


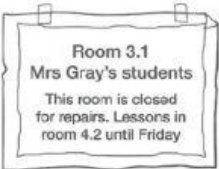

# Test 1

## READING AND WRITING (60 minutes)

### PART 1

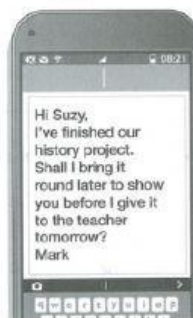
#### QUESTIONS 1-6

For each question, choose the correct answer.

- 1  **A** A student has found the wrong ID card in his sports bag.  
**B** The person who lost his bag can get it from the school office.  
**C** If you find a lost sports bag, please take it to the school office.
- 2  **A** Mrs Gray is not coming to the school until Friday.  
**B** Mrs Gray's class is going to be on a different day this week.  
**C** Mrs Gray isn't able to use her usual room at the moment.
- 3  **A** Students have to bring their own food to school for lunch next week.  
**B** The school is going to stop offering lunch to students after next week.  
**C** Only a few types of food will be available for student lunches next week.

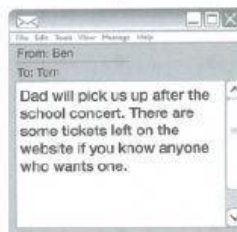
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- A** Mark is asking Suzy if he should visit her today.  
**B** Mark wants Suzy to help him complete their project.  
**C** Mark thinks Suzy should give the project to the teacher.

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What should Tom do?

- A** go online to check if there are still concert tickets available  
**B** tell people that it is still possible for them to come to the concert  
**C** ask if his father can collect them after the concert

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- A** Mr Jones is offering to teach club members something new.  
**B** Some people have told Mr Jones they want to leave the photography club.  
**C** Mr Jones wants to find out more about photography software.

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## PART 2

## QUESTIONS 7–13

For each question, choose the correct answer.

	Jian	Max	Kojo
7 Who does not like the way the book ends?	A	B	C
8 Who enjoyed the pictures in the book?	A	B	C
9 Who explains how he got the book?	A	B	C
10 Who enjoyed learning about lives which are different from his own?	A	B	C
11 Who says something about what happens in the story?	A	B	C
12 Who says the book is not very well-known?	A	B	C
13 Who felt sad when he finished the book?	A	B	C

## My favourite book

Jian



This well-known book was in a box of old books that a neighbour gave me. I wasn't sure about it when I picked it up because I saw the pictures and thought it was a book for little children. But I was bored, so I started reading. After a few pages I couldn't stop, and when I got to the last page, I was quite upset that there wasn't more. It's about two friends who play a game, and how it changes their lives. It's brilliant!

Max



This was one of the first books I ever had, but it's still a favourite. Even before I could read, I loved looking at the drawings as my parents read the story to me. Now my little sister's got it, and she loves it too. The writer has become quite famous, but this is the first book she wrote, and not many people have heard of it. It's very different from the books she wrote later. I suppose what you write about changes as your life changes.

Kojo



I read this book for the first time when I was about eight. One of the reasons I liked it was that it was about people growing up in a place which I knew nothing about. My friend read it too, and our ideas for games often came from this book. I read it again recently, and I still think it's great, except the last few pages. What happens in them doesn't seem real.

## PART 3

## QUESTIONS 14–18

For each question, choose the correct answer.

**A young cheesemaker**

16-year-old Pat Tulloch has an unusual hobby. She makes cheese on the family farm in Australia. She began by making yoghurt with her mother when she was little. Then she started watching her father's workers make cheese. When she was ten, she made some herself for the first time. 'It wasn't great,' she says, 'but the workers told me what I was doing wrong and that helped me to slowly get better.'

Pat always needs good milk for her cheese, but she doesn't have to buy it. Her mother and father keep 100 cows on their farm. Pat can just ask them when she needs more. Last year, Pat's neighbour gave her a young cow to keep and look after, but it doesn't produce milk to make cheese yet.

Pat and her family make several types of cheese. Recently they won a prize for one of them. 'It's been great for helping customers find out about us,' says Pat. 'Last month we started selling cheese in New Zealand. People there read about our prize in a food magazine. Soon we're going to do some advertisements, too.'

Pat's next idea is to post some online recipes for cooking with cheese. 'One of my favourites is cheese with eggs for breakfast. It's great! Our cheese is also lovely with pasta – I hope a restaurant might buy some one day.' But right now Pat is still at school. 'Making cheese is fun and winning a prize for it is great, but doing well in my studies matters more for now.'

14. Pat learned to make good cheese
- A by listening to the advice she got.
  - B by seeing how her mother did it.
  - C by practising at home on her own.
15. Where does Pat get the milk for her cheese?
- A from her neighbour's farm
  - B her father helps her to buy it
  - C her parents give it to her
16. Pat says winning the prize means
- A more people know about her family's cheese.
  - B she can be the star of the family's new advertisements.
  - C she was invited to visit another country.
17. What's the most important thing for Pat at the moment?
- A writing a new cookbook
  - B being successful at school
  - C selling cheese to a restaurant
18. In this article, Pat is explaining
- A why her family started making cheese.
  - B how to win a competition for making cheese.
  - C how she has become part of a cheese-making business.

