snow on skis?

- A surprised she had to carry such a heavy bag
- B pleased about the weight of the skis she was given

hadn't realised was that from there, we'd be able to see amazing coloured lights in the sky, which appeared at certain times of year, called the Northern Lights – what a **sight**!

On our first day there, I hated getting up in the dark, but it meant I saw the sun come up over the forest, so I was glad I did. And sunshine was **forecast** for the week, I was delighted to hear! But the real problem was my 15kg rucksack, full of food and clothes – I had no idea it would weigh that much. Anyway, we skied for hours across mainly flat snow. Having special light skis was supposed to help us climb the few hills there were – although I still couldn't do it!

Finally we stopped for the night. It wasn't until we'd reached our hut that our **guide** mentioned we'd just crossed a frozen lake to get there – but nothing surprised us by that point! Anyway, he gave us all jobs to do – cutting fire wood and cooking food – and soon we were having dinner, made from whatever food we'd brought – a strange mix, but it tasted delicious. And everywhere was so peaceful outside that none of us stayed awake long.

Mum and I want to try another winter sports trip, maybe snowboarding. But we'll probably end up just as exhausted as we were after this trip!

C glad that going uphill wasn't as hard as she'd thought

D worried the good weather they were having wouldn't last

3 Regarding their accommodation, Jenna says everyone

A had difficulties getting to sleep there.

B was unhappy at the quality of the food.

C had to help out with all the housework.

D was shocked to hear details of their journey there.

4 What would Jenna text to a friend about her trip?

A One reason we chose this trip was that we thought we'd be among loads of trees, which we love – but that hasn't happened so far.

B The people in our group were really friendly – but they were all Mum's age and older, really.

C I'm not used to getting out of bed so early to do things! But it was worth it, as the sunrise was wonderful.

D Mum and I have agreed that although the trip was great, we might attempt something less tiring on our next winter holiday.

Read the text again. Complete the definitions using the words in the text:

destination

forecast

steep

guide

sight

persuade

A _____ is a person who shows other people the way to a place.

When you _____ something, you say what you think will happen in the future based on information that you have now.

If a slope or a hill is _____, it rises and falls quickly.

When you _____ someone, you make that person do something by giving them good reasons for doing it.

A _____ is a place to which somebody or something is going or being sent.