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HERE ARE YOUR INSTRUCTIONS:

- Be sure you have written your name at the top of this page.
- Do not open this booklet until the exam starts.
- Read all instructions carefully.
- Answer all 40 questions.
- Give only ONE answer for each question.
- Mark all your answers, in 2H or HB pencil, on the computerised Answer Sheet (Pre-A1).
- Time allowed: **1 hour**.

Task A: numbers 1 to 6

Match: In the park!

Look at the pictures of people in a park.

Match a picture with each statement.

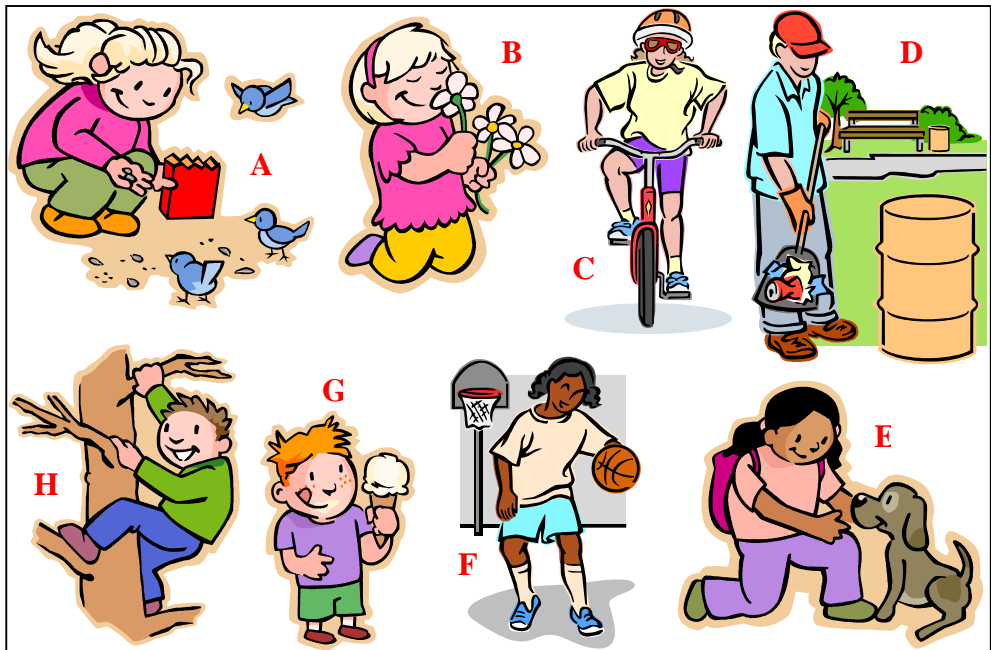
Mark its letter, A-H, on your Answer Sheet.

You will use only six of the letters.

Example: Mr Petridis keeps the park very clean.

The correct answer is D. **A B C D E F G H**

- 1 Look! Alex is climbing a tree!
- 2 I'm going to buy an ice cream. Do you want one?
- 3 Karen loves playing with her dog in the park.
- 4 These flowers smell lovely!
- 5 The park's a great place to ride a bike.
- 6 Does Tammy feed the birds every day?



Task B: numbers 7 to 12

Choose the right word: At school!

Choose the correct word to fill each gap.

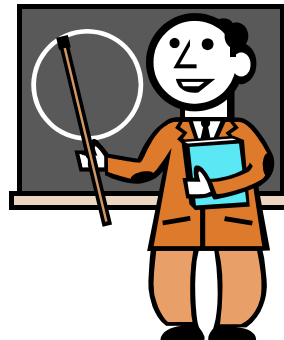
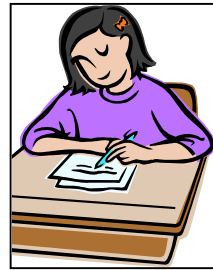
Mark its letter, A, B or C, on your Answer Sheet.

Example: I _____ a mistake in the maths test.

A had B did C made

The correct answer is C. **A B C D E F G H**

- 7 There are fifteen children in my _____.
A pen B class C blackboard
- 8 Mrs Markatou is a very good _____.
A teacher B school C classroom
- 9 Mr Carter, can I ask you a _____?
A test B story C question
- 10 Now open your _____ and look at page 32!
A books B windows C bags
- 11 I'll _____ my homework later.
A do B make C read
- 12 What time does your _____ lesson start?
A France B England C Greek



Task C: numbers 13 to 20

Choose the right word: Camping!

Read the text about a camping holiday.

Choose the correct word to fill each gap in the text.

Mark its letter, A, B or C, on your Answer Sheet.

Example: Last summer, my parents, my brother and I (EXAMPLE) camping.

A go B goes C went

The correct answer is C. **A B C D E F G H**

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Last summer, my parents, my brother and I (EXAMPLE) camping. It was great fun!

We (13) two tents: a large grey tent for my mum and dad, and a yellow one for (14) and my brother, Simon. You can see (15) in the photo. As you can see, the yellow tent was smaller (16) the grey tent.

The tents were under (17) trees, and very near the sea. Every morning, we got up and ran to the sea for a swim. It was lovely! (18) the evening, we made a big meal and ate it by (19) tents.

We stayed there for two weeks. At the end of the holiday, I (20) want to go home!



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| 13 | A had | B having | C has |
| 14 | A I | B my | C me |
| 15 | A they | B them | C their |
| 16 | A to | B from | C than |
| 17 | A a | B some | C any |
| 18 | A In | B On | C At |
| 19 | A we | B us | C our |
| 20 | A not | B don't | C didn't |

Task D: numbers 21 to 25

Find the mistake: My dad!

