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PET WRITING INTENSIVE

A. THEORY: CAMBRIDGE VOCABULARY

No.	New words	Meanings	No.	New words	Meanings
1	persuade (v)	thuyết phục	4	intend (to do something) (v)	dự định làm gì
2	unlikely (adj)	khó có khả năng	5	slightly (adv)	hơi, một chút
3	within walking distance of (phr.)	cách đó một đoạn đi bộ	6	turn out to be (phr.)	hoá ra là

B. CLASSWORK

PET WRITING PRACTICE

You **must** answer this question.

Write your answer in about **100 words** on the answer sheet.

Read this email from your English-speaking friend Jude and the notes you have made.

EMAIL

From: Jude

Subject: Saturday trip to the beach

Hi,

I'm so glad you're coming to the beach with me and my family this Saturday! We want to set off from home by 10 a.m. Can your parents give you a lift to my house?

My mum's going to prepare some food so we can have a barbecue when we're there. We can bring meat or vegetarian food – which would you prefer?

What activities should we do when we're at the beach?

See you soon,
Jude

Me too! —————

No, because ... —————

Tell Jude —————

Suggest ... —————

Write your **email** to Jude using **all the notes**.

1. PRE-WRITING - IDEAS & LANGUAGE PREPARATION

a. Clarify the task

What to identify	Notes
Keywords	Saturday – beach – set off 10 a.m. – lift – barbecue – meat or vegetarian – activities
Task type	Email (replying to a friend / giving information and suggestions)
Choose your opinion	Excited to go ✓ / Cannot get a lift (give reason) / Food preference / Suggest activities

b. Brainstorm ideas

Food preference	vegetarian — healthier, lighter for a beach day meat — more filling, classic barbecue choice
Activity suggestions	swimming / snorkelling / beach volleyball / ..
Reason for no lift	parents are busy / working / going somewhere else that morning

c. Useful language

Purpose	Sentence starters
Opening the email	Thanks for your email! / Great to hear from you!
Expressing excitement	I'm so excited about Saturday! / I can't wait!
Explaining the lift situation	Unfortunately, my parents can't give me a lift because... / The thing is...
Stating food preference	I'd actually prefer... / If possible, I'd love...
Suggesting activities	How about...? / We could always... / I'd really recommend...
Closing the email	See you on Saturday! / Can't wait to see you all!

2. WRITING - PRODUCING THE EMAIL

Part	What to write	Example starters
Opening	Open in a friendly tone → express excitement about the trip	Thanks for your email! / Great to hear from you! I'm so excited about Saturday!
Body	Explain why you cannot get a lift	Unfortunately, my parents can't give me a lift because... / The thing is...
	State your food preference → give a brief reason	I'd actually prefer... / If possible, I'd love...
	Suggest activities at the beach → give one or two ideas	How about...? / We could always...
Closing	Wrap up warmly → end on an enthusiastic note	Can't wait! / See you on Saturday!

3. POST-WRITING - CHECKING

a. Language check

Area to check	What students often do wrong	What to do
Tenses	Mixing present & future without reason	Use Present Simple for facts, <i>will/going to</i> for predictions: "My parents can't drive me... I'll make my own way..."
Tone	Using formal/essay language in a friendly email	Keep it informal: "How about...?" not "I would like to suggest..."
Linking words	Repeating <i>because / and / so</i> too much	Use informal connectors: <i>also, plus, on top of that, though, anyway</i>
Sentence length	Very long sentences with many ideas	Split into shorter, more natural sentences
Spelling	vegetarian, unfortunately, activities, preference	Proofread & check dictionary before submitting

b. Self-checklist

Question	✓ / ✗
Did I respond to all three points in Jude's email?	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did I explain clearly why I can't get a lift?	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did I state my food preference with a reason?	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did I suggest at least one beach activity?	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did I use informal language throughout?	<input type="checkbox"/>
Is my email around 100 words?	<input type="checkbox"/>

c. Sentence upgrade

Basic sentence	Better version
✗ My parents can't take me.	✓ Unfortunately, my parents have plans that morning, so I won't be able to get a lift — I'll make my own way to yours before 10!
I want vegetarian food.	If it's not too much trouble, I'd actually prefer vegetarian — it feels much lighter for a day out in the sun!
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

GRAMMAR (13 questions)



I. Match to make meaningful sentences.

1. This campsite has a beautiful lake nearby.	1-	a. vegetarian food is lighter and healthier.
2. When the fire alarm went off,	2-	b. Moreover, the facilities are clean and well-maintained.
3. The weather looked fine in the morning.	3-	c. However, it started raining heavily by midday.
4. They were standing in the rain	4-	d. were cheering loudly for their team.
5. At this time yesterday, the spectators	5-	e. until the bus finally arrived twenty minutes late.
6. Meat gives you more energy at a barbecue. On the other hand,	6-	f. everyone was sitting quietly in the examination hall.

II. Complete the text with the correct forms of the verbs in brackets.

Last Saturday was supposed to be a quiet day off for the national athletics team. At 10 a.m., most of the athletes (1) _____ (rest) in their rooms at the training centre. In the common room, two coaches (2) _____ (go over) the schedule for the upcoming qualifying round while their assistant (3) _____ (not pay) attention — he was too busy looking out of the window.

