Cambridge Primary Progression Test

Question paper



Duration **35 minutes**

English as a Second Language

Stage 5

Name

Read the instructions for each part of the paper carefully.

Answer all the questions.

Give your answers on the paper.

There are 37 questions on this paper.

Each question is worth one mark.



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Questions 1-5

Read the sentences about cooking. Choose the best word **(A, B** or **C)** for each space.

For questions 1 – 5 circle A, B or C.



Example:

- **0** I like to my mother in the kitchen.
 - **A** work
- **B**) help
- **C** stay
- 1 My mother often asks me to up the vegetables for her.
 - A cut
- **B** make
- C put
- **2** Everybody in our family fish to meat.
 - **A** enjoys
- **B** likes
- C prefers
- 3 Once, I forgot the cooker was hot and my hand.
 - A boiled
- **B** burnt
- C fried
- 4 Cooking a good meal can a long time.
 - A spend
- **B** use
- **C** take
- 5 At the supermarket, some food like pizza is to cook.
 - **A** right
- **B** ready
- **C** free

Questions 6 - 10

Complete the telephone conversation between two friends. What does Jennifer say to Lily?

For questions 6 – 10 write the correct letter A-H.

Lily: Hi Jennifer, it will be lovely to see you

on Friday.

Jennifer: 0B.....

Lily: What time is your train?

Jennifer: 6

Lily: OK. I'll meet you. Would you like

to go out that evening?

Jennifer: 7

Lily: If you want to. Then on Saturday we

can go to the new shopping centre.

Jennifer: 8

Lily: And in the evening we can go to

Oliver's party.

Jennifer: 9

Lily: Oh anything. It doesn't matter.

Jennifer: 10

Lily: Yes. It's a good place for a party.

See you Friday, then.

- A I have to go home at 6 o'clock.
- **B** Yes, I haven't seen you for so long.
- C I've heard it's really big.
- **D** Is he still living in the same house?
- E It should arrive early afternoon.
- **F** How long will we stay with him there?
- **G** I think I'll be tired. Shall we just stay at home?
- **H** Great! What should I bring to wear?

Questions 11 - 18

For questions 11 – 18 read the text below and circle the correct word for each space.

Ancient Egyptians

It is very interesting to study the time ... **(0)**... the Ancient Egyptians. The first Ancient Egyptians lived over four thousand years ... **(11)** They were farmers ... **(12)** ... lived near the River Nile and used water ... **(13)** ... the river to help them grow food.

These Egyptians had a king called a pharaoh. When some pharaohs died, they ... (14) ... buried inside very large pyramids. ... (15) ... pyramid took at least twenty years to build and there are still about eighty of ... (16) ... in Egypt today.

There is still some ancient writing in the pyramids. Egyptian writing was made up of ... (17) ... of small pictures called hieroglyphics. There were over seven hundred different pictures but, if you know ... (18) ... to do it, they are not too difficult to read.

Example:

| 0 | for | to | of |
|----|------|--------|-------|
| 11 | ago | before | away |
| 12 | they | these | who |
| 13 | by | from | with |
| 14 | have | were | are |
| 15 | Each | Some | Other |
| 16 | it | that | them |
| 17 | lots | lot | many |
| 18 | what | how | why |

Questions 19 - 23

Which notice (A - H) says this (19 - 23)?

For questions 19 – 23, write the correct letter A – H.

Example:

23

• Take food that is good for you to school on this day.

G

19 If you don't join the club, you can still go here.

Some things here are cheaper if you buy them on this day.

21 New members are wanted for the club.

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22 Children cannot go here in the morning.

Children of different ages go to different clubs.

Health club activities for children:
Play Club (3-4 years)
Sports Club (5-11 years)

B Just add milk to this juice to make a healthy drink

C City Swimming pool
Children's hours: 3.00pm - 5.00pm

Today only!
Healthy children's snacks
half price!

D

Highgate Children's Sports Club
Children under 5 years old
join free!

