TYPE A

READING 1

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A) Hamburgers
B) Lobster
C) Fried chicken
D) Tacos

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2. Which region in the U.S. is known for pumpkin soup?
A) East Coast
B) Midwest
C) Northwest
D) South

3. What is the Midwest especially known for?
A) Seafood and fish
B) Corn, beef, and dairy products
C) Yams and spices
D) Tex-Mex food

4. Where does the best steak supposedly come from?
A) Boston
B) San Francisco
C) Omaha
D) Seattle

5. Which region has a strong African influence in its food?
A) Northwest
B) Midwest
C) Southeast
D) East Coast

6. Which of the following is NOT a typical dish in the Southeast?
A) Fried green tomatoes
B) Fried chicken
C) Enchiladas
D) Yams

7. Tex-Mex cuisine is a mix of which two cultures?
A) Texan and Mexican
B) African and Mexican
C) Italian and American
D) Japanese and Vietnamese

8. Where was chop suey created?
A) Boston
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C) New York
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9. When did Italians first settle in the U.S., bringing their food?
A) 1776
B) 1880s
C) 1950s

LIVEWORKSHEETS

D) 2000s

10. Besides Italian and Chinese, which other types of restaurants are popular in the U.S.?
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B) Japanese, Vietnamese, and Thai
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D) Greek and Turkish

READING 2

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General Tips

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Read the statements below and write True or False.

1. Passengers are allowed to carry sharp objects in their hand-carry bags.
2. Objects containing gaseous substances are prohibited because they can be dangerous under atmospheric pressure.

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3. Liquids over 100 ml are allowed in the aircraft cabin if packed properly.
4. Baby meals and special medicines are exceptions to the 100 ml liquid rule.
5. Checked baggage must be packed according to airline regulations.
6. You don't need to worry about the airline's baggage limitations for domestic flights.
7. Valuable items should be kept inside checked baggage for better security.
8. Checked baggage should be sealed and locked properly.
9. Leaving old baggage tags on your luggage can cause confusion during screening.
10. You should keep your boarding pass and baggage tag in a safe and easily reachable place.

Answer Key

1. False
2. True
3. False
4. True
5. True
6. False
7. False
8. True
9. True
10. True

VOCABULARY

A. Match the phrases with the right words in the box:

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b. a tube of
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1. ..... toothpaste
2. ..... honey
3. ..... potato chips
4. ..... tea
5. ..... grapes
6. ..... soap
7. ..... soup
8. ..... coke
9. ..... vinegar

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10…….. lettuce

ASWER KEY

1. a tube of
2. a jar of
3. a bag of
4. a box of
5. a bunch of
6. a bar of
7. a bowl of
8. a can of
9. a bottle of
10. a head of

B. MULTIPLE CHOICE.
Choose the best response.

1. Where is the meeting room?
(A) To meet the new director.
(B) It's the first room on the right.
(C) Yes, at two o'clock.

2. When will the session begin?
(A) The mayor will arrive tomorrow.
(B) In the convention center.
(C) After the president's speech.

3. Who can take this package to the shipping department?
(A) We packed it ourselves.
(B) The ship leaves next Friday.
(C) George can do it after lunch.

4. Let's close that window.
(A) Why? Are you cold?
(B) We gave the widow clothes.
(C) She's close to us.

5. Did you watch the news last evening?
(A) No, the paper didn't arrive.
(B) I just saw the last five minutes.
(C) Yes, she surprised us at the door.

6. The mail is late today.
(A) The male ate yesterday.
(B) With him we are eight.

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(C) Let me know when it comes.

7. What type of vacation are you planning?
(A) I have over fifty varieties of plants.
(B) I'd like to go on a cruise.
(C) I'll be gone from August 12 to August 21

8. Where is the personnel office?
a. it's down on the third floor
b. Ms. Cali is the personnel office:
c. The personnel office is my friend

9. When does this restaurant open?
a. About five years ago
b. They start serving at six O'clock
c. It's Italian restaurant

10. Where is the convention going to be held this year?
a. in January
b. in Chicago.
c. I like the convention

TYPE B

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LIVEWORKSHEETS

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Read the statements below and write True or False.

