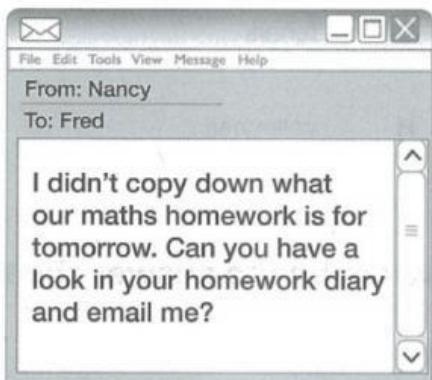


# Cambridge KET Test 44 - Reading & Writing

Quiz ID: 7478

## Question 1 (Question ID: 101-191938)

Choose the correct answer that goes with this text.



- A. Nancy has lost her homework diary.
- B. Nancy needs help with some difficult homework.
- C. Nancy forgot to make a note of what she needs to do.

## Question 2 (Question ID: 101-205545)

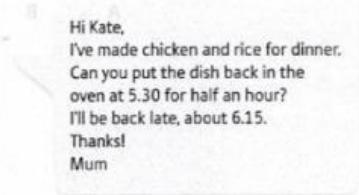
Choose the correct answer that goes with this text.



- A. Money from the competition will be used to repair Mill School.
- B. Everyone has to pay £2.00 to take part in the competition.
- C. The first runner will win £10.00 as a prize.

## Question 3 (Question ID: 101-209528)

Choose the correct answer that goes with this text.



- A. Kate's mum wants her to make dinner.
- B. Kate's mum will be home in time to make dinner.
- C. Kate's mum wants her to put dinner in the oven.

#### **Question 4** (Question ID: 101-238146)



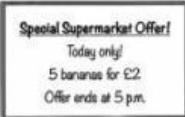
Hi Steve,  
I've got the present for Miguel. It cost \$12, so can you give me half  
of that when you see me?  
Thanks,  
Chloe

**Chloe wrote this message because \_\_\_\_\_**

- A. she wants to borrow money to buy a present.
- B. she needs ideas about what present to buy.
- C. she wants to share the cost of a present.

#### **Question 5** (Question ID: 101-303476)

**Choose the correct answer that goes with this text.**



- A. After 5 p.m. bananas will be more expensive.
- B. You can only buy bananas today.
- C. Before 5 p.m. there is no special offer.

#### **Question 6** (Question ID: 101-312742)

**Choose the correct answer that goes with this text.**



- A. The park closes on Saturday and Sunday.
- B. The park will be open again at the weekend.
- C. The park is closed after next weekend.

**Read the article. Then answer the questions.**

**Young people's holiday activities**

**A. Sarah**

Sarah likes holidays by the sea where she can rest all day. She doesn't like doing sports or going sightseeing. She likes to go to bed early in the evening and wake up late in the morning. When she wakes up, she goes to the beach and stays there all day, until about 5 p.m. She usually travels with her friends, so she spends most of her day talking to them. At lunchtime, she only has a sandwich and some orange juice. In the evening, she goes back to her hotel to have a shower and change clothes. She then goes into town with her friends where they have supper at a local or a fast-food restaurant.

**B. Jane**

Jane loves going on holiday to places which have a lot of old buildings. Before each journey, she always likes to buy a guidebook, so she knows where she can go and what things to see. She especially likes looking around old castles and learning about how people lived hundreds of years ago. Jane also likes to look around different museums. To eat a meal, she will always go to restaurants which cook local food. She hates eating burgers and other unhealthy snacks.

**C. Gemma**

Gemma is a great fan of dangerous sports. Every time she goes on holiday, she likes doing some very dangerous activities. One of the activities she likes is climbing up the side of a high mountain without any help. She also likes going on a small boat down a very fast and dangerous river. She tries to do a different dangerous activity every day when she's on holiday. She tries to be careful but once she ended her holiday in hospital and was taken home in an ambulance.

