

Test 1 A (Module 1)

Task 1. Listening

Listen to some teenagers talking on a radio programme about their friends. Number the statements A-F in order you hear them. There is one extra statement that you do not need to use.

- A. The speaker and his/her friends share the same pastime.
- B. The speaker sees his/her friends every day.
- C. The speaker thinks of his/her friend as part of the family.
- D. The speaker thinks he/she is lucky to have such good friends.
- E. The speaker spends all his/her free time with his/her friend.
- F. The speaker moved close to his/her friend's house.

| Speaker | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
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Task 2. Vocabulary and Grammar

Fill in the missing word. There is one extra word.

reliable * pessimistic * stubborn * bossy * shy * impatient * selfish

- 1. Mike is very _____. He taps his foot and sighs when he has to wait.
- 2. Sam's mum is so _____. She is always telling him what to do.
- 3. Joe is a _____ person. He always expects the worst.
- 4. Laura is so _____. She never listens to anyone, and does whatever she wants.
- 5. Jane is very _____. She looks down at the floor and blushes when speaking to people she doesn't know well.
- 6. Don't worry, Alison will be here on time, she is very _____.

Fill in the gaps with the correct preposition of, at, over, down, with, along, over with. There is one preposition you do not need to use.

- 7. It has taken him a long time to get _____ the flu.
- 8. Tom has lots of friends and is liked by everyone. He is very popular _____ them.
- 9. Sarah gets _____ well with her parents.
- 10. John is very good _____ basketball. He's the best player of the team.
- 11. The bad weather is really beginning to get me _____.
- 12. Polly is very fond _____ reading. She spends all her free time reading books.

Choose the correct item.

- 13. Emma and her husband **are staying/stay** in a nice hotel in the centre of the town.
- 14. I promise I will **help/am helping** you with your homework as soon as I can.
- 15. The concert **is starting/starts** at 8 p.m. Do you want to go to dinner before that?
- 16. **Have you met/Have you been meeting** your new neighbours yet? They seem really nice.
- 17. Ben **works/has worked** at his dad's restaurant every Friday night.
- 18. Tony **looks/is looking** for a new job at the moment.
- 19. Tie your shoelaces! You **will trip/are going to trip** over them.

Form adjectives from the words in bold

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| 20. Brad Pitt is the most _____ actor. | ATTRACT |
| 21. Playing with my dog is the best thing to do on a _____ day. | SUN |
| 22. A pair of jeans from Topshop is the most _____ outfit I've ever bought. | STYLE |
| 23. I've never been to a dull concert. It was the most _____ concert I've ever been to. | BORE |
| 24. Tenerife with my parents was the most _____ holiday I've ever had. | ENJOY |

Task 3. Reading

*Read the text and mark the sentences 1-6 **T** (true), **F** (false) or **DS** (doesn't say).*

THE COOL FOR SCHOOL

‘Cool’ people are attractive, confident and always wear stylish outfits. Everyone wants to hang out with them. But often ‘cool’ people aren’t very nice! They can be selfish and bossy. At times they get impatient with people who might be shy or a bit quiet.

If you really want to make some true friends, here are some tips. Don’t choose friends based on looks. What really matters in a friend is not being slim and beautiful but reliable and generous. Choose friends who are humorous, talkative and who never treat others badly. In fact, these are the people who are truly cool! Try to choose friends that you can actually benefit from. Those who are creative and have interests other than fashion and parties.

Be flexible but don’t say or do things that make you feel uncomfortable just to make ‘cool’ people like you. Always speak your mind. Those who really care for you will still be your friends – even if at times you drive them crazy. Remember: real friends are those you can open up to. Those who will hold their tongue and will never give away your secrets.

Take a minute and think. What really matters? Making friends that count or counting friends?

1. Popular kids in school are often selfish and bossy.
2. If you want to make true friends, choose slim and beautiful ones.
3. People who are truly cool are talkative and friendly.
4. A true friend will care for you even if at times you get on his nerves.
5. A true friend should be able to keep your secrets.
6. ‘Cool’ people are usually ugly.