

P3 Reading and Writing

Term 3 Review

A. Identify where you can find the following books. Choose your answer inside the box.

000 – 099	General Knowledge	500 – 599	Science
100 – 199	Thinking and Ideas	600 – 699	Technology
200 – 299	Religion	700 – 799	Arts
300 – 399	People and Society	800 – 899	Literature
400 – 499	Language	900 – 999	History and Places

1. Community and Civic Life _____
2. Programming and Coding _____
3. National and International Events _____
4. Portraits and Landscapes using Watercolors _____
5. Christianity and Islam _____
6. Animals That Live in the Ocean _____
7. Stories of Magic and Fairy Tales _____
8. Grammar and Communication _____

B. Read each sentence carefully to decide if it is a fact or an opinion. Write **Fact** or **Opinion** next to each sentence on the line provided.

1. For the human body to survive, oxygen is necessary. _____
2. Social media does more harm than good. _____
3. Chocolate is better than vanilla. _____
4. Paris is the capital city of France. _____
5. A triangle has three sides. _____
6. That movie was way too long and boring. _____

C. Read the given text. Answer what is asked.

Holiday Destination: Australia

Australia is a massive country and the world's largest island, completely surrounded by the Indian and Pacific Oceans. It is home to unique wildlife like kangaroos, koalas, and the platypus, which cannot be found naturally anywhere else on Earth. The continent also features the famous Great Barrier Reef, the largest coral reef system on the planet.

Most people find Australia to be the ultimate dream destination for any traveler looking for the perfect adventure. The local people, often called Aussies, are incredibly laid-back and welcoming, making you feel at home the moment you land. There is an undeniable, infectious energy in the coastal cities that instantly cures any jet lag.

Geographically, the country is divided into six states and two major territories, with Canberra serving as the federal capital. The massive, arid interior of the continent is known as the Outback, covering more than seventy percent of the land. Major coastal cities like Sydney and Melbourne house the vast majority of the country's population.

Watching a sunset over Uluru is a deeply spiritual experience that everyone should have at least once. The food scene in Melbourne is also spectacular, offering the best coffee culture in the entire world. No other country combines ancient natural wonders and modern urban life quite as beautifully.

Australia uses the Australian Dollar as its official currency and drives on the left side of the road. It experiences reversed seasons compared to the Northern Hemisphere, meaning its summer runs from December to February. This fascinating country requires a valid passport and tourist visa for most international visitors entering its borders.

From the Australia Fact File, answer what is asked.

1. Write **2 facts** that you can find from the text.

a. _____

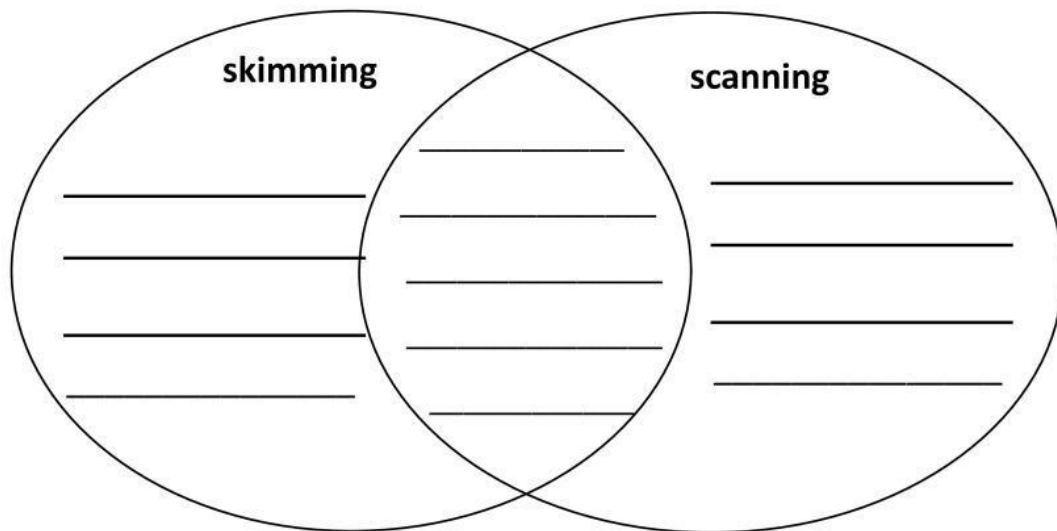
b. _____

2. Write **2 opinions** that you can find from the text.

a. _____

b. _____

D. Use the Venn diagram to explain what makes skimming and scanning similar and different.



E. Identify and label the different features of a play script. Choose your answers from the box.

dialogue	character list	title	stage directions
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The Clockmaker's Secret

1. _____

Elias }
Mia } 2. _____

The back room of a dusty, Victorian clock shop. The walls are covered from floor to ceiling with hundreds of ticking clocks. A large, complex grandfather clock sits center stage.

3. _____

MIA: *(Muffled through her apple)* Grandpa, you've been working on that same clock for three days. It's just a regular old clock, right?

ELIAS: *(Chuckles softly, not looking up)* Regular? Ah, my dear Mia. There is no such thing as a 'regular' clock. Every tick is a heartbeat, and every gear is a memory.

4. _____

Elias stands up slowly, wiping his hands on a stained apron. He walks over to the glass case and turns a small key in the lock.

