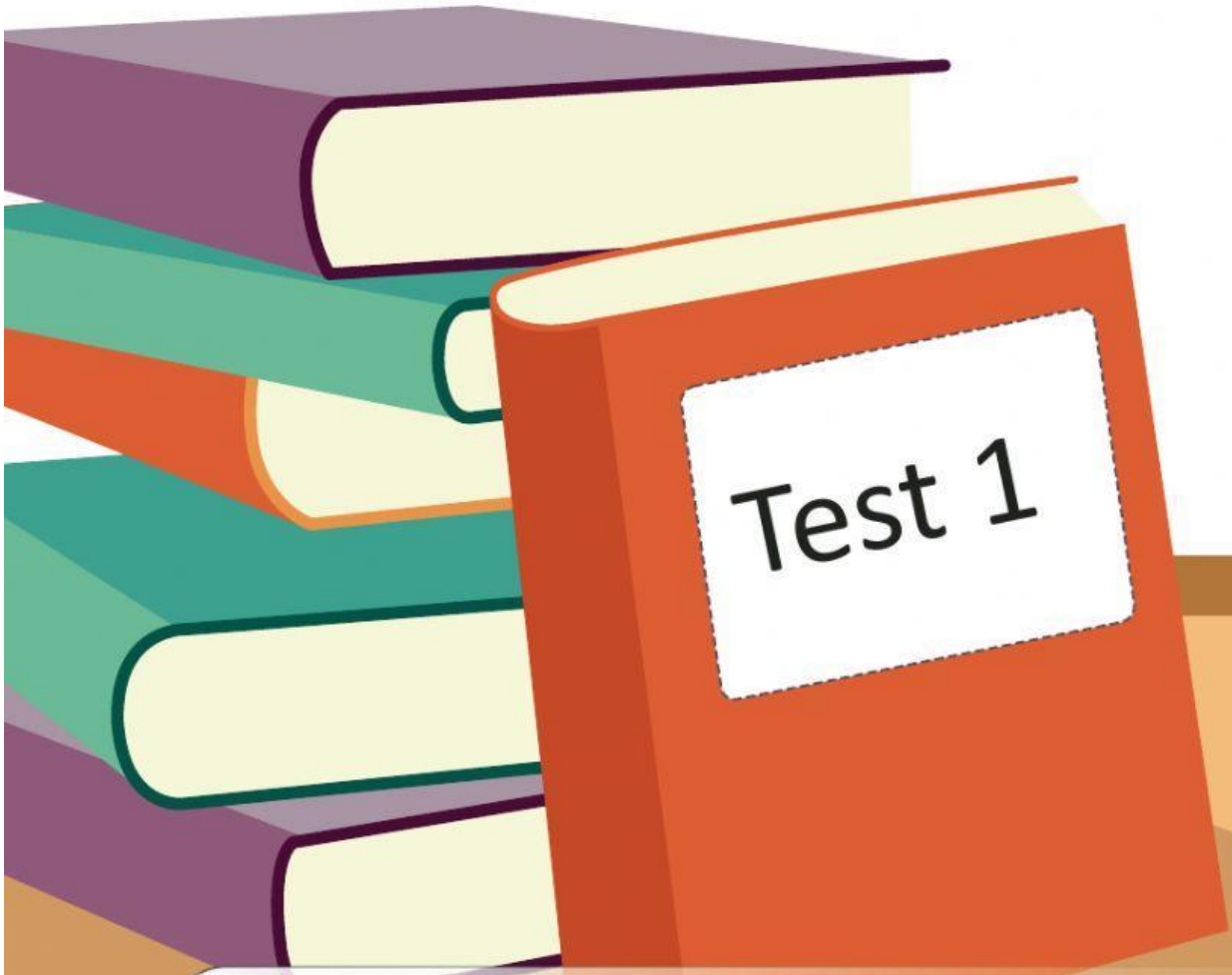
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Level A1



FIRST NAME: .....

LAST NAME: .....

FATHER'S NAME: .....

DATE OF BIRTH: .....

LIVEWORKSHEETS

• Part One - Numbers 1 to 10 •

You will hear five short conversations.
There are two questions following each conversation.
For questions 1 to 10, mark A, B or C on your Answer Sheet.

