

KET 4 – FINAL

READING

PART 1:

QUESTIONS 1 – 6

Look at the text in each question. What does it say?

Mark the correct letter A, B or C on your answer sheet.

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A The ice cream shop is open for only 2 hours.

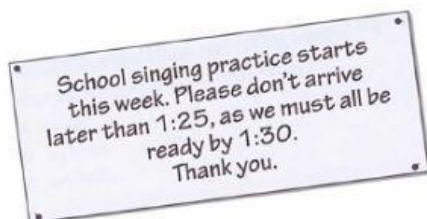
B Two ice creams will cost the same as one.

C You can get free ice creams all afternoon.

Answer:

0	A	B	C
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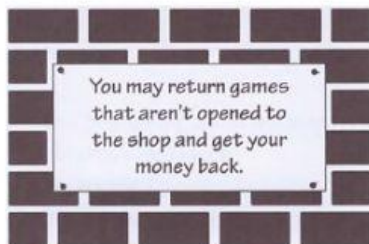


A Singing practice starts at 1:25

B There is no singing practice this week

C Please arrive early for singing practice

2.



You can return a game if

A it doesn't work.

B you don't like it.

C you haven't used it.

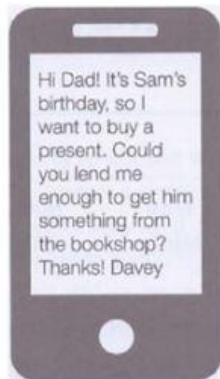
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Speak to Mr Sponforth if

- A you are interested in becoming a member of the book club.
- B you would like to borrow a book from the club.
- C you have read the same book as your classmates.

4.



Davey wants to

- A go shopping with his dad
- B borrow some money.
- C ask what to get for Sam.

5.



- A The café is closed today.
- B We are looking for more staff.
- C Tomorrow we open at a different time.

6.



- A We repair old laptops.
- B Old laptops are for sale for £100.
- C Save money when you buy a new laptop.

QUESTIONS 8 – 13

Mark the correct letter A, B or C on your answer sheet.

Example:

0 Kate..... like martial arts.

A do

B doesn't

C don't

Answer: **0** ☐ A ☒ B ☐ C

	Melissa	Sharon	Latifa
7 Which person has made new friends because of her hobby?	A	B	C
8 Which person does her hobby near her home?	A	B	C
9 Which person says she is getting better at her hobby?	A	B	C
10 Which person does her hobby with a family member?	A	B	C
11 Which person wants to do her hobby more often?	A	B	C
12 Which person needs to buy something for her hobby?	A	B	C
13 Which person says her hobby was more expensive than she thought?	A	B	C

Three teenagers describe their hobbies

Melissa, runner

I started running about a year ago. At first, I just ran 1 or 2 kilometers, but I now do about 10. My speed is improving too. I've joined a running club in the town center. I didn't know any of the members before, but now most of them are my mates. My dad was a keen runner when he was younger – he was fit, but he stopped when he hurt his leg. Actually, I need to order some new running shoes – just a simple pair. I don't think the expensive ones make you run faster!



Sharon, skateboarder

I go skateboarding most evenings in the park. I suppose that's quite a lot, but the park is only a minute or two from our apartment, and I only stay there half an hour or so. Although I stay longer when my friends are there. Sometimes my cousin's there too. He's a beginner, and I'm teaching him a few moves. He's starting to get really good!

Latifa, rock climber

Two of my best friends suggested I should start rock climbing, so now the three of us do it together. The mother of one of them takes us once or twice a month, but I'd like to do it every week. When I started, I didn't know you need to get so much stuff – and it isn't exactly cheap! I really love it. I don't think I'll ever get bored of climbing!



QUESTIONS 14 – 18

Read the article of Mrs Howells about photography

Choose the correct answer (A, B or C) for each question

For questions 14 – 18, mark A, B or C on your answer sheet

An amazing stay at the Ocean View Hotel

I'm usually sad to say goodbye to my cousins after visiting them in Australia. But last June I wasn't. We had to change planes in the Middle East on the way back and had to stay overnight. I just couldn't wait to get to our hotel.



The first thing I noticed in the hotel was all the glass. It was really bright, so I don't know why all the lights were on in the building! There was also loud rock music playing, which I loved (but my parents didn't)! There weren't many people waiting at the reception, so we were soon in our rooms.

The garden wasn't what I expected. 'Dad,' I said, 'you told me there was a pool!' He took my back into the reception area then up in the lift to the 39th floor and out onto the top of the building. 'Here it is', he said. It was amazing! Swimming under the clouds was awesome.

I've stayed in some great hotels around the world, but nothing as cool as that one! I saw photographs of it before I went, but they don't really show how large the building is. I couldn't believe it. Everything is huge – the building, the pool, the meals (which were delicious, too, by the way)! There's so much to do and see there. I hope we can go back again and stay for longer!

14 The writer says that last June, she felt

- A excited about where she was going
- B sad because she was leaving her cousins.
- C angry because of the delay in her journey.

- 15 What was the hotel like inside?
- A dark
 - B noisy
 - C busy
- 16 Where was the hotel's pool?
- A in the hotel garden.
 - B on the roof of the hotel.
 - C close to the hotel's reception area.
- 17 What do we learn about the writer in the last paragraph?
- A She hasn't visited many hotels in her life.
 - B She didn't have time to see everything in the hotel.
 - C She didn't know the hotel is so big.
- 18 Why has the writer written this text?
- A to describe what the hotel looks like.
 - B to say how the hotel could improve.
 - C to explain why she loved the hotel.

QUESTIONS 19 – 24

Read the article about red pandas.

Choose the best word (A, B or C) for each space.

For questions 19 – 24, mark A, B or C on your answer sheet.

Red pandas

Red pandas (0) in Nepal, Northern Myanmar, India and Bhutan, as (19) as in China. They (20) a lot of their time trees and are very (21)at climbing. They are more active during the night than the day and they usually (22)for food in the evening and early in the morning. Their favourite food is bamboo. In fact, a female red panda can eat 20,000 bamboo leaves in a day! But they also eat fruit, grass, eggs, insects and (23)small birds and animals. Scientists believe that the number of red pandas in the world is (24)because the forests where they live are getting smaller. But much is being done in countries around the world to help this amazing animal.



Example:

0 A lives

B live

C living

Answer: 0 ☐ A ☒ B ☐ C

19 A soon

B much

C well

20 A spend

B live

C take

21 A nice

B great

C good

22 A look

B see

C find

23 A even

B quite

C still

24 A little

B low

C short

QUESTIONS 25 – 30

Complete the email.

Write **ONE** word for each space.

For questions 25 – 30, write the words on your answer sheet.

Example:

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From:	Giles
To:	Aunt Nel

Hi Aunt Nel,

Thank you very **(0)**for the book you sent me. It was very kind **(25)**you. Actually, History of Space Travel sounds like **(26)**brilliant title. I'm really interested **(27)**that kind of thing – exploring space and learning about the moon. I'll start it after I finish the one I'm reading now, **(28)**is about how cars are made.

The holidays are nearly finished now. I go back **(29)**school next week. Then I've only got two more years of school, so I need to decide **(30)**to do next!

Thanks again for the present.

Best wishes,

Giles