

## Test 1 Reading and Writing • Part 1

### Questions 1–5

Which notice (A–H) says this (1–5)?

For questions 1–5, mark the correct letter A–H on your answer sheet.

- 1 If you belong to the club you pay less for these.
- 2 Let one of these people know if you'd like to join this.
- 3 You must pick these up when you finish your game.
- 4 It will be possible to get drinks or food before the competition.
- 5 This person will not be available to teach during this time.

A

**Tennis coach on holiday**  
**February 20<sup>th</sup> - March 10<sup>th</sup>**

B

**Tennis club**  
 New coach starting Monday  
 Lessons £30 per hour (members £25)

C

Tennis shop opening soon  
 balls / rackets / drinks

D

Match against Hilltop club begins at 1.00pm.  
 [Club café open 11am to 1pm]

E

Tennis club summer barbecue  
 Sunday July 15<sup>th</sup> from 2.00pm  
 £12 members only

F

**Players for under-15s team needed.**  
**Interested? See Mark or Juliet**

G

**BE SAFE!**  
 Do not leave tennis balls on the ground.

H

**Tennis club**  
**Online registration now open.**  
**Visit the website for details.**

**Test 1****Reading and Writing • Part 2****Questions 6–10**

Read the sentences about a boy who likes science.  
Choose the best word (**A**, **B** or **C**) for each space.  
For questions **6–10**, mark **A**, **B** or **C** on your answer sheet.

- 6** During his last science lesson, Rikki took ..... and drew a diagram of the heart in his book.  
**A** notes      **B** sentences      **C** texts
- 7** Rikki asked a lot of questions to make ..... he understood everything.  
**A** correct      **B** clear      **C** sure
- 8** Rikki ..... a long time on his science homework that evening.  
**A** spent      **B** passed      **C** made
- 9** Rikki's teacher gave him a high ..... for his work.  
**A** number      **B** mark      **C** level
- 10** Rikki is ..... to study science at university in the future.  
**A** planning      **B** wanting      **C** deciding

## Test 1 Reading and Writing • Part 3a

### Questions 11–15

Complete the five conversations. For questions 11–15, mark **A**, **B** or **C** on your answer sheet.

- 11 Good luck in the race!
- 12 Be careful with my new camera.
- 13 Is Marie staying at your house tonight?
- 14 That little cat is so funny.
- 15 Excuse me, is this cinema open on Sundays?
- A Thanks, I will!
- B I'm not last.
- C You too!
- A I don't mind.
- B Yes, don't worry!
- C Can I try it on?
- A What will we do?
- B It's not very far to go.
- C Only if her mum agrees.
- A It's just like mine.
- B I'd like to know.
- C What does it like?
- A That's not a problem.
- B No, I certainly don't.
- C I'm afraid not.

**Test 1****Reading and Writing • Part 3b****Questions 16–20**

Complete the conversation between two friends.

What does Gemma say to Angie?

For questions **16–20**, mark the correct letter **A–H** on your answer sheet.

Angie: Hi Gemma. How are you?

Gemma: I'm OK. I'm doing my homework right now.

Angie: Me too. I can't wait for the school holidays!

Gemma: **16** .....

Angie: The first week we're visiting my grandparents.

Gemma: **17** .....

Angie: I can't, sorry! Will you do it anyway?

Gemma: **18** .....

Angie: It's possible. But a sailing course sounds expensive!

Gemma: **19** .....

Angie: Well, send me the information and I'll talk to my parents.

Gemma: **20** .....

Angie: Thanks. I'll call you back later.

**A** Oh! I wanted you to do a sailing course with me then.

**B** OK, I'll email you that now.

**C** It won't be – my cousin's the teacher and he'll give us a good price.

**D** I'm not sure. Maybe we can do it together later in the holiday, if you're free?

**E** Do you know how much your parents will pay?

**F** Only six more days! What are you going to do?

**G** I haven't really decided yet.

**H** I'll call you later.

## Test 1 Reading and Writing • Part 4

### Questions 21–27

Read the article about a scientist called Zac Norton.

Are sentences **21–27** 'Right' (**A**) or 'Wrong' (**B**)?

If there is not enough information to answer 'Right' (**A**) or 'Wrong' (**B**), choose 'Doesn't say' (**C**).

For questions **21–27**, mark **A**, **B** or **C** on your answer sheet.

### Zac Norton

Zac Norton is a scientist who studies life in seas, lakes and rivers. He grew up in the city of Los Angeles in the USA. There were many activities in the city for teenagers to do, but Zac preferred to spend his free time in the countryside climbing trees and going camping. He had different interests from his school friends, who enjoyed playing computer games and football.

Zac first wanted to learn more about fish after going on a family visit to a zoo which had a large aquarium with sharks, octopuses and other sea animals. In the beginning, Zac enjoyed fishing as a sport, but as he got older he became more interested in studying fish than catching them.

These days, Zac works for a top university. He travels a lot and goes to Vietnam and Mongolia every year. There he meets fishermen who help him with his studies by telling him what kind of fish they catch and how big they are. He also goes around the world giving advice to people who have fish farms. Back home he is sometimes asked to go on children's TV shows to talk about his work with nature. He thinks this is important, so he always agrees.

- 21** When he was a teenager Zac often chose to spend his free time in the city.
- A** Right      **B** Wrong      **C** Doesn't say
- 22** Zac and his friends liked doing the same kind of things.
- A** Right      **B** Wrong      **C** Doesn't say
- 23** Zac became interested in fish after his parents took him on a trip.
- A** Right      **B** Wrong      **C** Doesn't say
- 24** When he went fishing Zac always ate the fish he caught.
- A** Right      **B** Wrong      **C** Doesn't say
- 25** The fishermen in Vietnam and Mongolia give Zac the information he needs for his work.
- A** Right      **B** Wrong      **C** Doesn't say
- 26** The fish farmers pay Zac for the advice he gives them.
- A** Right      **B** Wrong      **C** Doesn't say
- 27** Zac believes he should share what he knows with young people.
- A** Right      **B** Wrong      **C** Doesn't say

## Test 1 Reading and Writing • Part 5

### Questions 28–35

Read the article about Walt Disney.

Choose the best word (**A**, **B** or **C**) for each space.

For questions **28–35**, mark **A**, **B** or **C** on your answer sheet.

### WALT DISNEY

Walt Disney was born in 1901 and grew up on a farm in Missouri, USA. He loved drawing and sold his first pictures to neighbours when he was only 7 years old. He studied art and photography at school and **(28)** ..... did extra classes at night school.

In 1918, **(29)** ..... after World War 1, he spent a year in France **(30)** ..... an ambulance, which he covered in drawings and cartoons. After that, he returned to the US **(31)** ..... worked for an advertising company **(32)** ..... he learned how to make cartoon films. Then, in August 1923, he moved **(33)** ..... Hollywood to open a film company with his brother Ron. **(34)** ..... Walt's life, this company made 81 films, and 32 of **(35)** ..... won the US's top prize for filmmaking – the Academy Award, or Oscar.

- 28 **A** ever                      **B** anyway                      **C** also
- 29 **A** almost                      **B** just                      **C** nearly
- 30 **A** drove                      **B** driving                      **C** driven
- 31 **A** because                      **B** so                      **C** and
- 32 **A** where                      **B** who                      **C** that
- 33 **A** in                      **B** to                      **C** at
- 34 **A** During                      **B** Past                      **C** Until
- 35 **A** it                      **B** this                      **C** them



## Test 1 Reading and Writing • Part 6

### Questions 36–40

Read the descriptions of some words for things people wear.

What is the word for each one?

The first letter is already there. There is one space for each letter in the word.

For questions **36–40**, write the words on your answer sheet.

- 36 These trousers are popular around the world and are often blue.      **j** \_ \_ \_ \_
- 37 You wear this on your head, especially when it's sunny.      **c** \_ \_
- 38 These are similar to trousers, but not as long.      **s** \_ \_ \_ \_ \_
- 39 You look at this to see what time it is.      **w** \_ \_ \_ \_
- 40 People wear these over their eyes on a bright day.      **s** \_ \_ \_ \_ \_ \_ \_ \_

## Test 1

## Reading and Writing • Part 7

### Questions 41–50

Complete the emails.

Write ONE word for each space.

For questions **41–50**, write the words on your answer sheet.

To: Tobias  
 From: Ben

I heard that you got a new bike! I need one too, because mine's much too small for me now. I've asked Mum to get me one for **(41)** ..... birthday. **(42)** ..... is your bike like? **(43)** ..... did you get it from? Is it much bigger **(44)** ..... your last one?

To: Ben  
 From: Tobias

My new bike's great! We bought it from Webster's Bikes – they have a lot **(45)** ..... bikes to choose from. Tell your Mum **(46)** ..... go and have a look. Also, **(47)** ..... is a fantastic new cycle park near here. It's **(48)** ..... expensive to get in – only £2.50. They're having a competition **(49)** ..... June. **(50)** ..... don't we enter it with our new bikes?