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Have you got any homework?

Listening Part 3

For each question, choose the correct answer. You will hear Jamie and his sister Amelia talking about their first day back at school after the summer holiday.

- 1 What time did Amelia arrive at school?
A 7.45
B 8.15
C 8.30
- 2 Which subject did Amelia have first?
A physics
B maths
C biology
- 3 Jamie thinks his new timetable
A has more difficult lessons than last year.
B looks more interesting than last year.
C is easier to remember than last year.
- 4 What did Amelia enjoy most about her day?
A being in a different classroom
B meeting new people
C seeing her friends
- 5 What did Jamie forget to take with him?
A his lunch
B his football boots
C his school bag



Look carefully at each question to see what kind of information you're listening for.

Exam advice

Vocabulary

Classroom objects

- 1 Write the correct word for each sentence.
 - 1 Your teacher might give you this to check you understand your lessons. test
 - 2 You can use this to help you draw a straight line. ruler
 - 3 You can write things in this that you want to remember. notebook
 - 4 You can check how to spell a word in this. dictionary
 - 5 You can use this to draw pictures. pen/pencil
 - 6 You look at this to find out which lessons you have each day. timetable
 - 7 You go here when you want to find a book to read. library
 - 8 You might wear this when you go to school. uniform

Education verbs

- 2 Complete the sentences with the correct form of a verb from the box.

fail learn pass study take teach

- 1 When I'm older, I'd like to teach English in a school.
- 2 If I don't do well in my exam, I can fail it again next month.
- 3 The best way to learn new words is to use them in sentences.
- 4 Sarah is always happy when she passes her exams!
- 5 My friend Sam wants to study science at university.
- 6 I feel sad when I take a test at school – but it doesn't happen very often!

Reading Part 2

Each answer will come from only one section of the text, so read the questions and sections carefully – there may be information in other sections that is similar to the answer.

Exam advice

I ♥ MATHS

Mandy

Maths is much easier for me now than other subjects like languages, but I found it hard when I started. My older sister isn't keen on maths, so my parents are pleased that I like it so much. Mr James is my maths teacher. We all talk about maths problems together in class and he explains things clearly – and he's really funny, too, so that's why we all like the subject.



Charlotte

I thought maths was quite easy when I had my first class and I loved trying to find the answers! I study at school with a really friendly group of girls in my class and we help each other and talk about our homework. Mrs Sams, my teacher, sometimes says we're too noisy, but she knows we're working hard! I love science, too, and I understand it much better now because my maths has improved.



Tina

My dad teaches Maths at a college, so he's pleased I like it now. He says when I'm older I could study in his classes! So I'm thinking about that. Maths will help me to study science at a high level, too. But for now I'm just happy when I can do things like help my grandma count her money when we're shopping. My maths teacher is nice, but I don't know many people in my class. That means I work hard and don't chat!



For each question, choose the correct answer.

	Mandy	Charlotte	Tina
1 Who enjoys maths because of her teacher?	A	B	C
2 Who likes using maths outside school?	A	B	C
3 Who thinks learning maths has helped her with another school subject?	A	B	C
4 Who has someone in her family that doesn't like maths?	A	B	C
5 Who might study maths after she leaves school?	A	B	C
6 Who likes the other people in her maths class?	A	B	C
7 Who doesn't talk much in her maths class?	A	B	C

Grammar

have to

Read what Matt says about his hobby and complete the sentences with the correct form of the verb *have to*.

My name's Matt, and my favourite hobby is drawing. We usually (1) have to draw in art classes at school and I also go to an after-school drawing club with my friend Jake. We (2) have to take any paper or pencils because our teacher brings them, but she says we (3) have to go with some ideas about what to draw. Jake's great at art, and so he (4) has to ask the teacher for help. But sometimes my pictures aren't very good, so the teacher (5) has to give me some advice. She (6) has to tell us what to do very often though. At the end of each term, everyone (7) has to choose their best picture and put it on the school website for other students to look at. I hope they like mine this year!

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2 Complete the questions using the correct form of *have* to. Then match them to the answers.

- 1 Do you ever have to tell your teacher that you haven't done your homework? A
- 2 _____ you _____ take a packed lunch to school? ☐
- 3 _____ you _____ get the bus to school? ☐
- 4 _____ you _____ wear a school uniform? ☐
- 5 _____ your brother ever _____ help you with your schoolwork? ☐
- 6 _____ your parents sometimes _____ collect you from school? ☐

- a Yes, sometimes – when I've forgotten to do it!
- b No, we can wear what we want at my school.
- c Yes, with maths. He's much better at it than me.
- d No, I can eat in the school café.
- e Yes, if I'm sick and I need to go home.
- f No, I usually ride my bike – it's not far.

Object pronouns

3 Look at the pictures from Jake's photo album. Complete what he says with the pronouns in the boxes.

him he us

- This is Mr Jones, our history teacher. (1) he teaches (2) _____ three times a week, and everyone likes (3) _____



it they we us



I live with my family in this house. (4) _____ all love (5) _____ because there's a big garden. But my grandparents don't agree. (6) _____ think the garden is too much work for my parents. So, Grandma sometimes comes to help (7) _____ with our garden.

I it them they

These are my two older sisters.

- (8) _____ both live in America. (9) _____ went to visit (10) _____ last summer. (11) _____ was a great trip.



Reading Part 5

First, read the whole text so you know what it is about. Then read each sentence carefully before you put a word in a gap.

Exam advice

1 For each question, write the correct answer. Write one word for each gap.

To: Anna

From: Sally

How's it going? (0) Are you excited about starting at our new school next week? I've just been into town with Mum to buy my uniform. I think it's much better (1) _____ the one we had at our old school - especially the jumpers and T-shirts. (2) _____ are both quite cool!

See what you think.

From: Sally

To: Anna

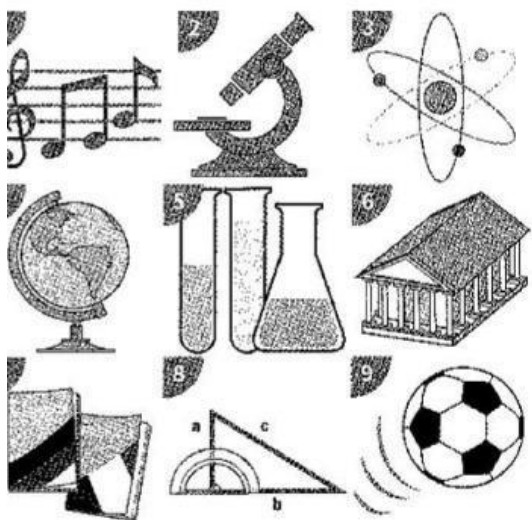
Yes, I agree (3) _____ you about the new school uniform. (4) _____ isn't as bad as our old one! Anyway, I still need to get (5) _____ few things, so Mum says we have (6) _____ go shopping in town tomorrow. I'll let you know when I've got everything!

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Vocabulary extra

School and education

- 1 Look at the pictures. Put the letters in the right order to make the name of a school subject. Then match it with the examples of what you might study for that subject.



Subjects

- 1 scimu music
- 2 lygoibo
- 3 sicshyp
- 4 pygagrohe
- 5 mythreics
- 6 soithyr
- 7 agluagnse
- 8 tasmh
- 9 trop

Examples

- a what happened in the past
- b how to play an instrument
- c what salt is made of
- d how to play football or tennis
- e mountains and rivers
- f German, Spanish and French
- g animal and plant life
- h electricity and space
- i how to add numbers

- 2 Complete the sentences with the correct form of a verb in the box.

collect fail leave repeat study teach write

- 1 When I want to learn a new word, I repeat repeat it to myself lots of times.
- 2 When I school, I want to study at university.
- 3 It's important to do well in this exam, so I really don't want to
- 4 Peter never wants to at home by himself – he prefers playing football!
- 5 Mr Matthews us Maths and I understand everything in his classes.
- 6 Our teacher usually our homework on Tuesdays and gives it back to us on Fridays.
- 7 Janine often stories when she's at home – she has lots of great ideas.

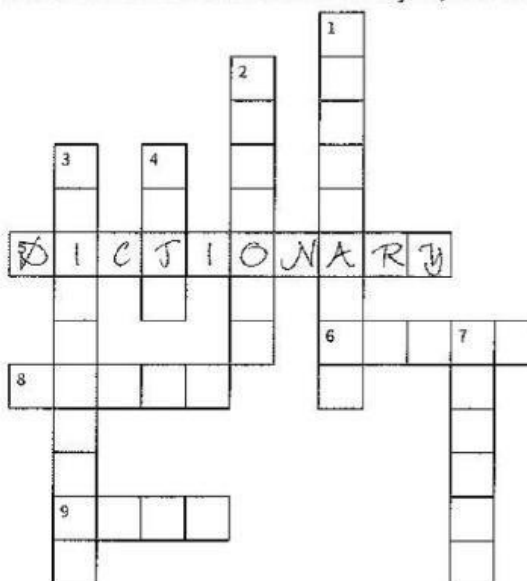
- 3 Read the clues and complete the crossword.

Across

- 5 You look for new words in this.
- 6 You eat this meal in the middle of the day.
- 8 You have this short rest between lessons.
- 9 Your teacher will give you this to see how well you have understood your lessons.

Down

- 1 This tells you which classes you have each day.
- 2 This paper shows you have passed exams in a subject.
- 3 You might want to study here after you leave school.
- 4 You mustn't be this for your lessons!
- 7 This is a number of classes on one subject, often with an exam at the end.



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