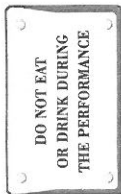


Part 1

Questions 1-5

- Look at the text in each question.
- What does it say?
- Mark the correct letter A, B or C on your answer sheet.

Example:



- A You can eat and drink only during the interval.
- B You must not eat or drink in the theatre.
- C You must eat and drink quietly during the show.

Example answer:

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0 A B C



We are collecting for a retirement present for Diana. Please leave your contributions and sign the card in the office before Wednesday.

What is Diana going to do?

- A move to a new job
- B stop working
- C collect for a colleague's birthday



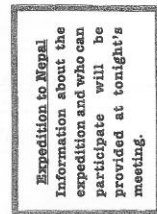
When will the library open?

- A You will be told next week when the library will open.
- B There is another notice to tell you when the library will open.
- C It is not yet known when the library will open.

To: Tess
From: Rosa

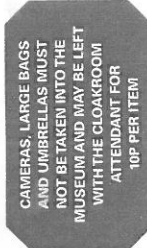
Did you leave a blue umbrella in my car last night? I found one this morning. It could be Sophie's but I thought I'd ask you first.

- A Rosa thinks Tess borrowed an umbrella from Sophie.
- B Rosa thinks Tess took her umbrella by mistake.
- C Rosa thinks Tess left an umbrella in her car.



The meeting tonight is about

- A an expedition which is going to take place.
- B an expedition which has taken place.
- C a company which organises expeditions to Nepal.



- A It costs nothing to leave a briefcase and a camera.
- B It costs 10p to leave a briefcase and a camera.
- C It costs 20p to leave a briefcase and a camera.

Part 2

Questions 6-10

- The people below all want to do an evening course.
- On the opposite page there are some descriptions of evening courses.
- Decide which course would be the most suitable for the following people.
- For questions 6-10, mark the correct letter (A-H) on your answer sheet.



6 Amy loves writing and would like to produce concert programmes for her music club. But she thinks that what she writes does not look professional enough. She would like to be able to present her work better.



7 Josh didn't enjoy literature at school but now he loves it. He would like to know more about modern fiction and poetry. He has a long journey to work on the train every day and so he has plenty of time to read.



8 Olivia had a baby last year and she would like to learn something she can do at home. She is very good at practical things. She used to work in a nursery and hopes to return there when her own children are at school.



9 Sally is a journalist. She loves literature and has always enjoyed writing. She already speaks English, Italian and French well and last year she learnt Greek because she worked there for six months.

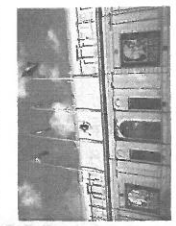


10 Kim would like to study music. He can't play a musical instrument, although he would like to learn one. He is also interested in different styles of music and wants to listen to more live music.

THIS YEAR'S CHOICE OF EVENING CLASSES

- A** Learn Greek from a native speaker and trained teacher. This course is for complete beginners and it starts with the alphabet. By the end of the course you will be confident enough to order in restaurants, to ask for directions and to book hotel rooms when in Greece.
- B** Do you feel that you're not getting the most out of your computer? Come along to our ten-week course, which will show you the more advanced features of the main writing programmes available today. Our course will enable you to produce much more professional and stylish documents.
- C** If you enjoy music but wish to know more, you should join this year's course in the history of twentieth-century music. You will learn about classical, pop and international music. Students on the course will have the opportunity to attend a number of concerts.
- D** Are you interested in language? Would you like to improve your writing? Then come to our poetry-writing course. The course will be led by the well-known poet, Sean Hughes. Even if you have never written a poem before, you will be producing work you can be proud of by the end of the course.
- E** One of the most valuable jobs in the world is being a parent. Yet few people are prepared for this job. This course is for new or future parents and it teaches all the practical skills and knowledge that you need to be a good mother or father to a pre-school child.
- F** This course is about literary appreciation. It focuses on the twentieth-century English novel and students on the course will read and discuss a different novel each week. Special sessions will be taken by guest authors who will discuss how they write.
- G** This course continues last year's popular course on learning the flute. The course improves your existing skills and your ability to read music. The course is taken by the talented musician and excellent teacher, Mona Peters. The course will end, as last year, with a concert for the public.
- H** Become popular with all the children you know. Learn how to make soft toys that are better, and much cheaper, than anything you can buy in the shops. Animals and dolls made in our class, and by you at home, will be an original and attractive Christmas present.

Madame Tussaud's



One of the most popular tourist attractions in London is Madame Tussaud's Waxwork Museum. Her name is famous but not many people know much about Marie Tussaud's fascinating life.

Marie was born in Strasbourg in 1761. Her father, who was a soldier, died in battle just before her birth. Her mother took a job as a housekeeper in Switzerland with a doctor called Curtius, who made wax figures for anatomy students. He started making wax portraits of people and soon found that he earned more money by doing this than as a doctor. He moved to Paris, where he opened his first exhibition. He taught his techniques to young Marie, who became even better than he was. Soon she was making sculptures of famous people like the French writer, Voltaire, and the American politician, Benjamin Franklin. In those days, people had heard of these famous people but they had not seen them so they were very interested to learn what they looked like.

Marie was noticed by the French royal family and she was invited to live at the royal palace at Versailles to help with the artistic education of the king's young sister, Marie spent nine years at court and made wax sculptures of many of the important people there. However, in 1789 the French Revolution took place. Marie was imprisoned and for a time she shared a cell with Napoleon's future wife, Josephine Beauharnais. Marie was about to be guillotined but at the last moment she was pardoned.

After she was freed from prison Marie married Francois Tussaud. She also inherited Dr Curtius's exhibition. France was in a difficult economic situation after the Revolution, so Marie and her husband brought their exhibition to England, where it was very successful and where it has been ever since. There are now about 400 figures in the exhibition from some of the early figures created by Madame Tussaud to David Beckham and Kylie Minogue.

Part 3

Questions 11-20

- Look at the sentences below about Madame Tussaud's Waxwork Museum in London.
 - Read the text on the opposite page to decide if each sentence is correct or incorrect.
 - If it is correct, mark **A on your answer sheet**.
 - If it is not correct, mark **B on your answer sheet**.
- 11 When Marie Tussaud was born her father was already dead.
 - 12 Marie moved to Switzerland because she got a job there.
 - 13 Dr Curtius made more money from his wax sculptures than he did from medicine.
 - 14 Dr Curtius did not want to share his skills with anyone else.
 - 15 Wax figures were popular because it was the only way to learn what famous people looked like.
 - 16 The French royal family liked Marie's work.
 - 17 Marie was invited to Versailles to make wax sculptures of the royal family.
 - 18 Marie nearly died during the French Revolution.
 - 19 Marie moved to England because it was dangerous for her in France after the Revolution.
 - 20 In Madame Tussaud's exhibition today you can see both old and new sculptures.