



KEY ENGLISH TEST

Reading and Writing

Test: FINAL FKEY 3
V10.2024

Time: 1 hour

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Do not open this question paper until you are told to do so.

Write your name, centre number and candidate number on your answer sheet if they are not already there.

Read the instructions for each part of the paper carefully.

Answer all the questions.

Read the instructions on the answer sheet.

Write your answers on the answer sheet. Use a pencil.

You **must** complete the answer sheet within the time limit.

At the end of the test, hand in both this question paper and your answer sheet.

Part 1

Questions 1 -6

For each question, choose the correct answer.

1.



- A. Michael wants Jane to cook fish and chips.
- B. Michael wants to eat fish and chips on the way home.
- C. Michael offers to buy fish and chips for dinner.

2.



- A. This is the only place where staff can park.
- B. Extra space is only for students.
- C. Turn left if you are staff and the car park is full.

3.



- A. Hannah wants to meet Mark at her mother's house tomorrow.
- B. Hannah misses Mark and wants to go to his house.
- C. Mark went to Hannah's house but she was not at home.

4.



- A. Ben wants to see if he likes the bike.
- B. Ben doesn't need the bike for work.
- C. Ben can test the bike.

5.

To: Joseph
From: Briony
Dear Joseph, I'm unhappy that you were late the second time this week. Please make an appointment with Jenny to speak to me. Regards, Briony

- A. Briony will be unhappy if Joseph is late for a second time this week.
- B. Briony wants Joseph to explain to her why he was late.
- C. Joseph must explain why he was late to Jenny.

6.



- A. You get a special price on six months of internet.
- B. You get a better price if you buy internet for a year.
- C. You don't have to decide quickly.

Part 2

Questions 7 -13

For each question, choose the correct answer.

	Gerald	Simone	Frank
7. Who enjoys being alone?	A	B	C
8. Who likes learning about the different ways that people live?	A	B	C
9. Who explores places that you cannot get to by car?	A	B	C
10. Who has to travel with another person?	A	B	C
11. Who thinks a lot about what to take with them?	A	B	C
12. Who spent time away from home when they were young?	A	B	C
13. Who explains why their transport is better than others?	A	B	C

Explorers

Gerald



When I was a boy, my parents worked in Africa for two years. We visited lots of exciting places there and I have loved travelling and exploring since then. I usually choose to travel alone because it is easier to meet people that way. I often stay with the new friends I make on my journeys, and finding out about new cultures is my favourite part of exploring.

Simone



My favourite places are in the cold parts of the world. There are some areas, covered in snow and ice, where almost no one has ever been before. I usually go on foot because there are no roads. I plan my trips very carefully - I like to be well-prepared and I take lots of special equipment with me. I sometimes go for days and weeks without seeing other people - I like the opportunity that gives me to think about my life and to make plans.

Frank



I do most of my exploring by boat. It can take me weeks to get somewhere I could drive to in a day, but it is all about the journey. I always take someone else because my boat needs two people and I don't think I would like to go alone. There usually aren't many people at all in the places that I explore, so I don't often meet new people. My boat is quite small so I can get to places that other bigger boats can't get to. That makes travelling even more interesting.

Part 3

Questions 14 – 18

For each question, choose the correct answer.

UNUSUAL TOWNS - Whittier, Alaska



Do you want to go to the supermarket? In most towns, you walk down a street, or maybe you go by bus. Do you need to go to work? In most places, you probably take a bus or go by car. But in Whittier, you never go outside when you do these things. That's because almost the whole town is in one huge building with fourteen floors. In this one building, there are shops, there's a church, there's a police station and there's even a hospital. There are also many flats for the people who live there, and there are offices where people work, all under one roof. Only 220 people live in Whittier, so there isn't a college or university in the town, but there's one school for all the children. And of course, everything is inside, so there aren't any parks or squares, and there aren't any street cafés like in other towns.

So why is it like that? Well, Whittier is on the coast of Alaska, and the weather is terrible most of the year. In summer it often rains, and there's a lot of snow in winter (about seven meters), and also very strong winds. So people in Whittier are happy to stay inside most of the time.

It isn't easy to get to and from Whittier because there isn't a normal road. The only way to get there on land is through a long tunnel. It's 3 km long, and it's very narrow, so cars can only go through it once every hour. And the tunnel closes at 10:30 pm. After that, you have to stay the night in Whittier and leave in the morning.

Do people like living there? Yes, they do! As one man from Whittier says: 'It's safe here, it's quiet, and people are friendly. And there are beautiful mountains and forests all around. I love it here!'

14. What is special about the town of Whittier?

- A) It has a university.
- B) It is very crowded.
- C) Everything is in one large building.

15. Why do people in Whittier prefer to stay inside?

- A) There are no shops outside.
- B) The weather is terrible most of the year.
- C) They have a lot of work to do.

16. How do people usually get to work in Whittier?

- A) By taking a bus or driving a car.
- B) By walking outside.
- C) By using a long tunnel.

17. What makes it hard to visit Whittier by car?

- A) There is only one tunnel to enter the town, which isn't very wide
- B) The road is very wide, but it is often closed because of bad weather.
- C) Cars are not allowed in Whittier, so people walk everywhere.

18. How do people in Whittier feel about living there?

- A) People are unhappy because they cannot leave the building often.
- B) Many people dislike it because the weather is terrible, and they don't see their neighbours much.
- C) Most people enjoy it because it's safe, quiet, and has beautiful nature nearby.

Part 4

Questions 19 – 24

For each question, choose the correct answer.

His Family Secret

Steve Jobs was born in San Francisco in 1955. His birth parents were university students. They **(19)** not to keep their son and Steve was adopted by Clara and Paul Jobs.

The Jobs family lived in Mountain View, California. This area is now known as Silicon Valley, where there are a lot of big technology **(20)** Steve's hobby as a child was electronics. He **(21)** simple computers with his father at the family home. He met Steve Wozniak when he was at school. They both loved electronics and became good friends. In 1976, they started Apple Computers in Steve's parents' garage. They worked hard, and four years later the company was **(22)** \$1.2 billion.

Two years after that, Steve found out about his sister for the first time. After he was adopted, his birth parents had **(23)** child, Mona, who became a famous writer. This amazing brother and sister were close friends until he died in 2011. People will **(24)** to remember Steve when they see or use an Apple product.

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| 19. | A. decided | B. thought | C. said |
| 20. | A. stores | B. companies | C. works |
| 21. | A. created | B. made | C. designed |
| 22. | A. worth | B. value | C. cost |
| 23. | A. others | B. other | C. another |
| 24. | A. keep | B. next | C. continue |

Part 5

Questions 25 – 30

For each question, write the correct answer.

Write **ONE** word for each gap.

SCHOOL DAYS

My family had to move when I was 10 years old. I had a (25)..... of friends at my old school and I was afraid I would be (26)..... shy to make new ones. The day we left I was (27)..... sad but my mum kept telling me I would need just a (28)..... time for it to feel like home. And she was right, after (29)..... few days I really enjoyed being at my new school. Everyone welcomed me and made sure I got as (30)..... help as I needed to get around.

Part 6

Questions 31

You want to meet your English friend, Jane, for lunch this weekend. Write an email to Jane.

In your email:

- suggest meeting for lunch this weekend
- say when you would like to have lunch
- say where you would like to have lunch.

Write an email to Jane and answer the questions.

Write **25-35** words.

Write the email on your answer sheet.

Part 7

Questions 32

Look at the three pictures.

Write the story shown in the pictures.



Write **35 words** or more.

Write the story on your answer sheet.