

Test 2

READING AND WRITING (60 minutes)

PART 1

QUESTIONS 1–6

For each question, choose the correct answer.

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- A Martine is asking Ben where they are playing tennis later.
- B Martine is letting Ben know that she has changed her plans.
- C Martine is checking what time she will meet Ben.

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New in store!
Great adventure stories
for young adults
See 'Teenage Books':
1st Floor

- A Some interesting books have just arrived.
- B There are books for teenagers on every floor.
- C Adventure stories are the most popular books.

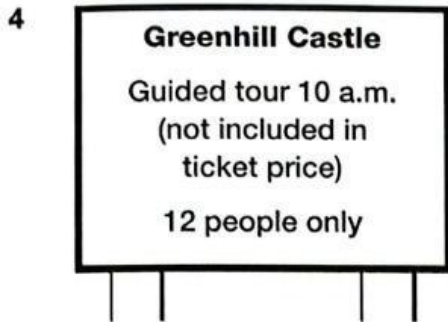
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ABC Study App

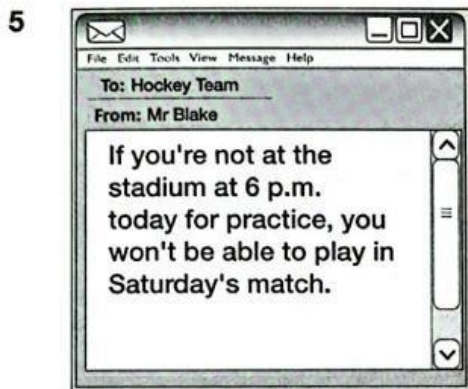
- Keep details in one place – including date to finish homework
- No in-app advertisements
- Share work with teachers and classmates

The app helps students remember

- A which website they should use to do their homework.
- B when they need to complete their homework.
- C who may be able to help them with their homework.



- A There is a tour of the castle every hour.
- B Castle visitors have to pay extra to join a tour group.
- C Groups of more than 12 people must book tickets to enter the castle.



What is Mr Blake doing in this email?

- A giving the team information about Saturday's match
- B telling everyone in the team they must come to this evening's practice
- C explaining that the hockey team is going to practise in a different place today



Why has Daniel written this message?

- A to check if Lucy has a video game he can borrow
- B to ask Lucy for her opinion of a video game
- C to offer Lucy a video game he doesn't need

PART 2

QUESTIONS 7–13

For each question, choose the correct answer.

		Julia	Becky	Tania
7	Who says that not many other museums are like the one she visited?	A	B	C
8	Who plans to return to the museum?	A	B	C
9	Who says the museum was hard to find?	A	B	C
10	Who visited the museum alone?	A	B	C
11	Who liked an exhibition about an interesting career?	A	B	C
12	Who says she enjoyed taking part in an activity at the museum?	A	B	C
13	Who says than one exhibition was more popular than the others?	A	B	C

My museum visit

Julia



Last week, I went to the Cartoon Museum with my mum. It's a small museum and we had to ask for directions because we got lost on our way there. When we finally got there, we walked around the various exhibitions, including one about the history of cartoons. The best part for me was joining a one-hour drawing class. An artist talked about his work and I did some cartoons of my own. It was a great little museum, but I saw most things, so I'm not planning to return.

Becky



I visited the Natural History Museum with my dad when I was younger, but this was my first visit on my own. I already knew about some of the stuff at the museum from lessons at school, but I was amazed at how much I enjoyed the exhibitions. My favourite one was the dinosaur exhibition. It was the busiest part of the museum and full of people, but I didn't mind that. I've been several times already, so I don't think I'll visit again.

Tania



I'm so glad my mum took me to the News Museum. It has exhibitions about the news and is different from most other museums because it's more about events than things. Unfortunately, I didn't have time to see everything, so I've already decided to go back. My favourite part was a special theatre showing short videos of interesting news reports. There was also an exhibition about photo-journalists and their work. I really enjoyed learning how they get such good pictures.

PART 3

QUESTIONS 14–18

For each question, choose the correct answer.

Visiting the Kennedy Space Center in the USA

16-year-old Sophie Timms describes her school trip

Earlier this year, my school in England decided to send a group of four students on a trip to the Kennedy Space Center in Florida, USA. I wanted to go but knew that many other students did too. I decided to put my name on the list of interested students and then forgot all about it. A few weeks later, I couldn't believe it when I heard I was in the group.

On the 10th of March, I flew from England to Florida with my classmates Toby, Alice, Chris and our teacher Mr Scott. At the Space Center there was so much to see and do, and we all took lots of photos. Mr Scott planned each day carefully. He also asked me to keep a blog of our experiences and Toby agreed to make a short film.

I learnt so much. We met engineers and astronauts who explained a lot about space travel. It was brilliant to be around people who shared my love of space. They were really helpful and told me what I needed to do to get a job with a space project.

When I got back to school, I had to give a talk about the trip to the other students. I enjoyed talking about the Space Center and was pleased that everyone liked my photos. I found it quite hard to remember everything I learnt about the planet Mars, however! My favourite part was answering students' questions at the end. It was fun sharing my experiences with everyone.

- 14** What do we learn about Sophie in the first paragraph?
- A** She was worried about travelling so far.
 - B** She was surprised she was chosen to go on the trip.
 - C** She was pleased that not many students wanted to go on the trip.
- 15** What did Sophie do during the visit?
- A** She filmed a video.
 - B** She wrote about the trip.
 - C** She chose the day's activities.
- 16** What does Sophie say about the engineers she met?
- A** They discussed their next trip to space.
 - B** They gave her advice about working on a space project.
 - C** They wanted to change people's ideas about space travel.
- 17** What is Sophie doing in the last paragraph?
- A** describing what happened when she returned
 - B** giving information about an astronaut's work
 - C** explaining how important her trip was
- 18** What did Sophie enjoy most about the talk she gave?
- A** telling the students about Mars
 - B** showing the students her photos
 - C** answering the students' questions

PART 4

QUESTIONS 19–24

For each question, choose the correct answer.

The white wolf

The white wolf, which is also (19) the Arctic wolf, lives in the Canadian Arctic and northern Greenland. For hundreds of years, people around the world have hunted and killed grey wolves, but because only a few people live near the Arctic, the (20) still has quite a (21) number of white wolves.



White wolves are smaller than grey ones, and weigh between 45 and 85kg. They live alone or in packs with other wolves and (22) many kilometres a day to find food. When they are born, wolf pups have dark fur and their eyes are blue, but these (23) to a yellow-gold colour when the wolves are about 10 weeks old. (24) , it is possible to find a few adult wolves with blue eyes.

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| 19 | A described | B called | C known |
| 20 | A part | B area | C piece |
| 21 | A large | B tall | C full |
| 22 | A travel | B pass | C make |
| 23 | A take | B change | C become |
| 24 | A Especially | B Instead | C However |

PART 5

QUESTIONS 25–30

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

Example:

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for

From:	Miklos
To:	

Thank you (0) agreeing to be my penpal. I would (25) to improve my English and writing to you will help.

Why don't I tell you a bit about myself? I'm 12, and I live in a flat in Budapest (26) my parents and my sister Adela. She is a year older (27) me, and we go to (28) same school.

My hobby is skiing and in winter I ski as much (29) I can. My parents often take me to Dobogókő, where there is a ski centre.

(30) do you enjoy doing in your free time? Write back and let me know.