

Test 3

READING AND USE OF ENGLISH (1 hour 15 minutes)

Part 1

For questions 1–8, read the text below and decide which answer (A, B, C or D) best fits each gap. There is an example at the beginning (0).

Mark your answers on the separate answer sheet.

Example:

0 A thought B known C seen D noticed

0	A	B	C	D
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The glass bridge

There are many bridges in the world, but some are (0) for more than just connecting one place to another. In China, for example, the Zhangjiajie Bridge has already (1) records for being the highest and longest in the world.

The bridge crosses a deep valley, (2) two mountain cliffs, with a (3) of 300 metres below. It is made almost (4) of glass and can carry up to 800 people at a time. They can either walk across it, or the more adventurous can bungee-jump from it. Questions have been (5) about whether the transparent glass floor is safe, but it has been assessed, and (6) have been given that the glass just won't break. In fact a media event was organised, where people were invited to try to (7) the bridge's glass panels with huge hammers. They were unable to.

Everyone who has tried crossing the Zhangjiajie bridge says it's an experience not to be (8) However, tourists do have to book tickets in advance.

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| 1 | A made | B put | C set | D taken |
| 2 | A linking | B uniting | C combining | D attaching |
| 3 | A descent | B dip | C decline | D drop |
| 4 | A absolutely | B entirely | C specifically | D particularly |
| 5 | A enquired | B raised | C requested | D demanded |
| 6 | A assurances | B reports | C statements | D announcements |
| 7 | A harm | B slam | C smash | D crash |
| 8 | A lost | B missed | C passed | D left |