

ENGLISH - WRITING

1st term test

WRITING

1. Choose between BEFORE or AFTER and write the past simple form of the verbs



1. Before / After he woke up, Quintus Sextus _____ (wash) in the bath house.

2. He _____ (make) an offering to the household gods before / after his bath.



3. Before / After breakfast, Quintus _____ (go) to school.

4. Before / After he _____ (get) to school, he _____ (meet) his friends.

2. Complete the sentences with WHAT, WHERE or WHO.

1. A market is a place _____ you can buy things.
2. The Tiber is the river _____ runs through the city of Rome.
3. An architect is a person _____ designs buildings.
4. French is a language _____ comes from Latin.

3. Read and write the questions about Jeremus:



Top chariot! 

by Jeremus Generalmotus

Welcome to Top chariot! On Friday I visited the annual chariot show in Rome's famous Colosseum. I went to see the new Ferrarus Autostradus.

At three in the afternoon, all the spectators cheered as charioteer Antonius Glamorus raced into the arena in the Ferrarus. The Emperor saw the chariot at three o'clock and bought it at four! It really was a superchariot!

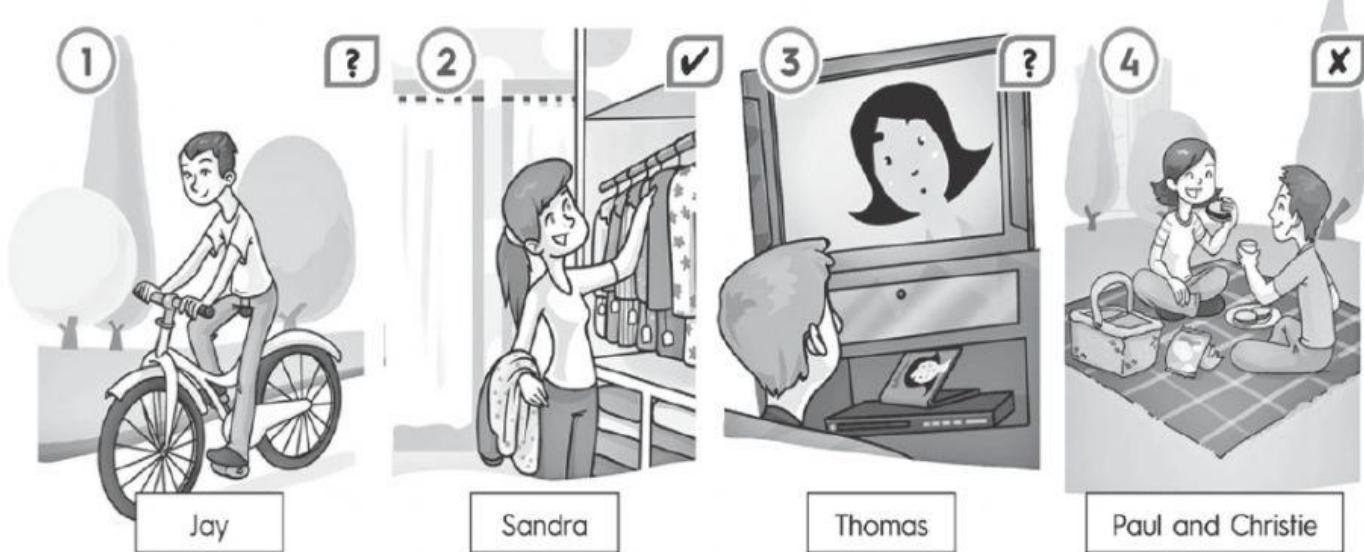
1. When _____ ?
I went to the chariot show on Friday.
2. Where _____ ?
The show was in the Colosseum.
3. What _____ ?
I saw the new Ferrarus Autostradus.
4. What time _____ ?
The Emperor bought the chariot at 16:00 h.

4. Write this numbers

The International Space Station

1. Altitude: 460 km four hundred and sixty
2. Speed: 27,740 km/h
3. Weight: 420,532 kg
4. Other man-made objects in orbit: 25,000

5. Look and write about the children's weekend using GOING TO or MIGHT



1. Jay _____
2. Sandra _____
3. Thomas _____
4. Paul and Christie _____

6. Read, choose and complete:

Last week, my family and I (1) _____ to a circus. A circus is a place (2) _____ people go to watch acrobats and other performers. I don't really like it but my sisters (3) _____ very excited. They love going to the circus and (4) _____ the show started they were laughing and playing. I was a little bit annoyed because we were waiting (5) _____ a long time for the show to start. (6) _____, a man dressed as a Roman gladiator appeared. I was admiring his shield (7) _____ I heard a lion roar. My sisters looked at me – they weren't laughing anymore!





7. Read and choose the correct form:

Dear Alfie,

How are you? I'm having (1) **a** / **an** amazing time here in the USA. The weather is crazy! Yesterday, there (2) **was** / **were** a huge storm, with thunder and lightning. The teacher explained what to do. First, you (3) **have to** / **don't** try to find shelter, but you (4) **should** / **mustn't** stand under a tree; that's very dangerous.

There are lots of things to do here. You can (5) **play** / **go** boating or play golf. You can also do English classes, but you don't (6) **have** / **should** to; it's optional. Tomorrow morning there's a class on volcanoes. I (7) **might** / **won't** go to it, if I get up on time!

So, tell me (8) **all** / **about** your summer. What's the (9) **time** / **weather** like where you are? It can't be as wild as here!

Anyway, I'm (10) **going** / **gone** to go to bed now but I will email again soon.

Love,

Charlie

8. Rewrite the email with the correct capital letters and punctuation:

