

Reading 1

Name _____

Which notice says this?

For questions 1–5, choose the correct sign (A–H).

Example:

0 You shouldn't lose these. D

1 You need something if you want to go inside. ____

2 You must bring things back to this place. ____

3 They didn't use a machine to make this. ____

4 There aren't any new materials in this. ____

5 It's cheaper to buy three of these. ____

A For sale in shops
and on the internet from Dec 20th.

B **ALWAYS WEAR
SAFETY GLASSES
IN THIS BUILDING.**

C Please return
books here.

D ~~Please keep
your tickets
in a safe place.~~

E Hand made
in Costa Rica.

F **NEW STORE
OPENING
HERE SOON.**

G Lemons
40p each
— or —
3 for £1.

H Made from
100%
recycled
paper.

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Reading 2

Read the email and choose the correct answer: **A** or **B**.

Who does the housework in your family, Ivan? In my family we all help. My mum usually does the cooking at the weekend, and she always cooks a special lunch on Sundays. She's a very good cook. My dad does the cooking on other days of the week. We all tidy our bedrooms and make our beds, but I don't like it! We do the shopping at the supermarket near our house, and I always help with that. I usually lay the table. My sister Sophie clears it and loads the dishwasher, but she doesn't unload it – that's my job. But I don't do the dusting – that's Sophie's job! Housework is boring, but I always listen to music. Then time goes quickly!

Klara

Example:

0 Klara's mum does the cooking... b

- a Monday to Friday
- b on Saturdays and Sundays

1 Klara's family has a special meal... —

- a every week.
- b Sundays evenings.

2 Klara's dad... —

- a tidies Klara's bedroom.
- b cooks on Tuesdays.

3 Klara always helps with the... —

- a shopping.
- b dusting.

4 Sophie... —

- a tidies her bedroom and lays the table.
- b tidies her bedroom and clears the table.

5 Klara... housework. —

- a likes
- b doesn't like

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Reading 3

Read the information about Amelia Earhart.

Are sentences 1–5 **True or False**?

If there is not enough information to answer **True or False**, choose **Not given**.

Amelia Earhart was an American pilot. She was born in 1897 in Kansas. She was one of the first women pilots in the world. In 1932, she was the first woman to fly alone across the Atlantic Ocean. Amelia wrote books about her travels and she told people about her journeys. She wanted to fly around the world, so she organized an expedition with her friend Fred Noonan. They left from Miami, Florida, on June 1, 1937. They stopped in South America, Africa, India, South-East Asia and New Guinea. They only needed to fly across the Pacific Ocean to get back to the USA. They left New Guinea on July 2, but they didn't arrive in the USA. No one knows what happened to them.

Example:

0 Amelia Earhart was a driver.
 True False Not given

1 Amelia Earhart was the first woman pilot.

True False Not given

2 She flew across the Atlantic Ocean without any help.

True False Not given

3 She wrote popular books.

True False Not given

4 She wanted to fly around the world alone.

True False Not given

5 She died in New Guinea.

True False Not given

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Reading 4

Read the blog post by Rob. Then complete sentences 1-5 with one word in the blog.

Hi, my name is Ross. One of my favourite lessons at school is cooking. We learn how to prepare lots of delicious meals, and the teacher gives us information about food, too. We learn about food from different countries – where it grows and how much it costs. We learn how to prepare different kinds of food, and we also learn about healthy food, for example fruit and vegetables and unhealthy food, like cakes and biscuits!

I think it's very important to learn how to cook well, so that we can make good meals. Fresh food tastes good and you feel good after you eat it.

My cousin Sam lives in Scotland, and he's learning how to make haggis in his cooking class. The problem is that he prefers chips and pizzas!

Example:

0 Ross's favourite lesson is cooking.

1 In the lessons, the instructor teaches the students to make _____.

2 The students learn about _____ that isn't from their country.

3 The teacher explains the difference between healthy and _____ food.

4 When Ross eats fresh food, he _____ good.

5 Sam's cousin doesn't like _____ very much.

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Reading 5

Read the article about good friends. Are sentences 1–5 **True or False**?

If there is not enough information to answer **True or False**, choose **Not given**.

Emily is lucky. Her best friend is also her twin sister, Amy. They're both 15 and in the same year at school. Although they are sisters and best friends, they are very different. Emily is clever and a bit serious and she always does well in exams. Amy is sporty, she's in the hockey and volleyball teams, she's really friendly and a bit noisy. Emily wants to go to university and study English but Amy wants to be a hockey player. She doesn't like school except for sports and drama.

So what do they have in common? Well, they listen to each other and tell each other all their secrets. They won't tell anyone else, including their parents. They don't argue very often, only when Amy makes a lot of noise and Emily's doing her homework. Then Emily sometimes shouts at Amy. They also look the same, so when it's boring at school Amy says she's Emily and Emily says she's Amy. It's really funny. The teachers at school get really angry because they don't know if it's Emily or Amy doing the homework or playing hockey! Only their parents can tell the difference.

Example:

0 Amy is Emily's mum.

True False Not given

1 Amy and Emily are the same age.

True False Not given

2 Amy and Emily have got similar interests.

True False Not given

3 The sisters know everything about each other.

True False Not given

4 Amy plays music when Emily is doing her homework.

True False Not given

5 It's funny for the teachers when the sisters change their names.

True False Not given

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Reading 6

Read the article about mobile phones. For questions 1–5, choose the best answer, **A**, **B** or **C**.

