

End of Year 2 Higher Test



Listening

1 [1.13] Listen to the conversation. Complete the sentences. (10 marks)

- 1 At twelve thirty, students _____

- 2 At Rachel's school, students mustn't _____

- 3 Last year, Rachel _____

- 4 Rachel has never _____

- 5 Rachel's French will improve if _____

Vocabulary

2 Complete the sentences with suitable words. (10 marks)

- 1 I enjoy cooking. I like to _____ bread and cakes in my spare time.
- 2 I don't want to send him a text. I want to have a face-to-face _____ with him.
- 3 When you've left your voicemail message, you can _____ up.
- 4 A _____ of an hour is fifteen minutes.
- 5 A _____ is a person who teaches at a university.
- 6 Can we _____ some apples from this tree?
- 7 The snake moved silently. It didn't make a _____.
- 8 My little sister loves running and jumping. She's very _____.
- 9 That song will be a _____. Millions of people are going to buy it.
- 10 Are you interested _____ learning a new language?

3 Write definitions of the words. (5 marks)

torch This helps you to see when it's dark.

- 1 cruel

2 traffic

3 kick

4 decade

5 composer

Language focus

4 Read the answers, then write questions. Use the underlined phrases to help you. (10 marks)

How long have you lived in this town?

I've lived in this town for two years.

1 _____?

I go to the cinema two or three times a month.

2 _____?

My dad is listening to the radio at the moment.

3 _____?

I was at the dentist's this morning.

4 _____?

I'm going to see Sandra next Sunday.

5 _____?

The film started at 7:30.

5 Complete the sentences so that they have the same meaning. Use the word in brackets, making any necessary changes. (10 marks)

Sonia is older than me. (young)

I am younger than Sonia.

1 I'll stay at home if it rains tomorrow. (go out)

If _____.

2 I think French is easier than Chinese. (difficult)

I think Chinese _____.

3 Tim was a good guitar player when he was five. (could)

Tim _____.

4 I took this photo while Rita was singing. (when)

Rita _____.

5 I started English lessons five years ago. (study)

_____ for five years.

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6 Complete with your own words. (5 marks)

- 1 Last weekend, I _____

- 2 I'll be very happy if _____

- 3 After school today, I'm _____

- 4 I've never _____

- 5 At our school, we must _____

Reading

7 Read the email. Put the paragraphs in the correct order. Write A–F in boxes 2–6. (5 marks)

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| 1 [<u> </u>] | 4 [<u> </u>] |
| 2 [<u> </u>] | 5 [<u> </u>] |
| 3 [<u> </u>] | 6 [<u> </u>] |

Sunday, 3pm

Hi John –

(A) I didn't have my mobile phone with me, but luckily Linda had hers, and she called my parents. Mum drove to the park as quickly as she could, and she brought me to the hospital.

(B) I spoke to a nurse five minutes ago. She thinks I'll be allowed to leave hospital this evening. But she says I must stay at home for at least three days. She also says I should cycle more carefully in the future – and she's right!

(C) How are you? Are you having a good holiday?

(D) Don't worry – nothing terrible has happened, and I'm not seriously ill. I'm here because I've broken my arm. It happened this morning. I fell off my bike while I was cycling in the park with Linda.

(E) I know that school starts on Monday, but I'm afraid I won't be there. You won't believe this, but I'm writing this email from hospital!

(F) At first, my arm was incredibly painful, but the doctors have fixed it, and it doesn't hurt too much now.

See you soon – Alice

8 Read the email again. Are these sentences correct? Write **yes** or **no**. (5 marks)

- 1 Alice will be at school tomorrow. _____
- 2 Alice had an accident while she was riding her bike. _____
- 3 After the accident, Alice called her parents. _____
- 4 Alice went to the hospital in an ambulance. _____
- 5 Alice's arm is still very painful. _____

Communication

9 Complete the conversations with suitable phrases. (10 marks)

- 1 A: What _____ today?
B: Nothing much. I'm just watching an old DVD.
- 2 A: We're thinking of going to the beach. Are _____?
B: I'd like to come, but I can't right now.
- 3 A: That's a great painting. You're a brilliant artist!
B: Thanks. _____ of you.
- 4 A: Will the trip be dangerous?
B: No. Don't worry. You'll _____.
- 5 A: Can I help with the food and drink?
B: Thanks. _____ great.

Writing

- 10 Imagine you are on holiday. Write an email to a friend. Where are you? When did you arrive? Where are you staying? Tell your friend some of the things that have happened on your holiday. What are you doing at the moment? What will you do if it's sunny tomorrow? And how long are you going to stay? Write 80–100 words. (10 marks)**

Total marks: Listening _____ / 10

Vocabulary _____ / 15

Language focus _____ / 25

Reading _____ / 10 Communication _____ / 10

Writing _____ / 10 TOTAL _____ / 80