

## EXERCISE OF EXPOSITION TEXT

Purpose : To persuade the readers or listeners that something should or should not be the case.

Text Organization : 1. A thesis (stating an issue of concern)  
2. Arguments (giving reasons for concern, leading to recommendation)  
3. Recommendation (stating what ought or ought not to happen)

### THE IMPORTANCE OF READING

I personally think that reading is a very important activity in our life. Why do I say so? Firstly, by reading we can get a lot of knowledge about many things in the world such as science, technology, sport, art, culture, etc written in books, magazine, newspaper, etc.

Secondly, by reading we can get a lot of news and information about something happening in any parts of the world which we can see directly.

Another reason, reading can give us pleasure too. When we are tired, we read books, newspaper or magazine on the entertainment columns such as comedy, short story, quiz, etc. Which make us relaxed.

The last, reading can also take us to other parts of the world. By reading a book about Borneo we may feel we're really alting in the jungles not at home in our rooms.

From the fact above, it's obvious that everyone needs to read to get knowledge, information and also entertainment. Or in summary we can say reading is truly important in our life.

1. What is the text about?  
A. The significance of reading.      C. The disadvantages of reading.      E. The meaning of reading.  
B. The process of reading.      D. The micro skill of reading.
  
2. According to the text, which of the following is NOT TRUE?  
A. Reading can entertain readers.  
B. The readers can get a lot of knowledge about many things.  
C. By reading we get a lot of friends in other parts of the world.  
D. Reading gives us a lot of news and information.  
E. Reading makes the readers feel relaxed.
  
3. The communicative purpose of this text is...  
A. To retell events for the purpose of informing.      D. To describe the way as it is.  
B. To present critique an art work.      E. To persuade something as the case.  
C. To acknowledge readers about informative events.
  
4. Based on the text, there are.....arguments.  
A. One      B. Two      C. Three      D. Four      E. Five
  
5. ...it's obvious that everyone...The underlined word has the same meaning as...  
A. Clear      B. Bright      C. Real      D. Full of      E. Empty of