Adam is thirteen years old.

He is telling his friend Carla about his dad.

Read what Adam says.

There is one mistake in each of the sentences below.

Find the mistake and mark its letter, A, B or C, on your Answer Sheet.

Example: My dad's name is Konstantinos but people call he Kostas.

A

B

C

The mistake is C.

A B C D E F G H

21 He's forty years old but my mum say he looks younger!

A

B

C

22 He's get short dark hair and he wears glasses.

A

B

C

23 Dad works in a office in the town centre.

A

B

C

24 We play lots of game together at the weekend.

A

B

C

25 Dad's good at football but he's not very good at computers games!

A

B

C



Task E: numbers 26 to 30

Complete the dialogue: Katerina's summer holiday!

Katerina meets her friend Paul in the town centre.

Paul asks Katerina about her summer holiday.

Choose the correct reply to fill each gap in the dialogue.

Mark its letter, A-G, on your Answer Sheet.

You will use only five of the letters.

Example:

Paul: Hi Katerina! Did you have a good holiday?

Katerina: Hi Paul! Yes, it was wonderful!



The answer is G. **A B C D E F G H**

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Paul: Hi Katerina! Did you have a good holiday?

Katerina: (EXAMPLE)

Paul: Where did you go?

Katerina: (26)

Paul: Wow! With your parents?

Katerina: (27)

Paul: Where did you stay?

Katerina: (28)

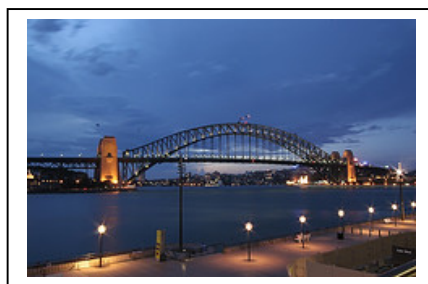
Paul: In Sydney?

Katerina: (29)

Paul: Fantastic! Did you take lots of photos?

Katerina: (30)

Paul: I'd love to see them!



A At my uncle and aunt's house. They live there.

B About two hundred!

C I went to Australia!

D I watched three films on the plane!

E Yes. You can see the sea from their house!

F No, with my sister, Eleni.

G Hi Paul! Yes, it was wonderful!

Task F: numbers 31 to 35

Fill the gaps: Origami!

Read the text about origami and look at the pictures.

Choose the correct word or phrase to fill each gap in the sentences below.

Mark its letter, A, B or C, on your Answer Sheet.

Example: Lisa is _____ years old.

A twelve

B thirteen

C fourteen

The answer is B. **A B C D E F G H**

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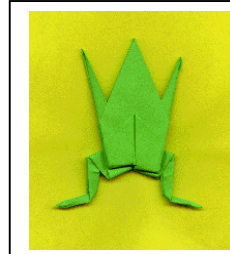
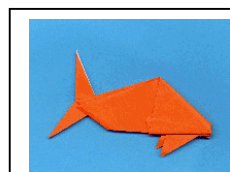
My hobby: Origami

by Lisa Angelopoulou, aged 13

Do you know what origami is? In origami, you make things with pieces of paper. It's a great hobby and it's not difficult or expensive! I've made lots of things. You can see two of them in the photos. Can you guess what they are? The orange one is a fish and the green one is a frog!

I started doing origami when I was about ten years old. My grandparents gave me an origami book for my birthday. It had lots of pictures, and it told me how to make the things. Today, I have lots of origami books. My mum usually buys them for me. There are also lots of origami websites on the internet where I can get ideas and help.

I keep most of the things I make. The frog and the fish, for example, are in my bedroom. But sometimes I give them to my family and friends as presents.



- 31 Lisa says that origami is _____ .
 A difficult B expensive C easy
- 32 Lisa started doing origami about _____ years ago.
 A two B three C ten
- 33 Lisa gets ideas from _____ .
 A her grandparents B her mother C books and the internet
- 34 Lisa gives _____ of the things she makes to other people.
 A all B some C none
- 35 The things in the pictures are _____ .
 A not Lisa's B the same colour C different animals

Task G: numbers 36 to 40

What do you say?: Free time!

Here are some things we say when we have free time.

For each situation, choose what you say when it happens.

Mark its letter, A, B or C, on your Answer Sheet.

Example: You are riding your bike and you see a friend. What do you say?

A "Hi! Where are you?"

B "Hi! How are you?"

C "Hi! Who are you?"



The answer is B. **A B C D E F G H**

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36 You are with a friend at home. You want to play a game. What do you say?

A "Let's play a game!"

B "Don't play a game!"

C "We played a game!"



37 You are in the street. You can't find a bus stop. What do you say?

A "Excuse me! What is a bus stop?"

B "Excuse me! Do you want a bus stop?"

C "Excuse me! Is there a bus stop near here?"



38 It's your birthday on Saturday. You call a friend. What do you say?

A "Can you come to my birthday party on Saturday evening?"

B "Did you come to my birthday party on Saturday evening?"

C "Can I come to your birthday party on Saturday evening?"



39 Your friend says: "Are you coming to the cinema tonight?" What do you say?

A "Yes, there are!"

B "Yes, it does!"

C "Yes, I am!"



40 You are watching a film on TV. You really like the film. What do you say?

A "This film isn't very good!"

B "This film is really good!"

C "This film is very long!"



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