

Test 3

Questions 1–8

Complete the table below.

Choose **ONE WORD ONLY** from the passage for each answer.

Write your answers in boxes 1–8 on your answer sheet.

THE COCONUT PALM		
Part	Description	Uses
trunk	up to 30 metres	timber for houses and the making of 1
leaves	up to 6 metres long	to make brushes
flowers	at the top of the trunk	stems provide sap, used as a drink or a source of 2
fruits	outer layer	
	middle layer (coir fibres)	used for 3, etc.
	inner layer (shell)	a source of 4 (when halved) for 5
	coconut water	a drink a source of 6 for other plants
	coconut flesh	oil and milk for cooking and 7 glycerine (an ingredient in 8)

Questions 9–13

Do the following statements agree with the information given in Reading Passage 1?

In boxes 9–13 on your answer sheet, write

TRUE if the statement agrees with the information
FALSE if the statement contradicts the information
NOT GIVEN if there is no information on this

- 9 Coconut seeds need shade in order to germinate.
- 10 Coconuts were probably transported to Asia from America in the 16th century.
- 11 Coconuts found on the west coast of America were a different type from those found on the east coast.
- 12 All the coconuts found in Asia are cultivated varieties.
- 13 Coconuts are cultivated in different ways in America and the Pacific.