

## II. READING

1. Read the following passage about the Statue of Liberty in New York. Decide if the statements are true (T) or false (F). Circle T or F.

The Statue of Liberty is situated in New York Harbour. It was a gift to the United States from the people of France. The statue's 300 copper pieces were transported to America on a ship. In 1886, the statue was the tallest iron structure ever built. From the ground to the top, it measures 93 metres.

Lady Liberty holds a torch in one hand and a tablet in the other. On the tablet is the date of America's first Independence Day, July 4, 1776. A broken chain lies at her feet. The statue is a symbol of freedom.

Approximately four million people visit the statue each year. The statue will be celebrating its 130th birthday in October 2016.

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| 1. The Statue of Liberty was built in the United States.    | T | F |
| 2. The Statue of Liberty is the tallest iron structure now. | T | F |
| 3. The statue was brought to America in separate pieces.    | T | F |
| 4. The statue is an icon of freedom.                        | T | F |
| 5. The Statue of Liberty is 130 years old.                  | T | F |

**2. Read the following passage about crazy sports. Fill each of the gaps with NO MORE THAN THREE WORDS.**

**CRAZY SPORTS**

**Royal Soccer**

Two soccer matches are held every year in a small village in England. The teams include everyone in the village. There is no specific rule. Just be careful not to kill anyone! We don't know when the game started.

**Chess Boxing**

This game is popular in Finland. You need to be both smart and strong, because players play chess and then box against each other. There are 11 rounds. Winning comes from either a checkmate or a knockout. This game was first seen in a 1991 movie.

**Cheese Chase**

This game is held in a small corner of the British Isles. It involves 20 competitors chasing a block of cheese down the hill. Whoever gets the cheese wins. The game is at least 200 years old.

<b>Sports</b>	<b>Where?</b>	<b>How to play?</b>	<b>Origin?</b>
Royal Soccer	England	no (2)	unknown
Chess Boxing	(1)	combination of chess and (3)	since 1991
Cheese Chase	British Isles	chase a (4) down the hill	since (5) years ago

### III. WRITING

1. Complete each of the following sentences using the cues given. You can use other words in addition to the cues.

**Here is an example.**

0. *Ngoc/usually/play/badminton/Sunday.*

Answer: 0. *Ngoc usually plays badminton on Sundays.*

1. How/many/hour/day/you/watch TV?

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2. What/you/watch/TV/last night?

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3. Sometimes/he/watch/TV/and/sometimes/he/read/book.

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4. My mother/love/Korean/film/but/I/not.

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5. Although/show/interesting/I/cannot/watch/until/end.

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#### IV. LANGUAGE FOCUS

1. Choose the word whose the underlined part is pronounced differently from the others'. Circle A, B or C.

1. A. design                      B. prize                      C. winner
2. A. tower                      B. blow                      C. snow
3. A. boating                      B. postcard                      C. abroad
4. A. quiet                      B. times                      C. written
5. A. holiday                      B. photo                      C. opera

2. Choose the best option to complete each sentence. Circle A, B or C.

1. I like animals, \_\_\_\_\_ I usually watch Animal Planet.  
A. but                      B. so                      C. for
2. \_\_\_\_\_ my sister is a funny girl, she likes comedies.  
A. Although                      B. But                      C. Because
3. He stayed up late to watch the film \_\_\_\_\_ he was tired.  
A. but                      B. because                      C. although
4. I watched TV, \_\_\_\_\_ I cooked dinner at the same time.  
A. so                      B. but                      C. and
5. Do you like him \_\_\_\_\_ he is an MC?  
A. because                      B. so                      C. although

**3. Fill each blank with a word from the box.**

<b>weatherman</b>	<b>schedules</b>	<b>MC</b>	<b>newsreader</b>	<b>viewers</b>
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1. The programme attracts millions of \_\_\_\_\_.
2. The \_\_\_\_\_ is describing the weather for this weekend.
3. He is a famous \_\_\_\_\_. He introduces guests at formal events.
4. The \_\_\_\_\_ reported that the man was a teacher.
5. Channel 1 has published its autumn \_\_\_\_\_.