Suddenly, the fire alarm went off. When it (4) _____ (ring), the head coach (5) _____ (brief) a group of new recruits about the zero-tolerance policy on lateness. Everyone immediately stopped what they were doing and made their way outside.

On the way out, one of the journalists covering the event turned to a colleague and asked: "(6) _____ the athletes _____ (train) when the alarm went off?" His colleague shook her head. "No, they (7) _____ (not be). Most of them had just finished breakfast."

C. HOMEWORK

GRAMMAR (19 questions)

I. Con học thuộc nghĩa của từ, chỉnh phát âm theo từ điển và chép mỗi từ ở phần I. Cambridge Vocabulary (trang 1) 1 dòng vào vở ghi.

II. Circle the correct answers.

- The coach _____ the athletes when the storm suddenly started outside.
A. instructs B. has instructed C. was instructing D. instructed
- _____ in the common room when the fire alarm went off?
A. Did they sit B. Were they sitting C. Have they sat D. They were sitting
- She trained every day for months; _____, she didn't make it past the qualifying round.
A. although B. unless C. therefore D. however

Lưu ý:

1. Khi làm bài tập có từ mới, các con phải tra từ điển. Sau khi tra từ điển, các con chép mỗi từ mới **1 dòng** để ghi nhớ.
2. Các con gạch chân các từ khoá chính trong bài.

I. PET Part 3**Exam Practice Test 1 Reading Part 3****TIP**

Quickly read the whole text to get a general idea of what it is about before you look at the questions.

Questions 11–15

For each question, choose the correct answer.

**Our Great Ocean Road adventure****by Donna Waverley**

My family and I recently went to Australia, to see my grandparents. But before we visited them, we went sightseeing along the Great Ocean Road, on the Australian coast.

Dad had intended to drive, but even though he was used to driving miles without getting exhausted, he then read on

the website that the road wouldn't be an easy drive, with a number of sharp bends. Anyway, we thought he deserved to enjoy the fantastic views too, which he couldn't do as our driver. So instead, we persuaded him to book discount bus tickets and off we went.

Our first stop was where wild kangaroos lived – and Dad and I were taking a walk when a big one appeared! For a moment, it seemed to consider coming towards us, which made me slightly nervous – but then it went off along the road, stopping to check if we were following. Although it was with us a while, I was so excited I didn't even manage to pull out my camera. Then it looked back once more, and went off into the bushes.

That wasn't the only wildlife we saw. I thought it unlikely we'd see Australia's famous koala bears during our short visit, as I'd heard they were rare – but we weren't disappointed at our next stop. In fact, we discovered there were roughly six million in that area! Sadly, some gum trees they were in had very few leaves left, which people told us was because of the koalas, although I'd read that lack of water is actually the problem. Still, I guess they looked cute, and were easy to find – we just followed the tourists looking up into the trees!

Dad had booked a campsite for the night, with ready-made tents – for an adventure! I wasn't sure about that, but they were actually luxury tents, within walking distance of some famous rocks and other places we hoped to visit. However, Dad also said the sounds of wild creatures would help us sleep. That sounded worrying – until the 'wild creatures' turned out to be frogs! So I was embarrassed by my fears – and kept awake by the frogs! But we had fun making meals together – we'd brought food, as we knew there'd be nowhere to eat.

In fact, this whole trip was fantastic!

TIP

Remember that most questions are about attitude and opinions, not facts.

- 11** Donna's Dad decided not to drive the Great Ocean Road himself because
- A he realised he wouldn't enjoy the views as much.
 - B he thought it would be too tiring for him.
 - C he discovered the bus would be a cheaper option.
 - D he found out the route was very challenging.
- 12** When Donna saw a kangaroo along the route, she was
- A worried that it might approach her.
 - B amazed at the size of it.
 - C sad that it didn't stay with them long.
 - D disappointed that she had forgotten her camera.
- 13** Donna says that the koala bears they saw were
- A responsible for damage to the trees.
 - B even more attractive than people had told her.
 - C more common than she'd expected.
 - D very skilled at hiding away from tourists.
- 14** What was Donna's opinion of the place where they stayed?
- A She found it was less comfortable than she'd hoped.
 - B She liked the fact that it was convenient for sightseeing.
 - C She enjoyed hearing the sounds of nature as she slept.
 - D She was disappointed there was no restaurant nearby.
- 15** What might Donna write in her blog during the trip?
- A

The bus we're travelling on is pretty comfortable, with great views from the window. Grandma and Grandad are enjoying it, too!
 - B

We can see quite a lot as we drive along. I just wish we could stop and get out to explore properly.
 - C

Yesterday we went to see some huge rocks near our campsite – and we were really impressed! I'm surprised they're not well known.
 - D

I wasn't looking forward to camping, in case there were wild animals, but we haven't seen anything at all dangerous, so I feel silly now!

II. Extra Reading: Read the text again and complete the summary below. Choose ONE WORD ONLY from the text for each answer.

Donna's family recently travelled to Australia to visit her (1) _____. Before seeing them, they went sightseeing along the Great Ocean Road. Although Dad had planned to (2) _____, the family persuaded him to take the bus instead, so that he could also enjoy the (3) _____ along the way.

At their first stop, Donna and her Dad were taking a walk when a large kangaroo suddenly (4) _____. The animal seemed to think about approaching them, which made Donna feel slightly (5) _____.