



KEY ENGLISH TEST

Reading and Writing

0085/1

SAMPLE TEST 2

PRINT VERSION OF BRAILLE PAPER

TIME 1 hour 10 minutes plus your additional time allowance

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Check your name is on your answer sheet

Read the instructions for each part of the paper carefully.

Answer **all** the questions.

Write your answers on your answer sheet.

INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

There are nine parts to the test.

Questions **1 – 55** carry one mark.

Question **56** carries five marks.

Part 1

Questions 1 – 5

Which notice, A – H says this, 1 – 5?

For questions 1 – 5, write the correct letter A – H on your answer sheet.

The notices follow the questions.

Example:

0 You can eat here in the mornings.

Answer: F

QUESTIONS 1 – 5

- 1 You should not swim here.
- 2 You must not drive fast here.
- 3 You can play football here after lessons.
- 4 It is cheaper to buy things today than tomorrow.
- 5 You can drive here next week.

NOTICES A – H

- A SLOW! DANGEROUS CROSSROADS
- B SWIMMING POOL – OPEN AFTERNOONS – ADULTS £2.50 – CHILDREN £1.00
- C HALF PRICE FOOTBALL SHIRTS – SALE MUST END THIS AFTERNOON
- D POLICE CARS ONLY
- E DANGER – Do not go into the water
- F Breakfast Served 7.00am. – 10.00am.
- G ROAD CLOSED UNTIL MIDNIGHT SUNDAY
- H SCHOOL SPORTS CLUB – NOW OPEN IN THE EVENINGS!

Part 2

Questions 6 – 10

Read the sentences about going camping.
Choose the best word, A, B or C, for each space.

For questions 6 – 10, write A, B or C on your answer sheet.

Example:

0 Adrian and Martin their school holiday last week.

A opened B joined C began

Answer: C

6 They to go camping for their holiday.

A decided B thought C felt

7 They wanted to somewhere near the sea.

A stand B put C stay

8 It three hours to drive to the campsite.

A had B took C got

9 They put their tent in a of the field.

A centre B corner C back

10 They some postcards to their friends.

A bought B chose C sent

Part 3

Questions 11 – 15

Complete the five conversations.

For questions 11 – 15, write A, B or C on your answer sheet.

Example:

0 Where do you come from?

A New York

B School

C Home

Answer: A

11 I'm sorry we don't have your size.

A What a pity!

B I hope so.

C I'll take it.

12 How long are you going to stay in Bangkok?

A For another three weeks.

B For the last three weeks.

C It took three weeks.

13 See you tomorrow

A That's all right.

B I can't see.

C Don't be late.

14 Can I leave early?

A Before 4.30.

B Yes, that's fine.

C Not at all.

15 I don't like this programme.

A I'll turn it on.

B Let's turn it off then.

C You didn't take it off.

Questions 16 – 20

Complete the conversation between two friends.
What does Anita say to Kim?

For questions 16 – 20, write the correct letter A – H on your answer sheet.

Anita's answers are on page 6.

Example:

Kim: What are you going to do at the weekend, Anita?

Anita: Answer: H
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Kim: Well, I'm going to go to London. Would you like to come as well?

Anita: 16

Kim: Yes. I need to study on Sunday. Great! It'll be good to go together.

Anita: 17

Kim: First, I'd like to go shopping.

Anita: 18

Kim: Oh, I can help you choose them. Is there anything else you want to do?

Anita: 19

Kim: OK. There's a good one in Oxford Road. It always has the newest films.

Anita: 20

Kim: I'm not sure, but I'll phone and ask. I know we'll have a good day.

ANITA'S ANSWERS A – H

- A Me, too. I need some books for school and a pair of shoes.
- B Yes, I have to work on Saturday.
- C I'd love to. I suppose you want to go on Saturday?
- D Fine. Do we need to book tickets?
- E I have some money for a new jacket.
- F What do you want to do there?
- G Yes, I'd like to go to a cinema afterwards.
- H I don't know.

Part 4

Questions 21 – 27

Read the article about a sailing trip.

Are sentences 21 – 27 'Right' A or 'Wrong' B?

If there is not enough information to answer 'Right' A or 'Wrong' B, choose 'Doesn't say' C.

For questions 21 – 27, write A, B or C on your answer sheet.

Here is an example, 0.

Example:

0 Before their trip, Jonathan and Claire Spencer spent a lot of time working.

A Right B Wrong C Doesn't say

Answer: A

Round the World

Jonathan and Claire Spencer both had very busy jobs and didn't have enough time to spend with their young children. They wanted to change this and, because their hobby was boats, they decided to sail round the world together.

It took six years to prepare everything for the trip. First, they bought a new boat. Then, both adults had to take advanced sailing lessons and learn all about the sea and the weather. Jonathan also did several courses in repairing engines and Claire spent an hour in a restaurant learning to cut up fish.