**Question 7** (Question ID: 101-205718)

**Who likes places with a lot of history?**

- A. Sarah
- B. Jane
- C. Gemma

**Question 8** (Question ID: 101-205719)

**Who likes to do things that are not very safe?**

- A. Sarah
- B. Jane
- C. Gemma

**Question 9** (Question ID: 101-205720)

**Who likes to eat a little in the middle of the day?**

- A. Sarah
- B. Jane
- C. Gemma

**Question 10** (Question ID: 101-205721)

**Who doesn't like to eat at fast food restaurants?**

- A. Sarah
- B. Jane
- C. Gemma

**Question 11** (Question ID: 101-205722)

**Who travels with other people on holiday?**

- A. Sarah
- B. Jane
- C. Gemma

**Question 12** (Question ID: 101-205723)

**Who had a problem when she was on holiday?**

- A. Sarah
- B. Jane
- C. Gemma

**Question 13** (Question ID: 101-205724)

**Who likes to sleep a lot on holiday?**

- A. Sarah
- B. Jane
- C. Gemma

**Read the passage then choose the best answer to each question.**

**Joe Brown: being a writer**

I wrote my first stories when I was about 12, but I really didn't know how good they were. My friends weren't interested, but my teacher sent some of them to a national magazine for children. The magazine didn't want them, but then my mum heard about a competition while she was listening to the radio. So I sent in one of my stories and it won first prize! Then I thought, "I can do this".

During my years at school, I continued writing when I had time. Then when I left school, I went to university. I didn't study writing - I studied French and Spanish. After university, I worked in a bookshop and in a library, but I wanted to write again. I decided to move to France.

At first, I worked as a waiter. I worked every day except Sunday. I wrote my novel on Sundays and in the evenings!

I love writing and I'm never bored. I spend a lot of time alone, but this isn't a problem for me. I've finished my second novel now and I've got ideas for another, but I wanted a break first so I've come home to England for a while.

My parents live in London, I have a brother in Liverpool and my sister lives in a village in the countryside. I'm staying with my parents, but this weekend, we're all going to go to my sister's house to have a family party.

*(Adapted from CE Key for School Exam Trainer)*

**Question 14** (Question ID: 101-210219)

**How did Joe know that he was a good writer?**

- A. He won a competition.
- B. His friends liked his stories.
- C. He wrote for a magazine.

**Question 15** (Question ID: 101-210220)

**What did he do when he left school?**

- A. He wrote more stories.
- B. He studied languages.
- C. He traveled to France and Spain.

**Question 16** (Question ID: 101-210221)

**When he was a waiter, Joe worked \_\_\_\_\_**

- A. most evenings.
- B. six days a week.
- C. every day.

**Question 17** (Question ID: 101-210222)

**What is Joe doing now?**

- A. He's writing his next novel.
- B. He's having some time off.
- C. He's traveling around England.

**Question 18** (Question ID: 101-210223)

**Joe is going to meet his family in \_\_\_\_\_.**

- A. a village.
- B. Liverpool.
- C. London.

**Question 19** (Question ID: 101-223995)

**Read the text and choose the best answer to fill in the blanks.**

### **Acting since childhood**

The actor Dakota Fanning started her acting career at the early age of five. As a child, she starred in major films Q19.1..... War of the Worlds, Charlotte's Web, The Cat in the Hat, Hound Dog, and as a teenager in the extremely popular Twilight series. She is different from many actors who started acting as children because she Q19.2..... continued her success. Q19.3..... people often wonder what life is like for child actors away from the big screen and the lights. Perhaps it would surprise you to learn that Dakota was a regular teenager. She was a member of the girl scouts and learned Q19.4..... speak French. She loved Q19.5..... films and even collected dolls. She liked to knit and could also play Q19.6..... violin. And her dream was always to be an actor. She doesn't sound much different from most children, does she?

**Question 20** (Question ID: 101-314602)

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

Hi Sylvia,

I'm glad to hear (0) **that** you like your new school in Paris. What's it like? Is it bigger  
Q20.1..... your old school here in Bristol? It must be hard to listen to everyone speak  
French all the time, but I'm sure it will get easier Q20.2..... a few months.

Q20.3..... your new classmates friendly? What about the teachers? Do they give you a  
Q20.4..... of homework? Send Q20.5..... some pictures, please!

Well, I O20.6..... to go now.

Write soon!

Andrew

**Question 21** (Question ID: 101-484244)

You want to meet your English friend, Jane, for lunch this weekend.

Write an email to Jane. In your email,

- suggest meeting for lunch this weekend
- say when you would like to have lunch
- say where you would like to have lunch.

Write 25 words or more.

**Question 22** (Question ID: 101-484245)

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

