

PART I. LISTENING

I. Listen to John and Annie's conversation. Circle the correct answer to the questions. (1pt)

1. Where is John going to this weekend?
 - In the mountain.
 - In the city.
 - In the countryside.
 - At the beach.
 2. What is “dirtboarding”?
 - A kind of music.
 - A traditional food.
 - A sport.
 - A TV program.
 3. What do Annie think of dirtboarding?
 - It’s easy.
 - It’s exciting.
 - It’s dangerous.
 - It’s boring.
 4. What is Annie’s plan for the weekend?
 - She’s going to her hometown.
 - She will go with John.
 - She’s going to meet some friends.
 - She’s going aboard.

II. Listen to Tim and Kate's conversation. Decide whether each of the following statements are TRUE or FALSE. (1pt)

Statements	True	False
1. Kate grew up in a small town.		
2. Tim wouldn't want to live in a small town.		
3. Kate thinks small towns are safer.		
4. More people have driving accidents in the city than in the country.		

PART II. USE OF ENGLISH

I. Choose the best answer to complete the sentence or do as directed. (2.5pts)

1. Choose the word whose main stressed syllable is placed differently from that of the other in each group.

A. challenge B. approach C. champagne D. chocolate

2. Sally _____ and makes all her own clothes.

A. design B. designs C. designing D. designed

3. A machine with an engine that is used to take people or things from one place to another, such as a car, bus, or truck.

A. vehicle B. nature C. room D. entertainment

4. I _____ go to school by bus. I only do it once.

A. always B. never C. sometimes D. rarely

5. "Do you want to hang out at 6 p.m?" - "_____."
A. Good luck. B. Don't mention it. C. Don't worry. D. Sorry, I can't.

6. My mother was still busy _____ morning to night.

A. in B. until C. at D. from

7. We had a _____ afternoon without the children.

A. peace B. peaceful C. peacefulness D. peacefully

8. So _____ is it going at work these days? Still enjoying it?
A. what B. how C. when D. why

9. Most people buy _____ like cameras and MP3-players online these days.

A. thing B. things C. think D. thinks

10. It takes too _____ time to do this job.

A. many B. an C. much D. any

II. Give the correct form for the words in the brackets (0.5pts)

1. I don't really like _____ in the morning when it's dark outside. (get up)
2. The restaurant _____ at 19.30 tonight. (open)

PART III. READING

I. Choose the option (A, B, C or D) that best completes each numbered blank in the passage. (1pt)

In the future, cities are going to have more and more people living (1) them. More than half the world's people already live in cities, and by 2050, cities will (2) home to about 6.5 billion people. More people means that we're going to have more pollution, traffic and (3). It also means that we'll need more homes, schools, hospitals, jobs and transport. We'll need more resources and more ways (4) grow food too.

1. A. on B. at C. in D. below

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| 2. A. become | B. becomes | C. becoming | D. to become |
| 3. A. noise | B. noisy | C. noiseless | D. noisily |
| 4. A. with | B. by | C. do | D. to |

II. Read the passage and answer the questions. (2pts)

According to a study, the Internet is British teenagers' favorite hobby. They spend an average of 31 hours a week online - some three and a half hours communicating with friends on MSN, and around two hours on Youtube and in chat room. They spend a lot of their free time and pocket money shopping round for clothes and gadget they don't really need. One in four teenagers of the 1,000 polled said they regularly spoke to strangers online but thought it harmless and one in three admitted trying to hide what they were looking at if a parent entered the room. But the study also showed that children also use the Internet to help them with housework, with at least three hours a week spent searching for such information.

1. Do British teenagers like playing sports in their free time?

2. How many hours a week do they spend online?

3. What do British teenagers think of talking with strangers online?

4. What else do they use the Internet for?

PART IV. WRITING

I. Rewrite the sentences as directed. (1pt)

1. I have lots of money. I can buy this dress. (*Rewrite the sentence with the same meaning using "enough"*)

2. She/ not/ often/ drink/ soft-drink/ night. (*Complete the sentence*)

3. visit/ for/ Many/ its/ people/ Hawaii/ nature./ (*Put the words in order*)

4. It's comfortable to wear clothes of this fashion brand. (*Rewrite the sentence with the same meaning using verb of liking*)

II. Choose ONE from two topics below and write a short paragraph (about 50 - 60 words). (1pt)

Topic 1: Write a simple passage about your favorite hobby. Follow the steps: Start with a topic sentence, give supporting ideas, end with a concluding sentence.

Topic 2: Write a long-form announcement for a festival. Follow the steps: Start with a heading, write a summary sentence, give a call, say the cost, say the activities.

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