Conversation 1

1. Why didn't Karen go shopping?
   A. It was raining.
   B. She was too tired.
   C. Her mum was sick.
2. What fun thing did Karen do?
   A. She went to a party.
   B. She saw a film with her father.
   C. She played a game with her dad.

Conversation 2

3. What does Lisa want to ask Mrs. Jenkins?
   A. why she didn't get a better grade.
   B. if she can leave the class early .
   C. what their homework is.
4. What can Lisa do to get a better grade?
   A. work harder
   B. write less
   C. ask for help

Conversation 3

5. What is the problem with the red blouse?
   A. It is too small.
   B. It is too big.
   C. It is the wrong colour.
6. What will Jane probably do?
   A. buy the blue T-shirt
   B. try on the red blouse
   C. come back another day

Conversation 4

7. What does John say about hotdogs?
   A. He doesn't usually eat them.
   B. His mother cooks them often.
   C. They are very healthy.
8. What will Sarah order?
   A. only soup
   B. a salad and a soup
   C. a hotdog

Conversation 5

9. Which animal frightened Stacey?
   A. the gorilla
   B. the lion
   C. the snake
10. Why did Jeff like the snakes?
    A. He has a pet snake.
    B. They were very dangerous.
    C. They seemed smart.

LIVEWORKSHEETS

• Part Two - Numbers 11 to 20 •

Listen to the following radio conversation about the sun.
For questions 11 to 20, decide whether the statements are True or False.
On your Answer Sheet, mark T if the statement is True and F if it is False.

	T	F
11. Dr. Crane is a scientist.	☐	☐
12. Some say that the sun is bad for our skin.	☐	☐
13. People believed that the sun was a god.	☐	☐
14. Dr. Crane loves cycling best.	☐	☐
15. Bad weather makes Jim sad.	☐	☐
16. The sun gives us a vitamin.	☐	☐
17. People who stay in the sun do not sleep well.	☐	☐
18. Jim doesn't sleep easily.	☐	☐
19. Sunlight helps our bodies work better.	☐	☐
20. Jim does not feel very happy.	☐	☐

LIVEWORKSHEETS

• Part One - Numbers 21 to 27 •

Read Jane's email to her friend, Tim. Then do the exercises on the next page.

Hi Tim!

What's up? I have some exciting news! I got a beautiful puppy and her name is Lola. Our neighbour's dog had puppies, and they needed to find homes for them. In the beginning, my mum did not want Lola at all. She loves animals, but she thinks that it is very difficult to have a dog. A dog needs walks, baths, visits to the doctor, feeding and many other things. But I promised her that I would help a lot. My mum still said no, but then I brought Lola to our house for one hour. That was it. My mum loved her so much that she said we could keep her!

Lola is a very smart puppy. She sleeps in her bed and she loves to play "catch". She never gets tired! The other great thing about Lola is that she isn't very noisy. She doesn't bark very much, only when she gets scared.

I love taking Lola out for a walk. She smells everything and sometimes she eats the grass. It's very funny to watch her doing it! My dad told me grass is good for her because it cleans her stomach. The only problem is that I don't study a lot for school now. I want to spend all my free time playing with Lola! But my mother has told me that If I don't study more, we won't keep Lola, so I guess I'd better start doing it.

How about you? How's your cat? Has she grown up now? The last time I saw her, she was just a little kitten, but that was more than 6 months ago. I'm sure she's very big now! Please write back and tell me how you are. I miss you and hope we can visit you soon. Maybe you can come in the summer and stay at my house for a few days. We can play with my dog and we'll have a lot of fun!

Love,

Jane

LIVEWORKSHEETS

For questions 21 to 23, decide whether the statements are True or False.
On your Answer Sheet, mark T if the statement is True and F if it is False.

	T	F
21. Jane got a puppy from a pet shop.	☐	☐
22. In the beginning, Jane's mum didn't want the puppy.	☐	☐
23. Lola and Jane sleep in the same bed.	☐	☐

For questions 24 to 27, mark A, B or C on your Answer Sheet.

24. From Jane's email, we understand that_____ .
    A. she loves her new pet
    B. her new pet is very noisy.
    C. she doesn't spend time with Lola

25. Why didn't Jane's mum want a puppy?
    A. She hates pets.
    B. It needs a lot of work.
    C. They aren't very cute.