In October, they took a one-year break from their jobs and sailed away from England with their two children. The next year, in August, their long journey ended in Australia.

The boat was quite small, but Jonathan and Claire took a teacher for the children with them. None of them found the trip boring because there were three computers, many CDs, a television and a DVD player on the boat.

The family loved being at sea and seeing the stars in the sky. But, most of all, Jonathan and Claire enjoyed spending time with their children while they were still young.

- 21 The Spencers were soon ready to travel round the world.
A Right B Wrong C Doesn't say
- 22 Jonathan learnt to do the work of a mechanic.
A Right B Wrong C Doesn't say
- 23 Claire knew a lot about cooking before the trip started.
A Right B Wrong C Doesn't say
- 24 The trip took longer than twelve months.
A Right B Wrong C Doesn't say
- 25 When the trip ended, Jonathan and Claire decided to stay in Australia.
A Right B Wrong C Doesn't say
- 26 There was a lot for the children to do on the boat.
A Right B Wrong C Doesn't say
- 27 For Jonathan and Claire, the best part of the trip was being with their family.
A Right B Wrong C Doesn't say

Part 5

Questions 28 – 35

Read the article about penguins.

Choose the best word (A, B or C) for each space.

For questions 28 – 35, write A, B or C on your answer sheet.

The words for spaces 28 – 35 are on page 10.

The first space 0 is an example. The answer is B.

Example:

0 A is B are C be

Answer: B

PENGUINS

There 0 seventeen different types of penguins. They can be 28 forty centimetres to more than one metre tall. They all 29 in the south part of the world. In winter, they swim 30 long way to find warmer weather.

In spring, 31 penguins come together on the beaches of Antarctica. The female penguin has one or two eggs. She puts 32 eggs on the ground and sits there to keep 33 warm. But she doesn't sit all the time because penguins can move with one egg between their legs.

34 the female penguin is sitting on the eggs, the male penguin brings her food. He also 35 this after the baby penguins are born.

WORDS FOR SPACES 28 – 35

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|----|---|-------|---|------|---|---------|
| 28 | A | from | B | by | C | between |
| 29 | A | lives | B | live | C | lived |
| 30 | A | one | B | the | C | a |
| 31 | A | lots | B | much | C | many |
| 32 | A | her | B | hers | C | she |
| 33 | A | it | B | them | C | their |
| 34 | A | When | B | How | C | Who |
| 35 | A | does | B | do | C | doing |

Part 6

Questions 36 – 40

Read the descriptions of some words about families.
What is the word for each one?

The first letter is already there. There is one hyphen for each other letter in the word.

For questions 36 – 40, write the words on your answer sheet.

Here is an example, 0

Example:

0 This person is your father's or mother's sister.
a _ _ _

Answer: a u n t

36 A married man is called this by his wife.
h _ _ _ _ _

37 You can learn from these people in your family because they are much older than you.
g _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _

38 This is what you are before you get married.
s _ _ _ _ _

39 If you have any children, the girl is called this.
d _ _ _ _ _ _

40 This is written on your passport and is usually the same for one family.
s _ _ _ _ _

Part 7
Questions 41 – 50

Complete the email.
Write ONE word for each space, 41 - 50

For questions 41 – 50 write the words on your answer sheet.

The first space, 0, is an example. The answer is *has*.

EMAIL

From: Jessie
To: Carmen

Thanks for your email.

This month 0 *Answer: has* been quite boring for me. I haven't had the time to do any
41 the things I like. Our new teacher gives us too 42 homework and the
weather's been terrible 43 the weekends. I haven't played tennis 44 three
weeks now! But 45 is some good news! I can come and stay 46 you in the
summer. Mum and Dad have said yes! I 47 so pleased.

The best time for me is 48 second half of July. 49 this okay? Please ask 50
..... mum and dad and email me back. Then I can get my plane ticket.

Part 8
Questions 51 – 55

Read the advertisement and the email.
Fill in the information in Sam's notes.

For questions 51 – 55 write the information on your answer sheet.

ADVERTISEMENT

EASTON HALL
CONCERTS IN THE PARK

17 June: MYRA
Tickets:
£12.50
£11.00 students

24 June: SONEX
Tickets:
£10.00
£8.50 students

EMAIL

From: Helena
To: Sam

Can you book two tickets – one each – for a concert at Easton Hall? I'm busy on 24 June - it'll have to be the weekend before. Remember we get in cheaper because we're at university. We won't need any food, but it may get cold so bring a jacket.

SAM'S NOTES

CONCERT

Place:		Easton Hall
Date:	51	_____
Name of Band:	52	_____
Number of tickets:	53	_____
Price of my ticket:	54	£ _____
Take:	55	_____

Part 9

Question 56

You have started going to a new sports club. Write an email to your English friend, Pat.

Tell Pat:

- where the club is
- what sport you do there
- how much it costs.

Write 25 – 35 words.

Write the email on your answer sheet.

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