F. Identify and label the different features of non-fiction text. Choose your answers from the box.

diagram	caption	text
subheading	list	heading

The Wonders of Ireland → a. _____

b. _____

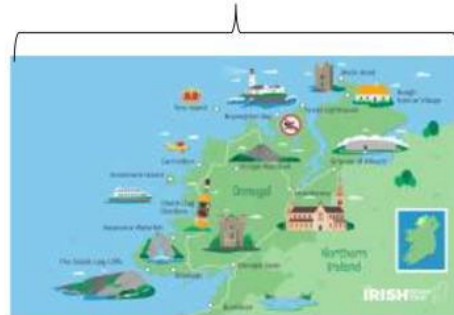
Ireland is a beautiful island in the North Atlantic Ocean, located west of Great Britain. It is affectionately known as the "Emerald Isle" because of its famously lush green countryside, which is supported by a mild and temperate climate with regular rainfall.



a castle set beside a lake and backed by mountains

→ d. _____

c. _____



Famous Irish inventions and products → e. _____

- Hypodermic syringe
- Modern tractor
- Binaural stethoscope
- Seasoned potato crisps
- Bacon rashers
- Waterford crystal
- Claddagh rings
- Aran sweaters

f. _____

G. Read the poem below. Encircle the letter of the correct answer.

There was an Old Man with a Beard

There was an Old Man with a beard,
 Who said, "It is just as I feared!—
 Two Owls and a Hen,
 Four Larks and a Wren,
 Have all built their nests in my beard!"

By Edward Lear

1. What physical feature of the old man is the central focus of the poem?
 - A. His long hair
 - B. His big nose
 - C. His bushy beard
 - D. His tall hat

2. How many total birds have built nests in the man's beard?
 - A. Four
 - B. Five
 - C. Six
 - D. Eight

3. Which two lines in this limerick are the short lines that rhyme with each other?
 - A. Lines 1 and 2
 - B. Lines 3 and 4
 - C. Lines 2 and 5
 - D. Lines 1 and 5

4. What is the man's reaction to the situation in line 2?
 - A. He is completely surprised.
 - B. He is angry and shouting.
 - C. He claims it is exactly what he feared.
 - D. He is happy and laughing.

5. Which of the following birds is NOT mentioned in the poem?
 - A. Owl
 - B. Sparrow
 - C. Lark
 - D. Wren

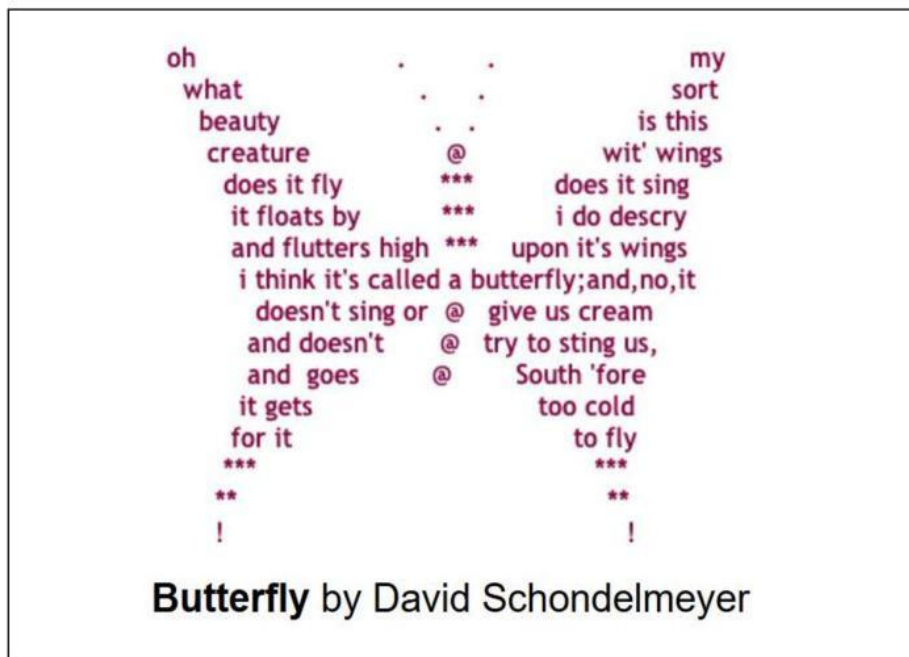
6. Which words form the "A" rhyme sound in this AABBA rhyme scheme?
 - A. Beard, feared, beard
 - B. Hen, Wren
 - C. Beard, Hen, Wren
 - D. Feared, Hen, beard

7. What type of humor is primarily used in this limerick?
 - A. Sarcasm
 - B. Absurdity and nonsense
 - C. Dark humor
 - D. Wordplay and puns

8. What syllable count pattern do lines 3 and 4 typically follow compared to lines 1, 2, and 5 in a limerick?

- A. They are much longer.
- B. They have the exact same number of syllables.
- C. They are noticeably shorter.
- D. They do not have a rhythm.

H. Read the poem carefully. Then, use the template that follows to write your poetry review. Remember to use capital letters, punctuation marks, and neat handwriting.



1. Title of Poem: _____

2. Author: _____

3. What type of poem is it?

_____ riddle _____ calligram _____ limerick

4. Describe what the poem is about.

5. Do you think the poem is funny or not? Give a reason.

6. How did the poem make you feel?

7. Who would enjoy this poem? Write their name and why.

I. Complete the limerick with rhyming words following the 1-2-5 lines rhyme and 3-4 rhyme format. Choose the words from the box below.

girl	bear	smack
air	thud	wind

There once was a sleepy young _____,
Who sat on a very small chair.
It broke with a _____,
Right under his back,
And left his paws stuck in the _____!

J. Draw a calligram for the following words.

giant	nervous

K. Choose one word from the word bank below. Write a **mnemonic** to help you remember how to spell the word.

people	because	bouquet	thought
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L. Create a fun joke that uses a pun.

Question:

Answer: