

Test 1 • B1 Preliminary

READING 45 MIN • WRITING 45 MIN • LISTENING ~30 MIN • SPEAKING 12–17 MIN

Reading

45 MINUTES • 32 QUESTIONS • PARTS 1–6

Part 1

QUESTIONS 1–5

For each question, choose the correct answer.

1

STUDENT LOUNGE

Please keep this room tidy. Food can be eaten here only between 12:00 and 2:00. Bottles of water are allowed at any time.

- A Students may bring drinks other than water into the lounge.
- B Students can have lunch in the lounge at certain times.
- C Students should clean the lounge after 2:00.

2

Hi Dani, the band practice is moved from Friday to Saturday because Luis has a dentist appointment on Friday. Same place and same time as usual, but bring your own music stand – the school ones are locked away. Pablo

- A Pablo wants Dani to pick up the music stands from school.
- B The band will practice at a different time on a different day.
- C The band will meet at the usual place on Saturday.

3

BIKE HIRE

Helmets are free with every bike. If you return the bike after 6 p.m., you will pay for an extra day.

- A Customers do not have to pay for helmets.
- B The bike shop closes at 6 p.m.
- C Customers can keep the bike for an extra day for free.

4

To: All Year 10 students

The trip to the science museum is now full. If you have not paid yet, your name has been added to a waiting list. We will contact you if a place becomes free.

Ms. Ortega

- A Students who have paid will be contacted by Ms. Ortega.
- B Some students may still be able to go on the trip.
- C Students should add their names to a list.

5

Sofia – Your sister called. She can't drive you to the airport tomorrow, but she has booked you a taxi for 5:30. It's already paid for. Call her back if you want to change the time. Mom

- A** Sofia needs to pay for the taxi.
- B** Sofia's sister will take her to the airport later.
- C** Sofia can ask her sister to change the taxi booking.

Part 2

QUESTIONS 6–10

For each question, choose the correct answer. The people below all want to take a summer course. On the opposite page there are descriptions of eight summer courses. Decide which course would be the most suitable for the people below.

- 6 Valeria is 16 and loves drawing. She wants a course that lasts at least two weeks, where she can learn to use computer programs for her art. She can only go in the mornings.
- 7 Tomás wants to spend his summer outdoors and improve his fitness. He has never done a water sport before, and he would like to stay overnight with other young people.
- 8 Andrea wants to improve her English before she studies abroad. She wants to live with a local family and would like a course which includes trips at the weekend.
- 9 Diego is interested in cooking and would like to start his own food business one day. He is looking for a short course that will also teach him how to manage money.
- 10 Lucía and Marco, both 15, want to do a course together where they can help people or animals. They don't want to be away from home at night.

A Kitchen Stars

In this five-day course, young chefs learn to make simple dishes from around the world. Every afternoon there is a cooking competition, and the winner's dish appears on our restaurant menu for a week. Ages 12–16.

B Lake Adventure Camp

Spend two weeks in tents by Lake Tequesquitengo. Our trained instructors will teach you kayaking and sailing from the very beginning. Hiking and team games every evening. Ages 14–18.

C Digital Artists

A three-week course for teenagers who already draw and want to take their art to the screen. Learn the basics of drawing and animation software. Classes Monday to Friday, 9:00 to 12:30.

D Young Entrepreneurs: Street Food

In just one week you will plan a small food business, cook three bestselling snacks and learn how to set prices, keep accounts and make a profit. Ages 16+.

E Paws and Claws

Spend your days at a city animal shelter. Volunteers feed and walk the animals and help the vets. Daily from 9:00 to 4:00, with lunch included. Ages 14+. Join with a friend and get a 10% discount.

F English in Vancouver

Four weeks of English classes in the mornings and sports or culture in the afternoons. Students stay in a modern student residence close to the school. Ages 15–19.

G Art in the Park

Paint and draw outdoors in different parks of the city. Each afternoon a professional artist gives tips on how to draw people and trees. Two weeks, 2:00 to 6:00 p.m.

H Study and Stay: Dublin

Improve your English with three hours of classes a day and live with a carefully chosen Irish host family. Every Saturday we organize an excursion to a different part of Ireland. Ages 16+.