

Test 1

Part 1

Complete the form below.

Write **ONE WORD /OR A NUMBER** for each answer.

Two-bedroom apartment

The name of the owner is: Mary

Details of apartment

- The apartment will be available from June.
- The rent is \$ **1**..... a month.
- The flooring in the apartment is made of **2**.....
- There is not enough space for a dishwasher in the apartment.
- A **3**..... is used to operate the laundry machines.
- It is OK to use **4**..... cookers on balcony.
- There is no locker to store a **5**....., but there are racks.

Facilities and services in the apartment building

- The building has full-time **6**.....
- Free classes are held in the building's pool.

Appointment details

- Meet the owner at **7**..... pm on Monday
- Go to 236 **8**..... Road
- Take the bus west to the intersection and look for the **9**.....
- Look for the building across from the **10**.....

Part 2

Questions 11 – 16

Choose the correct letter, **A**, **B** or **C**.

11 Which is the most popular race?

- A bicycles
- B old tractors
- C motorbikes

12 What does the official say about the horse race?

- A keep the finish line clear
- B keep spectators off the beach
- C keep boats away from the shore

13 The Beach Picnic is only for

- A race competitors.
- B ticket holders.
- C children.

14 The official says that parking

- A is more expensive for trucks.
- B costs the same as last year.
- C is free for some vehicles.

15 What do stall-holders need to display?

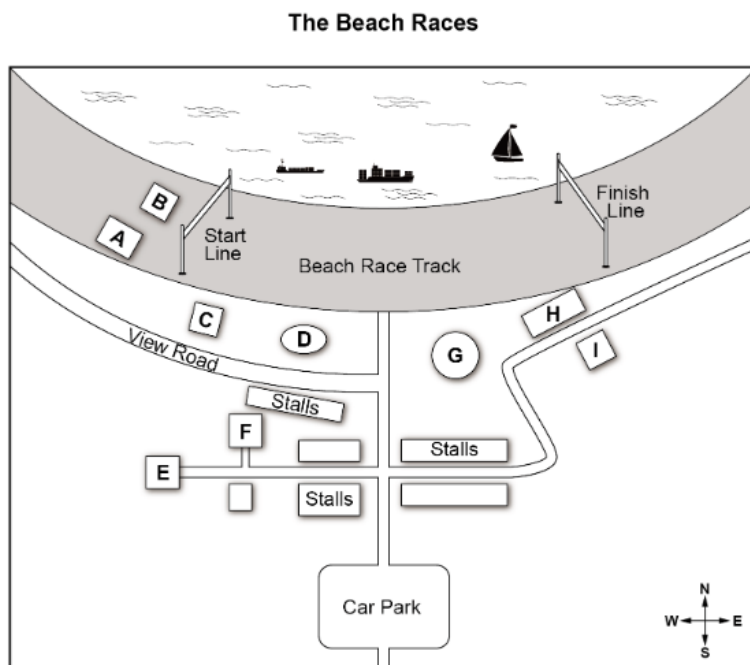
- A a council licence
- B their registration form
- C an insurance certificate

16 What final advice does the official give the volunteers?

- A encourage visitors to donate money
- B keep strictly to the timetable
- C eat and drink regularly

Questions 17- 20

Choose **FOUR** answers from the box and write the correct letter: **A-I**, next to Questions 17-20.



Facilities

17 Admin Tent

18 Lost Property

19 Sandcastle Competition

20 First Aid

Part 3

Questions 21 – 24

Choose the correct letter, **A**, **B** or **C**.

21 According to John, UK retailers who differentiate between boys' and girls' products are

- A being forced to change this approach.
- B only responding to what customers want.
- C responsible for establishing a global trend.

22 Annie believes most parents prefer children's toys to be displayed according to

- A theme.
- B brand.
- C age group.

23 When discussing Lise Eliot's book on gender roles, the students agree that

- A Eliot has overestimated the influence of advertising on children.
- B Eliot's book will be most popular within the USA.
- C Eliot makes some valid points within the book.

24 In John's opinion, the problem of marketing toys according to gender is that a child's

- A social development will be delayed.
- B career options could become limited.
- C academic achievement will suffer.

Questions 25 - 30

The flow-chart has five gaps. Choose the correct answer and move it into the gap.

- A** parental preferences
- B** technological advances
- C** physical abilities
- D** feminine clothes
- E** advertising changes
- F** unisex styles
- G** well-known figures
- H** practical reasons

The development of gender-specific clothing in the US

It was because of **25** that children wore white clothes in the 19th century.



In the early 1900s, consumers were influenced by the choices of **26**.....



By the 1940s, shop owners believed that **27** were 'blue for boys' and 'pink for girls'.



In the 1960s, teenage girls believed that **28** could be beneficial to them.



The **29**of the 1980s meant that people felt pressure to shop for gender-specific clothing.



Nowadays, some mothers want their daughters to have **30**..... as they did not have these themselves.

Part 4

Questions 31- 40

Complete the notes below.

Write **ONE WORD ONLY** for each answer.

The History of Umbrellas

Symbolism and Status

- Umbrellas symbolized **31**..... for rulers, showcasing authority.
- Only wealthy Roman **32** could own umbrellas, a status symbol.

Materials and Construction

- In India, umbrellas were made from local **33** and in China from silk.
- Umbrellas were treated with **34** to make them waterproof, improving their usefulness.

Practical Enhancements

Originally, umbrellas were designed to protect the **35**..... from various elements

- Early umbrellas resembled big **36**..... providing extensive coverage.
- Umbrellas were often used with **37**..... especially in cold or wet climates.
- The introduction of **38**..... in the 1850s made umbrellas lighter and more durable.
- In England, umbrella frames began to be made with **39**....., enhancing their durability.
- In Germany, the shift to using **40**..... for umbrellas improved their functionality and popularity.