The story of the mobile phone

In the 1950s a telephone company in Sweden made a mobile car phone, but it wasn't until 1973 that an American scientist first used a mobile. These early phones were big and expensive: around £3000! Only business people had them and they were only for calls within the city.

By the 1990s mobiles were smaller and cheaper. In 1992 Neil Papworth sent the first text message to the director of Vodafone, but it wasn't until 1994 that SMS messages became popular.

By 2000 customers in Japan were able to take photos with their phones and send them to their friends. It was very popular and so in 2001 the big phone companies started to sell camera phones in Europe. Then smartphones arrived, so people were able to connect to the Internet, send photos and emails and even download music and films.

The newest phones are watches. You wear them on your wrist, so they're more difficult to lose or break.

Today the mobile phone is so popular that almost everyone has got one.

1 The first mobile phone was

- A for cars.
- B American.
- C for scientists.

2 At first, only business people had mobile phones because

- A they were big.
- B they cost a lot of money.
- C they worked in the city.

3 Neil Papworth

- A created a new way to communicate.
- B received the first text message.
- C was the director of Vodafone.

4 The first camera phones

- A were made in the USA.
- B were made in Europe.
- C were made in Japan.

5 The newest phones

- A are more popular.
- B are smaller.
- C are easier to use.

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Listening 1

You will hear five short conversations. There is one question for each conversation. For each question choose the right answer, **A**, **B** or **C**. Listen to the recordings twice.

1 (1) How many bedrooms are there in the house?

1 2 3

A

B

C

2 (2) Where will they visit?

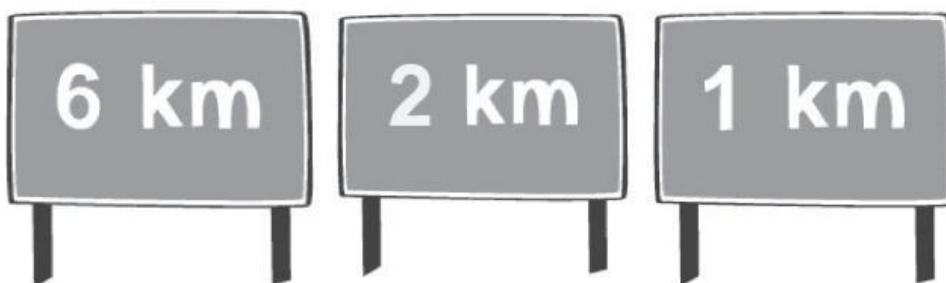


A

B

C

3 (3) How far is the nearest park?



A

B

C

4  4 Where is the underground station?



A

B

C

5  5 How much is a bus ticket into town?



A



B



C

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Listening 2

6 Listen to two conversations. Are sentences 1–5 **True or False**?
If there is not enough information to answer **True or False**, choose **Not given**.
Listen to the recording twice.

Conversation A

Example:

0 The girl is on holiday.
 True False Not given

1 The girl is in Didcot.
 True False Not given

2 The number twenty-six bus goes to the station.
 True False Not given

Conversation B

3 The boy wants to go to the cinema.
 True False Not given

4 He can go to the cinema by bus.
 True False Not given

5 The supermarket is in a busy area.
 True False Not given

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Listening 3

7 Listen to Billy and his mother on the telephone. Then choose the correct answer: A, B or C.
Listen to the recording twice.

Example:

0 Billy is at a ... camp.
a sports b drama c music

1 Which sport is Billy learning?
a football b basketball c volleyball

2 Billy thinks the camp is ...
a fun. b expensive. c boring.

3 Billy ... the swimming pool.
a hates b doesn't mind c loves

4 Billy ... vegetables and fruit.
a likes b doesn't like c loves

5 His mum thinks the food at the camp is
a good b bad c terrible

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Listening 4

8 Listen to Mary talking about a restaurant she went to. What did each person eat?
For questions 1–5, choose a letter A–H.
Listen to the recording twice.

Example:

0 Mary D

1 Mary's sister —

2 Mary's brother —

3 Mary's mum —

4 Mary's dad —

5 Mary's aunt —

A pasta

B tomato soup

C pizza

D steak

E onion soup

F chicken

G fish

H sausages

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Listening 5

9 You will hear a teacher talking to some parents about a school trip.
Listen and complete each question.
Listen to the recording twice.

School Trip

Visit to:	Portsmouth
Date:	1 _____
Name of ship:	2 _____
Cost:	3 £ _____
Transport:	4 Bus and _____
Leave school at:	5 _____

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Listening 6

10 Listen to Katy talking about a family party. For each question choose the right answer, A, B or C.
Listen to the recording twice.

1 Where did Katy go at the weekend?

A to her cousin's house

B to her aunt's house

C to her grandparents' house

2 How many people were at the party?

A 13

B 24

C 25

3 What did Katy's grandfather do?

A tell stories

B sing

C dance

4 Where is Katy's cousin going for a year?

A Australia

B Canada

C America

5 What did Katy give her cousin?

A clothes

B a bag

C a camera

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