

Listening & Reading Practice



LISTENING

You are going to hear a text about **Mozart**.

For each item, shade in the bubble ☐ next to the correct option.

1. Mozart was a famous _____.
☐ scientist ☐ musician ☐ engineer
2. He was born in _____.
☐ 1756 ☐ 1765 ☐ 1675
3. He started playing the piano when he was _____ years old.
☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4
4. He travelled all over Europe with his _____ to play in concerts.
☐ brother ☐ uncle ☐ father
5. He played music to _____.
☐ His family ☐ Kings and queens ☐ His teachers



Read the text. Then complete the task.

Albert Einstein was one of the greatest scientists in the history of science. Albert Einstein was born in Germany, on March 14, 1879. He was not good in school, but he liked mathematics and science. At college, he studied physics and math and graduated in 1900. He worked in a government office and he continued studying physics on his own.

In 1905 Einstein published five major research papers. These papers changed the way people thought about the universe. One of these papers contained new ideas about the properties of light. Einstein received the Nobel prize for physics in 1921 for the work in this paper.

When the Nazi Party took over Germany in 1933, Einstein left the country. He eventually moved to live in the United States. Einstein died in Princeton, New Jersey, on April 18, 1955.

READING 2 (continued)

For each item, shade in the bubble ☐ next to the correct option.

1. Albert Einstein was a great _____.
☐ musician ☐ architect ☐ scientist
2. He wasn't good at school but he loved _____.
☐ English ☐ Science ☐ Geography
3. In _____ he graduated from college.
☐ 1910 ☐ 1905 ☐ 1900
4. He received _____ for his research papers.
☐ Noble Prize ☐ Presents ☐ money
5. In 1933, Einstein moved to live in _____.
☐ Switzerland ☐ Germany ☐ United States