

1 Test

Vocabulary

1 Complete the sentences with an expression using the word in brackets.

- 1 Peter never stops working at lunchtime. (break)
Peter never _____ a _____ at lunchtime.
- 2 My mother washes the clothes on Mondays. (washing)
My mother _____ the _____ on Mondays.
- 3 I am very similar to my sister. (look)
I _____ my sister.
- 4 I usually finish my exercises before dinner. (homework)
I usually _____ my _____ before dinner.
- 5 You're going to be late if you don't hurry up. (move)
You're going to be late if you don't _____ a _____ on.
- 6 Our nieces and nephews are very noisy. (noise)
Our nieces and nephews _____ a lot of .
- 7 David often stays with his friends after football practice. (hang)
David often _____ with his friends after football practice.
- 8 Do you always celebrate your birthday with your family? (celebration)
Do you always _____ a _____ with your family on your birthday?
- 9 Be careful! We're going to crash! (look)
_____ ! We're going to crash!
- 10 If we get lost, we can call our friends. (phone call)
If we get lost, we can _____ a _____
_____ to our friends.

Marks: __ /10

2 Complete the text.

Jane gets ¹ _____ well with her sister's children, so she sometimes looks ² _____ them when her sister goes to work. Jane gets ³ _____ at about 7.30 and she ⁴ _____ a shower before she wakes up the children. The younger children ⁵ _____ her a hand to make breakfast while the older children ⁶ _____ the beds. After breakfast Jane helps them look ⁷ _____ their uniforms. At this time in the morning they ⁸ _____ Jane crazy because they spend ⁹ _____ getting dressed. When they're ready, Jane takes them to school. On the way home she ¹⁰ _____ the shopping, so that she can cook a nice meal for the children when they come home from school.

Marks: __ /10

Reading

3 Read the text and choose the correct answers.

The twin town of Kodinho

In the south of India there is a village with a mystery. More twins are born in Kodinho, in the state of Kerala, than anywhere else in the world. Doctors really don't know why although they probably have some ideas.

The country with the biggest number of twins is Nigeria. In general, Asia is the continent with the lowest number of twins – only 4 sets per 1,000 babies. China has

one of the lowest numbers with 1 birth in 300 being multiple. Yet in Kodinhu 45 sets of twins are born per 1,000 babies, which is nearly six times the global average. At the last count there were 220 sets of twins among Kodinhu's 2,000 families. In the village there is a special association called TAKA for families with twins. This association aims to help parents with twins because it is very expensive to have two children at the same time.

- 1 Kodinhu has the highest number of . . . in the world.
a twins b children c doctors
- 2 Doctors . . . the twin mystery.
a understand b don't understand c can't stand
- 3 Compared to the rest of the world there are . . . twin births in Asia.
a more b fewer c as many
- 4 . . . twins are born in Kodinhu than anywhere else in the world.
a Six times more b Four times more c Fewer
- 5 The association for twins, TAKA, exists . . .
a in all of India b in all of Kerala. c only in Kodinhu.

Marks: __/5

4 Read the text again and answer the questions with a complete sentence.

- 1 What is the mystery of the village of Kodinhu?

- 2 How many sets of twins are born on average in Asia?

- 3 How many sets of twins are born in Kodinhu?

- 4 Which families can be members of TAKA?

- 5 Why does TAKA help parents with twins?

Marks: __/15

Grammar

5 Find the mistake in each line. Write the correction below.

- 1 We live in a new town outside Cairo. We not have
- 2 a very big house, but I like very much it. I've got
- 3 one brother and three sisters. My sisters all goes
- 4 to school, but my brother has 20 years old,
- 5 so he don't go to school any more. He's a student
- 6 and he studies medicine at university to Alexandria.
- 7 My brother comes home often to visit us. He
- 8 travels on train, so it takes him about three hours.
- 9 My parents is always very happy. My mother
- 10 makes a dinner special and we have a celebration.

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| 1 _____ | 6 _____ |
| 2 _____ | 7 _____ |
| 3 _____ | 8 _____ |
| 4 _____ | 9 _____ |

5 _____ 10 _____

Marks: __ /10

6 Rewrite the affirmative sentences in the negative, and the negative sentences in the affirmative using the words given.

1 I get on well with my sister. (my brother)

2 Keira doesn't do her homework in class. (at home).

3 We don't have a break in the morning. (in the afternoon)

4 Tom hangs around with his friends. (his cousins)

5 My parents don't have lunch at home. (at work)

6 Jack hasn't got a daughter. (a son)

7 My niece doesn't get up early. (late)

8 We've got a shower. (bath)

9 You look like your father. (your mother)

10 Sarah helps her mother with the shopping. (with the washing)

Marks: __ /10

Language skills

7 Complete the dialogue.

Alex Hello. I'm Alex.

Tom Hi. I'm Tom. Are you new?

Alex Yes, I ¹ _____. We're in the ² _____ class.

Tom Oh. Nice to ³ _____ you. Where's your house?

Alex I ⁴ _____ near the school. What about you?

Tom Me, too. What are your hobbies?

Alex Well, I play football and I ⁵ _____ swimming at the weekend. Do you like sport?

Tom Not really. I like ⁶ _____ computer games and ⁷ _____ TV.

Alex Have you got any brothers or ⁸ _____?

Tom Yes, I've ⁹ _____ one brother. But he's three years old so he ¹⁰ _____ go to school.

Marks: __ /10

8 Complete the mini-dialogues.

Dialogue 1

A How many brothers and sisters have you got?

B ¹ _____
His name's Tony. He's 15.

A What does he do?

B ² _____
He goes to the same school as me.

Dialogue 2

A ³ _____?

B Laila's one of my friends.

A ⁴ _____?

B She's 16.

A ⁵ _____?

B She lives next door.

Marks: __ /10

Writing

9 Write an informal letter to a penfriend. Write about 70 words and organize your writing into three paragraphs:

- write about yourself
- write about your family
- write about your school

Marks: __ /20

TOTAL: __ /100