1. Boston is famous for its lobster.
2. Pumpkin soup is a well-known dish in the Midwest.
3. The Midwest is known for seafood and strawberries
4. Tex-Mex is a combination of Texan and Mexican cooking.
5. Yams, spices, and peanuts are commonly used in southern U.S. dishes due to African influence.
6. Fried green tomatoes are a typical dish in the Northwest
7. Chop suey was created in New York City
8. There are many Japanese, Vietnamese, and Thai restaurants in the U.S.
9. The Italian community began settling in the U.S. in the 1980s
10. Americans eat more than just burgers and fries.

Answer Key

1. True
2. False **(It's popular in the Northwest)**
3. False **(It's known for corn, beef, and dairy products)**
4. True
5. True
6. False **(They are typical in the South)**False
7. False **(It was created in San Francisco)**False
8. True
9. False **(They settled in the 1880s)**
10. True

READING 2

LIVEWORKSHEETS

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General Tips

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1. What must passengers do with sharp or blunt objects that could harm others?

A) Carry them in the cabin
B) Report them to the security officer and put them in checked baggage
C) Leave them at home
D) Give them to a flight attendant

2. Are passengers allowed to bring objects containing gaseous substances into the aircraft cabin?

A) Yes, always
B) No, if they can cause serious hazard due to atmospheric pressure
C) Only small amounts
D) Only with permission from the pilot

3. What is the rule about liquids passengers can carry in the cabin?

A) Liquids over 100 ml are allowed
B) No liquids allowed at all
C) Liquids over 100 ml must be stored in checked baggage, except baby meals or special medicines
D) Only water bottles are allowed

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4. What should passengers do with their checked baggage?
A) Leave it open for security check
B) Pack it in good condition and seal and lock it properly
C) Put it in the cabin
D) Attach old baggage tags to it

5. What should passengers do before flying regarding excess baggage?
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B) Check airline maximum baggage limits and restrictions
C) Bring as much baggage as they want
D) Ask other passengers to carry their bags

6. Where should passengers keep their precious goods?
A) Inside checked baggage
B) Inside hand-carry bags in the cabin
C) Give them to other passengers
D) Leave them at the airport

7. Why should old baggage tags be removed?
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B) To make baggage look new
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D) To save space in luggage

8. What should passengers always keep in a safe and reachable place?
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C) Laptop and phone
D) Ticket only

9. Are babies allowed to have liquid meals on the plane?
A) No, liquids are never allowed
B) Yes, baby meals are an exception to the liquid rule
C) Only solid foods for babies
D) Babies cannot be fed on the plane

10. Can passengers bring blunt objects into the aircraft cabin?
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C) Only if wrapped carefully
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8. ..... salt
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ANSWER KEY

1. a bottle of mineral water
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B. MULTIPLE CHOICE

Choose the best response

1. How long will it take for us to receive the new parts?

(A) I don't like modern art.
(B) Around four weeks.
(C) We arrive by ship.

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2. Which company car did she choose?
(A) She traded in her car last year.
(B) The company pays for insurance, gas and parking.
(C) I don't think she has decided yet.

3. When is the last day of the sale?
(A) The store wants to empty the shelves.
(B) it was sold yesterday.
(C) The sale is already over.

4. Are you going to the marketing seminar?
(A) The lectures are very helpful.
(B) My boss is speaking, so I have to go.
(C) it will only take half a day.

5. All this work makes me hungry.
(A) I ate too much at work, too.
(B) The workers come from Hungary.
(C) Let's go get something to eat.

6. What is the final destination of this train?
(A) The last stop is Tokyo Station.
(B) It is scheduled to arrive at 6:45..
(C) It will land at Frankfurt International Airport.

7. Why hasn't she made that phone call?
(A) The number is 5(580-879.
(B) She hasn't had time to call.
(C) They sell phone cards next door.

8. How would you like to pay for your tickets?
(A) I'll pick them up this afternoon.
(B) The price is lower than the last time.
(C) I'll put them on my credit card.

9. When did you get to the office this morning?
(A) At about 7:30
(B) By bus
(C) At home

10. Where did you buy those earing?
(A) For my wife's birthday
(B) At a jewelry shop on State Street
(C) My Father gave it to me

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TYPE C

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