## PART 4

## QUESTIONS 19–24

For each question, choose the correct answer.

**Philo T. Farnsworth**

Philo T. Farnsworth was born in the USA in 1906. As a child, he was very interested in science and electricity and spent a lot of time (19) ..... about it. He also won a national (20) ..... for young engineers when he was just 13.

When he was 20, Farnsworth (21) ..... his own business. In 1927, he showed everyone his new idea: a (22) ..... of sending pictures using electricity. Many other people were working on ideas for a machine to do this, but Farnsworth's was the first that had no moving parts. In fact, it was the first true electronic TV.

After many business problems, Farnsworth had success in 1938 when another company (23) ..... him \$1 million for his idea. He is not very famous these (24) ..... but, as the father of electronic television, Farnsworth changed the world.

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|----|------------|------------|-----------------|
| 19 | A learning | B studying | C understanding |
| 20 | A game     | B match    | C competition   |
| 21 | A became   | B turned   | C started       |
| 22 | A plan     | B way      | C thing         |
| 23 | A offered  | B took     | C sold          |
| 24 | A times    | B days     | C years         |

## PART 5

## QUESTIONS 25–30

For each question, write the correct answer.

Write **ONE** word for each gap.

Example: 0 from

From:	Rachel
To:	Chris

We're back (0) ..... our family holiday in the US. It was amazing! It's (25) ..... biggest country I've ever been to. We travelled from Los Angeles to Seattle (26) ..... car. It's nearly 2000 km and the trip took us (27) ..... very long time – nearly a week.

My family liked Los Angeles best, (28) ..... I didn't agree – Seattle was my favourite place. It's smaller (29) ..... Los Angeles, and the food was better. Seattle is near the sea and we ate lots of fish. The only problem was that (30) ..... rained almost every day!

Let's meet for a chat soon. I have a present for you!

**PART 6****QUESTION 31**

You are going camping next weekend with your family.  
Write an email to your English friend, Lee.

In your email:

- ask Lee to come camping with you and your family
- say why you are going camping
- tell Lee what to bring.

Write **25 words** or more.

Write the email on your answer sheet.

**PART 7****QUESTION 32**

Look at the three pictures.  
Write the story shown in the pictures.  
Write **35 words** or more.



Write the story on your answer sheet.

## Test 2

### READING AND WRITING (60 minutes)

#### PART 1

#### QUESTIONS 1-6

For each question, choose the correct answer.

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**Fashionista Clothes**  
Please keep the receipt –  
you cannot return  
anything without it.

- A Make sure that your receipt is correct before you leave the shop.
- B If you want to bring something back to this shop, you need a receipt.
- C Someone will check your receipt when you go out of the shop.

2

Luke,  
Thanks for asking me  
to go to the cinema.  
It sounds fun, but I'm  
afraid I've got too much  
homework. Maybe some  
other time.  
Sally

- Sally is telling Luke
- A why she is too busy to see a movie.
  - B which homework she needs to complete.
  - C when she will be available to see a movie.

3

Did anyone pick up my  
biology textbook by  
mistake after our science  
lesson in the library?  
I don't mind coming to get  
it from you.  
Jessica

- A Jessica needs to borrow a textbook from someone in her science class.
- B Jessica wants someone from her science class to bring her textbook to her.
- C Jessica is hoping someone in her science class has found her textbook.

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Laila,  
I'm visiting my  
grandparents this  
weekend so I can't meet  
you to finish our art  
project. Are you free this  
Thursday instead?  
Nathan

Why did Nathan write the message?

- A to check if Laila can work on their art project over the weekend
- B to tell Laila he won't be able to complete the project on his own
- C to ask Laila if she's able to meet him earlier than they planned

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#### 24 hour sale!

Download any 10  
songs for 99p

Then £1.99 per song as usual

- A You have 24 hours to buy as many songs as you like for 99p each.
- B The cost of each song is £1.99 after you buy more than ten songs.
- C Some popular songs that cost £1.99 aren't included in the sale.

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Aaron,  
Thanks for lending me  
your bike. I'll bring it  
back as soon as mine  
is repaired. It might be  
ready by next weekend.  
Stella

- A Stella is checking when Aaron will need his bike back.
- B Stella can't say exactly when she will be able to return Aaron's bike.
- C Stella wants to know if she can borrow Aaron's bike until next weekend.

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## PART 2

## QUESTIONS 7–13

For each question, choose the correct answer.

