Name: Course:

Reading



1. Lead-in. Answer the following questions:

1. Do you love reading?
2. Do you have a favourite book? Why is it your favourite?

2. Do you know what is shown in the picture? Write down your associations with this place.



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Cambridge

Cambridge is the second oldest university city in Great Britain after Oxford. Cambridge is on the River Cam and takes its name from this river. There are twenty-nine colleges in Cambridge. A large part of the population of the city are teachers and students. All students have to live in Cambridge while they study there. In the streets of Cambridge you can see many young men wearing dark blue or black clothes and black square caps. The tradition goes back to the old times when the students had to wear dark clothes. They could not play games or sing songs and dance in those days, They could not fish either.

Many great men have studied at Cambridge: Cromwell, Newton, Byron, Darwin and others.

Cambridge is known all over the world. Many famous scientists have worked there: Rutherford, Kapitza and others.

3. Read the text. Are the sentences true (T) or false (F)?

1. Cambridge is the oldest university city in Great Britain. T ☐ F ☐
2. All students at Cambridge must live in the city while they are studying there. T ☐ F ☐
3. In the past, Cambridge students were allowed to sing, dance and fish freely. T ☐ F ☐
4. Isaac Newton and Charles Darwin both studied at Cambridge. T ☐ F ☐
5. Most of the city's population are teachers and students. T ☐ F ☐

4. Answer the following questions

1. Would you like to study at Cambridge? Why? Why not?
2. Why do you think Cambridge is known all over the world?
3. Do you agree with the rule that all students must live in Cambridge while studying? Give one argument for and one against.

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