



LEVEL 8 - TEST

Midterm

Full name:	Mark
School:	
Class:	

Part 1

- 5 questions -

Reading

Questions 1-5

Look at the text in each question.

What does it say?

Mark the correct letter A, B, or C on your answer sheet.

CLEAN THE AIR DAY

Everyone ride a bike to work today or take public transit!

Do your part to help the environment!

Greenwood Bus Company

0. The notice is about reducing

A. water pollution.

B. land pollution.

C. air pollution.

SOCCER CLUB TRYOUTS

Do you want to join the Greenwood Gorillas soccer team? If you have what it takes, come to Greenwood Public School at 4 p.m. and meet on the field. There will be a list of who makes the team the next day.

1. Where is the soccer club tryout?

A. Greenwood Sports Center

B. Greenwood Public School

C. Greenwood Stadium

From: Jerry

To: Tina

Hi Tina. Remember our project about the lives of women in 19th – century America? I found some new information. Can you write back and tell me what you've learned?

Jerry

2. Jerry wrote the email

A. to remind Tina about the date of the project.

B. to ask Tina what the project is about.

C. to find out what Tina has done on the project.

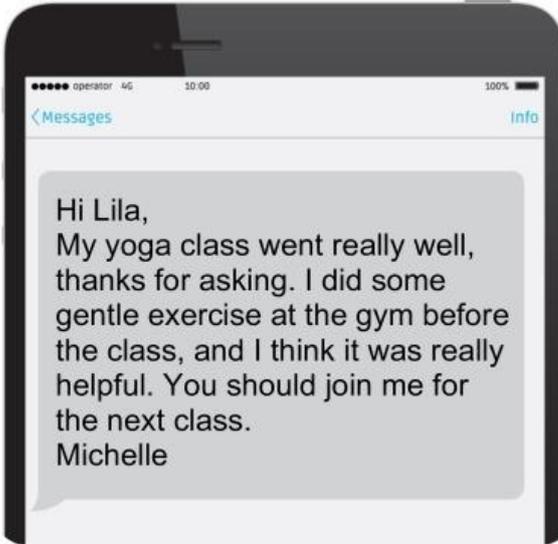
River Town Library is a quiet place.
Do not play loud music or speak loudly.

Please remember the people are trying to study and work here.

Thank you for your attention.

3. The notice wants people to reduce

- A. noise pollution.
- B. air pollution.
- C. water pollution.



4. The message shows that Michelle

- A. had done yoga before she exercised.
- B. went to the gym after she did yoga.
- C. exercised a little before she did yoga.

Rick,
It's easy to get to the bus station from our house. First, go left on Main Street. Then, go around the traffic circle and turn right onto Pine Street. There's a big supermarket on the right. The bus station is next to the supermarket.
Uncle Mike

5. Where's the bus station?

- A. It's on Pine Street, on the right.
- B. It's on Main Street, on the left.
- C. It's on Pine Street, on the left.

Part 2

- 5 questions -

Questions 6-10

The teenagers below are all looking for a book to read.

On the opposite page there are descriptions of eight books.

Decide which one would be the most suitable for the following teenagers.

For questions 6-10, mark the correct letter (A-H) on your answer sheet.



6. Jenny is doing a project for school. She wants to know all about the lives of women in the United States in the 19th century.



7. Joey would like to visit Canada, but he knows very little about the country. He also wants to visit some attractions and go shopping there.



8. Terrence is interested in big cities around the world. He is particularly interested in famous buildings, roads, and other parts of those cities.



9. Carla needs a book about different kinds of pollution and ways to deal with them. She is doing a school project about noise, land, air, and water pollution.



10. Claude is very interested in basketball. He doesn't read many comic books or magazines but he does enjoy reading books about his favorite sport.

Books

A

Sports for Teens is a book about famous teen athletes in all kinds of different sports. From volleyball to swimming, these are some of the most popular young athletes from all over the world.

B

Story from the Past is interesting to read. It offers lots of information about the lives of men and women in the past. Readers can imagine clearly the scenes of the past through the nice pictures in the book.

C

Canada Coast to Coast is a great book all about the beautiful nation of Canada. From the Pacific Ocean to the Atlantic, not many books offer so much information about this amazing country.

D

The World's Prettiest Small Towns looks at some of the most famous small towns in countries around the world. You'll love looking at the photos and learning about their history.

E

Women in 19th-Century America is a famous history book about American women. It gives information about their lives, their work, and their fashion in the 19th century.

F

How Cities are Built is interesting to read. It talks about the history of some of the world's most famous bridges, streets, stadiums, and more. From Montreal to Mumbai, they're all here!

G

Basketball School is the new book written by teen writers. It's about a group of young players trying to become famous playing basketball. Follow their stories and dreams in this great book.

H

Cleaning the Planet looks at several different kinds of pollution around the world, and offers some ideas about how to clean up these problems. It deals with how the air, land, water, and even noise are affected by our growing world population.

Part 3

- 10 questions -

Questions 11-20

Look at the sentences below about Himeji Castle.

Read the text on the opposite page to decide if each sentence is correct or incorrect.

If it is correct, mark **A** on your answer sheet.

If it is not correct, mark **B** on your answer sheet.

Himeji Castle

Himeji Castle, in Japan, is one of the most famous castles in the world. You may have seen it in movies or TV shows. The James Bond movie *You Only Live Twice* took place there, as well as some video games. It has an interesting history. It was built as Himeyama Castle in the 14th century. It was made mainly from stone and wood, and set high on a hill. It had three moats, although one is no longer in use. It's the largest castle in Japan. There are 83 different buildings. Every year, millions of people visit this beautiful castle. The record was 2.87 million visitors in 2015. It's one of the most popular tourist attractions in Japan. If you get the chance, you should visit this wonderful place.

11. Himeji Castle is in South Korea.
12. It has appeared in movies and video games.
13. It was built in the 14th century.
14. It was made from bricks and stone.
15. It was built on top of a hill.

16. It has four moats.
17. It is one of the smallest castles in Japan.
18. It has 83 buildings.
19. It gets millions of visitors.
20. It set a visitor record in 2016.

Part 1

- 5 questions -

Questions 1-5

Here are some sentences about Ricky's activities and plans.

For each question, complete the second sentence so that it means the same as the first. Use no more than three words.

Write only the missing words on your answer sheet.
You may use this page for any rough work.

Example:

0. Ricky likes going skateboarding with his friend.

Ricky is interested going skateboarding with his friend.

Answer:

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Questions:

1. Saturdays and Sundays are when Ricky and his cousin, Mike, usually go skateboarding.

Ricky and his cousin Mike usually go skateboarding weekends.

2. Ricky went to the park after he took care of his sister.

Ricky had care of his sister before he went to the park.

3. Cross stitch is something Ricky is interested in trying.

Ricky to try cross stitch.

4. When he gets back from school, Ricky must clean his room

Ricky to clean his room after school.

5. When he goes on vacation to Greenwood, Ricky will visit his grandparents.

Ricky is his grandparents in Greenwood on his vacation.

Part 2

- 1 question -

Question 6

Your group has to finish a project for history class this week.

Write an email to your group member, Lisa. In your email, you should:

- tell Lisa about the topic you plan to work on
- say what you have found
- ask to meet Lisa to talk about it

Write 35-45 words on your answer sheet.