Cambridge Young Learners English

Flyers Reading & Writing

Practice Paper

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There are 50 questions.
You have 40 minutes.
You will need a pen or pencil.

My name is: ________________________________
Look and read. Choose the correct words and write them on the lines. There is one example.

This animal has eight arms and lives in the sea.

1. You need this on a rainy day. You carry it above your head.
2. A tiger has black and orange of these.
3. This person is who you see if you have a toothache. This person helps you take care of your teeth.
4. You use this to cut your food or to put butter on your bread.
5. If you want to post a letter, you must put this on the envelope. It often has a picture on it.
6. This is a book you write in every day. You write about what you did or how

a dentist an octopus the theatre a newspaper
a knife an umbrella Christmas a secretary a journalist
stripes a tent a spider a diary a stamp

_____an octopus_____
you feel.

7 This is where you go to see actors put on a show.

8 When you go camping, this is where you sleep. Sometimes, it is made of plastic.

9 This holiday in the winter is when you give presents and sing songs.

10 This person writes for a newspaper or a magazine. He or she tells us the news.
Part 2
(7 questions)

Look and read. Write yes or no.

Examples

The flowers are near the man who is talking on the telephone.
   ____no____

The dog in front of the post office has spots on his fur.
   ____yes____
Questions

1. The man who is talking on the telephone has got an umbrella.
   ________

2. The man carrying the boxes is wearing a uniform.
   ________

3. One of the women at the restaurant is holding a fork.
   ________

4. The girl going into the bookshop is eating a biscuit.
   ________

5. The woman who is nearer the bookshop is wearing gloves.
   ________

6. There is a taxi at the corner where the bus stop is.
   ________

7. The boy who is walking the dog is carrying a rucksack.
   ________
Part 3
(5 questions)

Betty is talking to her friend, Emma. What does Emma say?

Read the conversation and choose the best answer. Write a letter (A-G) for each answer.

You do not need to use all the letters.

Example

Betty: We’ve been waiting for the bus for a long time, haven’t we?

Emma: C

Questions

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Betty: Why do you think it’s taking so long?

Emma: _____
Betty: Oh yeah! The circus is in town, isn’t it?

Emma: _____

Betty: When did it get here?

Emma: _____

Betty: Have you ever been to the circus before?

Emma: _____

Betty: Yes, let’s go together! Do you know how much tickets cost?

Emma: _____
A  Maybe there’s a lot of traffic today.
B  There was one last year.
C  Yes, it’s been almost 20 minutes.  (Example)
D  One week ago, I think.
E  Ok, that’s a good idea.
F  That’s right.  I almost forgot.
G  I’m not sure, but we can find out.
H  No, I haven’t.  Let’s go together!
Part 4
(6 questions)

Read the story. Choose a word from the box. Write the correct word next to numbers 1-5. There is one example.

Last ___summer____, I went on a holiday to London with my family. It was my first time taking an airplane! After we arrived at the 1) _______________ in London, we took a taxi to our hotel. It was our first time visiting the city and we were very excited. We went by bus to visit many different places and everywhere we went, I 2) ______ pictures. My father likes to study history, so we also went to a few 3) __________. We learned lots of interesting things. My favourite day was when we went to see a 4) __________. It was very old, but
beautiful. It was 5) __________ of rock and on the top of the building, there was a flag. It even had its own bridge! I wish I could live there!

example

summer   castle   saw   made
police station   museums   took   airport
circus   studied

6) Now choose the best name for the story. Tick one box.

☐ Staying in a castle
☐ A visit to London
☐ My winter holiday
Part 5
(7 questions)

Look at the picture and read the story. Write some words to complete the sentences about the story. You can use 1, 2, 3 or 4 words.

Winter Holiday

My name is William and over the Christmas holiday, my family and I went skiing. Because it was winter, it was very cold. We were there for 5 days and it snowed every day. I have two older brothers, David and Michael. We skied with our dad. Our mum doesn’t ski, so she stayed at the hotel.

On the second day, all of us played in the snow. My brothers and I made snowballs and threw them at each other. I wanted to make a snowman, so our family made one together. My parents made a big snowball for the bottom of the snowman, my brothers made a smaller snowball for the body of the snowman and I made a very small snowball for the head of the snowman. My mum used some chopsticks for the snowman’s arms. My dad found some rocks for
the snowman’s mouth and eyes. My brother Michael got a carrot for the snowman’s nose.

Suddenly, I felt cold. I touched my head and found my hat was gone! I started to look around for it. Then, I heard my brother David say, “That’s perfect!” as he put my hat on the snowman’s head.

I laughed because the snowman looked funny. “Now he just needs a name!” I said.

Examples

William’s family went on a holiday at ___Christmas____.

During their holiday, ___it was snowy____.

Questions:

1. William’s mother stayed at _______________ because she does not ski.

2. William and his brothers threw _______________ at each other.

3. The body of the snowman was _______________ than the bottom.

4. The _______________ was the smallest snowball.

5. William’s mother gave the snowman _______________ for arms.
6. William thought he lost __________.

7. The last thing the family needs to do is to give the snowman ____________.
A university is a school (example) __where____ you study after you finish secondary school. Students at university (1) __________ a subject that they want to study more. (2) ______ students study geography, history, maths, science, art (3) ____ languages. Other students go to university to (4) ________ a special job. They study to become (5) ___________, dentists, lawyers, teachers or businessmen. When we think of universities, we think of (6) ___________, but at university, students do many other things (7) ________. For example, students (8)_______ play sports, join clubs or write for the school newspaper. A university’s sports teams often play with other (9) ___________ teams. Some universities have
students from (10) ____________ different countries, so you can meet people from all over the world.

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Dear Fireman Henry,

Thank you for letting us visit your fire station. It was very exciting!

I am sending you the photo that you with our class front of the fire truck. We learned many things being a fireman. I liked riding on the fire truck most. We hope you like the photo. We have all written our names the back.