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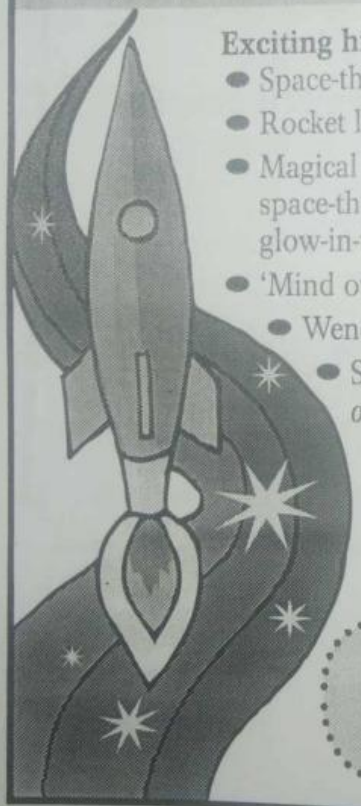
Practice 1

Read the advertisement carefully and answer the questions that follow. Choose the correct answer and write its number in the brackets provided.

Singapore Science Festival



For the first time ever, the **Singapore Science Centre** is bringing astronomy closer to you! Experience **one-of-a-kind comets** and **meteorites**, **powerful rockets**, **larger-than-life stars**, **the moon**, and many more!



Exciting highlights of the festival:

- Space-themed movies
- Rocket launches
- Magical garden filled with space-themed plants and glow-in-the-dark stars
- 'Mind over matter' games
- Wendy the famous magician
- Star-gazing *(bring your own telescope if you have one)*



Venue: **Rose City, Tower Two,**
21-23 June 2010, 10 a.m. to 9 p.m.

Bring this leaflet to exchange for a
FREE Magical Ball!
For the first 100 only!



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1. Where is the Singapore Science Festival held?
   (1) Tower One, Rose City, Singapore
   (2) Tower Two, Rose City, Singapore
   (3) Tower One, Tulip City, Singapore
   (4) Tower Two, Tulip City, Singapore

   ( )

2. What is the theme of the entire event?
   (1) Energy
   (2) Animals
   (3) Pollution
   (4) Astronomy

   ( )

3. Which magician is invited to perform at the event?
   (1) Wendy the magician
   (2) Willow the magician
   (3) Wilfred the magician
   (4) William the magician

   ( )

4. When is the Singapore Science Festival held?
   (1) 1 to 3 June 2009
   (2) 1 to 3 June 2010
   (3) 21 to 23 June 2009
   (4) 21 to 23 June 2010

   ( )

5. Who can get a free magical ball upon showing the leaflet?
   (1) The first 10 participants
   (2) The first 50 participants
   (3) The first 100 participants
   (4) The first 200 participants

   ( )

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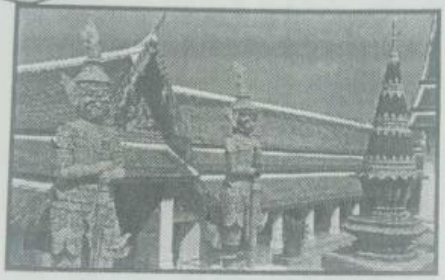
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Practice 2

Read the advertisement carefully and answer the questions that follow. Choose the correct answer and write its number in the brackets provided.

OrangeVee Tour Agency

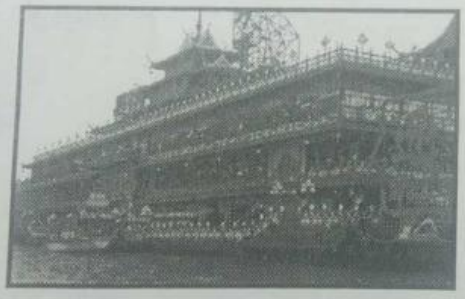
Offers now on for the following tour packages:



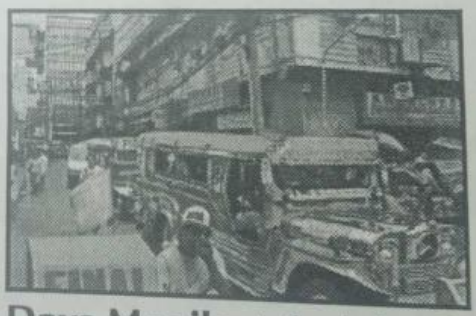
3 Days Bangkok
Includes return airfares,
2-night hotel stay, daily departure



2 Days Genting
Includes 28-seater luxurious coach,
resort-style hotel stay, and free breakfast



5 Days Hong Kong
Includes return airfares, return airport transfers, 4-night stay at your choice of hotel, daily buffet breakfast, daily departure



3 Days Manila + 1 night free
Includes return airfares, return airport transfers, 3-night stay at your choice of hotel, welcome drink, and daily buffet breakfast

Come join us at our roadshow this weekend at Sunvale City!
We have free travel vouchers to give away to the first 100 visitors.
Call 6232 3232 for enquiries or bookings now.

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COMPREHENSION

1. OrangeVee Tour Agency is having a promotion for which of the following destinations?
   (1) Bangkok, Holland, Manila, and Genting
   (2) Bangkok, Hong Kong, Manila, and Europe
   (3) Bangkok, Hong Kong, Manila, and Genting
   (4) Bangkok, Hong Kong, Malaysia, and Genting ( )

2. How many tour packages allow one to have a choice of hotel?
   (1) One
   (2) Two
   (3) Three
   (4) Four
   ( )

3. In which tour package do travellers travel by coach?
   (1) The tour to Manila
   (2) The tour to Genting
   (3) The tour to Bangkok
   (4) The tour to Hong Kong ( )

4. Which tour includes a welcome drink?
   (1) The tour to Manila
   (2) The tour to Genting
   (3) The tour to Bangkok
   (4) The tour to Hong Kong ( )

5. What does OrangeVee offer to the first 100 visitors at their roadshow at Sunvale City?
   (1) $100 in cash
   (2) Free air tickets
   (3) Free luggage bags
   (4) Free travel vouchers ( )

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Read the passage carefully. Choose the most suitable answer and write its number in the brackets.

What do I want to be when I grow up? This was a composition topic which our teacher wanted us to do one day. I thought about it for a long time. My classmates all wanted to be teachers, lawyers, doctors, nurses, firemen, musicians, actors and actress; the list was endless. However, I want to be an astronaut when I grow up.

Why do I want to be an astronaut? I have read about astronauts from books, and I am fascinated about what they do in space. Some astronauts are pilots who navigate the space shuttle, while others are specialists who work with the equipment that are launched into space. They conduct scientific experiments or replace parts of satellites.

I must work hard now in order to achieve my dreams because an astronaut needs a basic university degree. I must achieve good grades, and choose my course of study that I wish to pursue carefully, whether it is engineering, biology, physics or mathematics. I love science and mathematics.

An astronaut must also be healthy, so I will start to jog regularly and start on a strict exercise regime now.

I am determined to achieve my goals. I believe that if we do not give up, we will be able to achieve anything that we wish for.

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1. What do the writer's classmates want to be when they grow up?

(a) musicians, butchers, and DJs

(b) Lawyers, firemen, and thieves

(c) Teachers, lawyers, and doctors

(d) Entrepreneurs, actors, and actresses

2. Why does the writer want to be an astronaut?

(a) He loves the astronauts' space gear.

(b) He loves the astronauts' space shuttle

(c) He knows that astronauts get paid a lot.

(d) He is fascinated by what astronauts do in space.

3. What are the two basic requirements of being an astronaut?

(a) A university degree and good health

(b) Good health and an A-level certificate

(c) A university degree and a specialist diploma

(d) A mathematics degree and a diploma in health science

4. What subjects does the writer like most?

(a) Biology and science

(b) Engineering and science

(c) Mathematics and science

(d) Mathematics and biology

5. What will the writer do to achieve good health?

(a) He would start to do yoga and pilates.

(b) He would jog regularly, and also do regular pilates.

(c) He would do workouts in the gym, and also do yoga regularly.

(d) He would start to jog regularly, and start on a strict exercise regime.

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