26. What problem does Jane have?
    A. She doesn't play with Lola enough.
    B. She doesn't study enough now.
    C. She wants another pet.

27. When does Jane want Tim to visit?
    A. in the summer
    B. in 6 months
    C. in a few days

LIVEWORKSHEETS

• Part Two - Numbers 28 to 35 •

Read this passage about Snakes.
Then do the exercises on the next page.

Snakes are very interesting. Many people are afraid of snakes because of the way they move. Since they do not have legs, they move around by pushing their bodies. Although snakes look like they do not have bones, this is not true. The truth is that they have more bones than humans! That's why they can move so easily.

Snakes can live almost everywhere. They live on the ground, in trees and in water. But they cannot live in places where the ground is frozen. That's why there are no snakes in the Arctic or other cold areas. The snake's teeth are not stuck together, so it can open its mouth very wide. It can eat small animals that are bigger than its head! Most snakes cannot see very well. And although they have noses, they do not use them to smell. Instead, they smell with their tongues! They also have a small hole in their mouths so they can stick their tongue out without opening their mouths.

Probably the most interesting thing about snakes is how they eat. First of all, snakes only eat animals or animals' eggs. Although they have teeth, they do not use them to chew. The animal they eat goes into their throat and then into their body. It takes weeks or months for them to eat this animal. Some snakes only eat a couple of times a year! Finally, in the past, many people believed that snakes brought us good luck. In Greece, people believed that snakes could cure sick people. In Australia, people believed that a snake created the world. So you see, there are many strange facts about snakes. Are they good or bad? It's up to you to decide.



LIVEWORKSHEETS

For questions 28 to 32, decide whether the statements are True or False.
On your Answer Sheet, mark T if the statement is True and F if it is False.

	T	F
28. Snakes push their legs to move.	☐	☐
29. Humans have more bones than snakes.	☐	☐
30. Snakes cannot live in very cold places.	☐	☐
31. Snakes can eat fruit.	☐	☐
32. Some snakes eat twice a year.	☐	☐

For questions 33 to 35, mark A, B or C on your Answer Sheet.

33. Snakes can open their mouths so wide because ___.
    A. their lips are big
    B. they have no bones
    C. their teeth are not stuck together

34. Snakes eat___.
    A. animals and their eggs
    B. some plants and animals
    C. only very large animals

35. It takes snakes a long time to eat an animal because ___.
    A. they are not hungry
    B. they have no teeth
    C. they do not chew



LIVEWORKSHEETS

• Part One - Numbers 36 to 45 •
Mark A, B or C on your Answer Sheet.

