

READING

3 A Read the text and match headings 1–5 with paragraphs A–E.

- 1 Technology E
- 2 Family _____
- 3 Women _____
- 4 Transport _____
- 5 Population _____

A hundred years of change

A

Life in the year 2000 was very different from life in 1900. In ¹ 1900 in

the USA, there were three and a half children in an average family. The top boy's name was John and the top

girl's name was Mary. In ² _____, the top names were Jacob and Emily and there was only one child in each family.



B

In ³ _____, there were 54 million new cars on the roads. In ⁴ _____, there were only 4,000 new cars. In cities transport was by horse and a small number of buses.

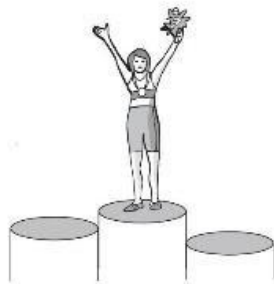
C

The number of people in cities was very different. London was the top city in ⁵ _____ with 6 million people. The top city in ⁶ _____ was Tokyo with 27 million people.

D

Women's lives were very different both at home and in public. For example, in the

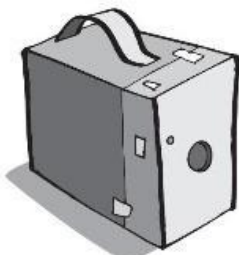
⁷ _____ Olympics there were 827 women and 1,512 men, but in ⁸ _____ there were 1,319 men and only 19 women.



E

⁹ _____ was the year of the Kodak Brownie camera. Letters were the only way to communicate except for telephones in some rich families.

In ¹⁰ _____, email was big and there were mobile phones with cameras.



B Read the text again and complete the information with 1900 or 2000.

VOCABULARY

DATES

4 A Write the dates in words.

- a) 2nd Apr the second of April
- b) 11th Aug _____
- c) 25th Dec _____
- d) 8th Mar _____
- e) 10th Jun _____
- f) 1st Jan _____
- g) 31st Oct _____
- h) 1st May _____
- i) 14th Feb _____
- j) 4th Jul _____

B Number the dates in the correct order.

C 7.1 Match the holidays with the dates from Exercise 4A. Then listen and check.

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| 1 New Year's Day | <u>f</u> | 6 Son and Daughter's Day | _____ |
| 2 Valentine's Day | _____ | 7 Christmas Day | _____ |
| 3 May Day | _____ | 8 Children's Day | _____ |
| 4 Independence Day (USA) | _____ | 9 Children's Book Day | _____ |
| 5 International Women's Day | _____ | 10 Halloween | _____ |

WRITING

PUNCTUATION REVIEW

5 A Correct the texts. Use four full stops (.), three commas (,), one question mark (?) and one exclamation mark (!).

World Hello Day is on 21st november every year Say 'hello' to ten people on the bus on the train at work at school and in the street. try it this year It's so easy

In the USA, the Sunday after 7th September is grandparents' Day. it's a great day to visit your grandparents or to go out with them why Because they're your grandparents

B Change five letters to capital letters.

21st of november November

C Write about a special day in your country.
