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## EmSAT Reading Test

Read the article about a young singer called Conor Maynard.

Are sentences 21 – 27 'Right' (A) or 'Wrong' (B)?

If there is not enough information to answer 'Right' (A) or 'Wrong' (B), choose 'Doesn't say' (C).

For questions 21 – 27, mark A, B or C on your answer sheet.

### Conor Maynard

Conor Maynard comes from Brighton, a town on the English coast. Thanks to the internet, he became an international pop star when he was just 19. The story started when Conor was 15. One day he was walking home, singing to himself, when a girl from the year above him at school heard him and said, 'Wow, you can sing!'

After that, she and her friends asked him to sing every day during lunch break.



Finally, Conor decided to record some songs and put them on the internet. He wanted to be able to eat his lunch during break, instead of singing. He saved his money and bought some cheap recording software. He chose songs by his favourite stars, but sang them in his own special way.

Thousands of people watched him online and in the end one song was downloaded 10 million times! After seeing this, several music companies wanted to record an album with Conor. At the time, he was studying for his exams and wasn't sure what to do. He spoke to his mum and his teachers and they all agreed he should make the album. Two years later, the record was finished. Conor hopes he will make many more.

The girl who liked Conor's singing was in the same class as him at school.

**A** Right    **B** Wrong    **C** Doesn't say

The students told Conor which songs they wanted him to sing at lunchtime.

**A** Right    **B** Wrong    **C** Doesn't say

Conor recorded his songs so that he didn't have to sing every lunchtime.

**A** Right    **B** Wrong    **C** Doesn't say

Conor spent a long time thinking about which recording software to buy.

**A** Right    **B** Wrong    **C** Doesn't say

The songs Conor recorded were all written by him.

**A** Right    **B** Wrong    **C** Doesn't say

Record companies were interested in Conor when they saw how popular he was on the internet.

**A** Right    **B** Wrong    **C** Doesn't say

Conor's teachers told him to do his exams instead of making the record.

**A** Right    **B** Wrong    **C** Doesn't say