36. My cousins _____me a month ago.
    A. visited
    B. will visit
    C. visit

37. I've _____ made a cake; do you want a piece?
    A. just
    B. since
    C. yet

38. There isn't _____ juice in the fridge.
    A. many
    B. a lot
    C. much

39. Karen is lucky; she's got _____ .
    A. the dog
    B. a dog
    C. dog

40. She _____ her teeth twice a day.
    A. is brushing
    B. brush
    C. brushes

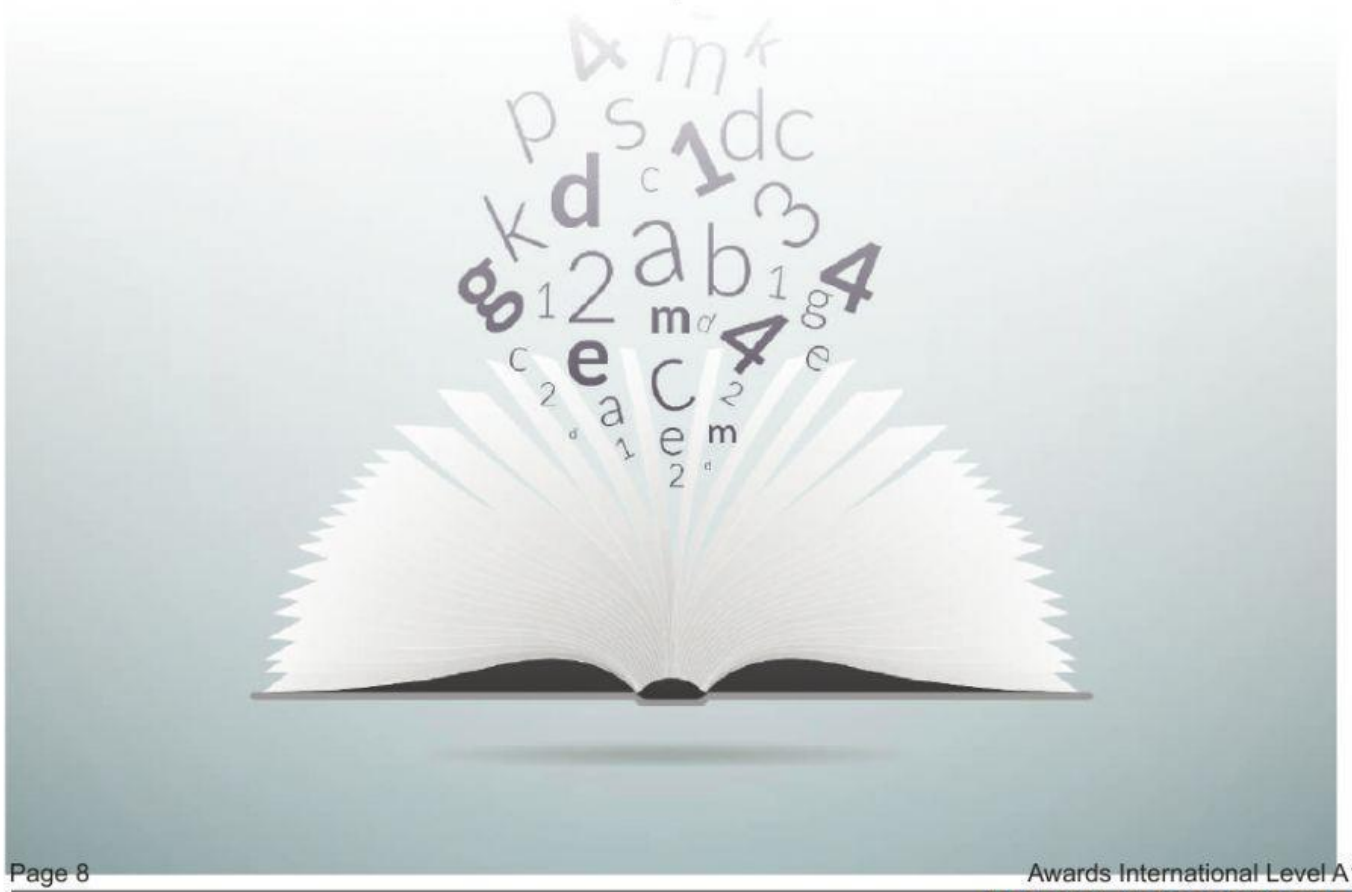
41. Who_____the lights on?
    A. left
    B. did leave
    C. is leave

42. I have two sisters. _____ of them are older than me.
    A. Some
    B. Both
    C. A few

43. This is _____ sister's new car. I love it.
    A. mine
    B. me
    C. my

44. Tom is _____ boy in my class.
    A. the funniest
    B. the funnier
    C. the more funny

45. If you don't go to sleep early, you_____ tired tomorrow.
    A. are
    B. were
    C. will be



LIVEWORKSHEETS

• Part Two - Numbers 46 to 55 •
Mark A, B or C on your Answer Sheet.

46. The plane took_____ and flew into the air.
    A. away
    B. off
    C. up

47. Please_____ me what happened!
    A. tell
    B. say
    C. speak

48. My mother is _____ me to school today.
    A. going
    B. taking
    C. coming

49. Please, buy two _____ of milk from the supermarket.
    A. loaves
    B. bars
    C. cartons

50. This laptop is very _____ so I can't buy it.
    A. expensive
    B. cheap
    C. smart

51. People usually watch TV in the _____.
    A. living room
    B. dining room
    C. bathroom

52. Please come quickly! It's an_____!
    A. emergency
    B. equipment
    C. activity

53. I'm going to see a _____ because my tooth hurts.
    A. nurse
    B. doctor
    C. dentist

54. I'm meeting my friend at the train _____.
    A. stop
    B. port
    C. station

55. If you_____ trying, you will succeed.
    A. turn on
    B. keep on
    C. get on

LIVEWORKSHEETS