		DJ Fire	DJ Goldrock	DJ Mango
7	Who travels to different countries every year to play his music?	A	B	C
8	Who comes from a family of musicians?	A	B	C
9	Who was paid to make music as a teenager?	A	B	C
10	Who knows how to play more than one musical instrument?	A	B	C
11	Who works for a radio station?	A	B	C
12	Who writes music for other musicians?	A	B	C
13	Who wanted to play in a band when he was younger?	A	B	C

## How three young people became DJs

## DJ Fire



This Russian DJ grew up travelling with his parents who were in a rock band. He started learning piano at four, and drums at twelve. As a teenager, he wrote songs and posted them online as a hobby. Then, at 20, a music company started paying him to write songs for pop bands – and some have been on the radio. Later he became interested in electronic music and started playing it in clubs. He's hoping to get an invitation to play at some international festivals this summer.

## DJ Goldrock



This South African DJ started playing the piano when he was 5. At 15, he played pop songs at a cousin's birthday party, and got a hundred kids dancing. At that moment, he knew he wanted to be a DJ and never have a normal job. He started a website where he played his favourite songs, and soon had lots of fans. He's now 20 and has his own show on national radio. For the past three years, he's spent his summers going around the world playing dance music at festivals.

## DJ Mango



At 15, this Brazilian DJ's parents gave him a new computer and DJ equipment for making electronic dance music. Later that year, he started playing music at local dance parties to make some extra money, and the parties just got bigger and bigger. A few years later, a journalist asked him why he became a DJ. He said that as a child his dream was to play the electric guitar for a rock group, but he wasn't good enough!



## PART 3

## QUESTIONS 14–18

For each question, choose the correct answer.

### A path across Canada

*Thirteen-year-old Kara Finch writes about The Great Trail – a footpath that goes across Canada.*

The Great Trail goes from one side of Canada to the other. At 24,000 km, it is the longest trail in the world. The Great Trail project began in 1992 and took 25 years to complete. It opened in 2017, exactly 150 years after Canada became one country.

The Great Trail is actually lots of paths joined together. You can cycle, walk or horse-ride on most of it, but there are parts where the only way you can travel is by boat. And there are others where the trail is part of the highway, which doesn't sound very safe to me.

My father and I spent a day walking along part of the Great Trail that was surprisingly busy. We were told you don't usually see bears when there are lots of people, but we did. It was moving through the trees, quite close to us, and I felt a little afraid. 'I don't think it's hungry!' laughed my dad.

At lunchtime, we talked to an old man on the trail. Dad asked him if he thought the path was going to help Canadians learn more about their countryside. 'Not really,' he said. 'We've always loved to be outdoors. But it will bring us tourists from around the world, which is important.'

In the future, the path will probably change, and new parts may open. We saw nothing to tell us we were on the Great Trail, which is a shame. I know there's information on the website, but it's good to know when you're walking on a special path. They need to add some signs, I think.

- 14 What is Kara doing in the first paragraph?
  - A telling tourists how long it takes to walk the Great Trail
  - B explaining the history of the Great Trail
  - C giving walkers advice about walking in Canada
- 15 What does Kara think is dangerous?
  - A Some parts of the path are on roads.
  - B You need a boat for parts of the path.
  - C Bikes and horses share the same path.
- 16 What does Kara say about the bear she saw?
  - A It looked hungry.
  - B It was on the path.
  - C It walked near her.
- 17 What did the old man say about the trail?
  - A People from other countries will come to see it.
  - B People will go into the countryside more because of it.
  - C People from Canada will use it to see other parts of their country.
- 18 What does Kara say should happen next?
  - A There should be a website about the trail.
  - B Some parts of the trail should close.
  - C There should be more signs along the trail.



## PART 4

## QUESTIONS 19–24

For each question, choose the correct answer.

## Sally Ride

Sally Ride was born on 26th May, 1951, in California, USA. After high school, she went to Stanford University to study physics. While she was there, she saw an advertisement in her university newspaper (19) ..... women to join the US space programme. Six women, including Sally, were (20) ..... to become astronauts. On 18th June 1983, Sally became the first American woman to fly into space. Six days later, on 24th June, she (21) ..... to Earth.

When Sally (22) ..... working as an astronaut in 1987, she started teaching at the University of California. She wanted to find ways to get more people, (23) ..... girls, interested in studying science and mathematics. She also found time to write science books for children about (24) ..... space.

- 19 A inviting B showing C looking  
 20 A thought B decided C chosen  
 21 A completed B returned C arrived  
 22 A ended B closed C stopped  
 23 A especially B exactly C clearly  
 24 A exploring B going C travelling

## PART 5

## QUESTIONS 25–30

For each question, write the correct answer.  
 Write **ONE** word for each gap.

Example: 0 got

From:	Riley
To:	Kris

My dad's (0) ..... three tickets for the hockey match next Wednesday. One was for my brother, but now he's (25) ..... free that day, so we have an extra one. Do you (26) ..... to come? Dad would like to leave our house at 4 o'clock. Let me know as soon (27) ..... possible.

From:	Kris
To:	Riley

Wow! That's really kind (28) ..... you. Thanks! I asked Mum if I can come and she said yes. I finish school a bit later (29) ..... you, so Mum will drive me to your house at 4 o'clock. Is there anything I need (30) ..... bring with me?