F Please write your name on the list if you want to join the healthy cooking club

Hill Street School

Tuesday is Healthy Lunch Day!

Only healthy food in your lunch box, please!

H Children's Health Club

If you are not a member, do our activities for \$10 a day.

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Questions 24 - 30

Read the article about three famous girls and then answer the questions.

For questions 24 – 30 circle A, B or C.

Alexandra, Ruth and Tara

These girls are young but they are already famous.

Alexandra



Alexandra's parents moved to the United States from Romania when she was a baby. She is only ten now but many people have already paid thousands of dollars for her paintings. "I want to stay at home and paint all day long," says the young artist, "but my parents say I have to go to school until I am eighteen."

Ruth



Ruth from London, England, was taught at home by her father, a computer expert. At the age of ten she went to Oxford University. Now, seven years later, she is the youngest student to become a doctor of mathematics. She is going to teach at a University in North America. "I will be younger than most of my students!" she says.

Tara



Tara is only fourteen years old and 1.4 metres tall, but she has just become the US ice-dance champion. She began iceskating when she was three and always practices every day before and after school. was really lucky to become the champion," she "because I was the youngest and all the other dancers have skated far longer than me. Now, I want to travel. haven't been outside the United States yet!"

Example:

| 0 | Which girl is the youngest? | | Alexandra |
|----|---|---|-----------|
| | | В | Ruth |
| | | С | Tara |
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| | | | |
| 24 | Which girl has already earned a lot of money? | Α | Alexandra |
| | | В | Ruth |
| | | С | Tara |
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| 25 | Which girl didn't go to school with other children? | Α | Alexandra |
| | | В | Ruth |
| | | С | Tara |
| | | | |
| 26 | Which girl was born in the USA? | Α | Alexandra |
| | | В | Ruth |
| | | С | Tara |
| | | | |
| 27 | Which girl left her country when she was very young? | Α | Alexandra |
| | | В | Ruth |
| | | С | Tara |
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| 28 | Which girl was in a competition with older women? | Α | Alexandra |
| | | В | Ruth |
| | | С | Tara |
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| 29 | Which girl says she would prefer not to go to school? | Α | Alexandra |
| | | В | Ruth |
| | | С | Tara |
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| 30 | Which girl will start a new job soon? | Α | Alexandra |
| | | В | Ruth |
| | | С | Tara |
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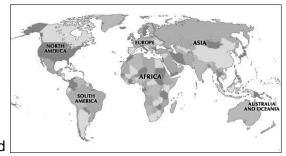
Questions 31 - 37

Read the article about Nick Pearson, who makes travel programmes for television. Are sentences **31 – 37** '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 31 – 37 circle A, B or C.

World Traveller

Nick Pearson loves his work. He's a British actor and he travels around the world making TV programmes. 'People welcome me everywhere I go and when I get home I remember all the wonderful things that happened



in each country.' Nick has travelled to many places but there are a few trips that he would still like to make. 'I'd love to visit South America and go back to Australia one day,' he says.

On each trip, Nick travels with a team of people. They bring the cameras and other filming equipment needed to make the programme. Nick doesn't take a lot of things for himself, just a few shirts and trousers, but he always makes sure he has some books in his suitcase.

Nick's wife, Helen, doesn't mind him travelling for his work. She has a lot of friends and keeps busy. When he gets back, she likes to listen to all his travel stories. But sometimes there are problems. When he was in the Malaysian rain forest, Nick heard that his wife was ill in hospital. 'I felt terrible because I couldn't help, but she didn't want me to come home. I was so happy when I heard she was better.'

| Example: | | | | | | | | | |
|----------|---|--|---------|---------------|----------|------------------|--|--|--|
| 0 | Nick | Nick Pearson enjoys his job. | | | | | | | |
| | A | Right | В | Wrong | С | Doesn't say | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | |
| 31 | Nick | Nick says that people in the places he visits are very friendly. | | | | | | | |
| | Α | Right | В | Wrong | С | Doesn't say | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | |
| 32 | Nick buys something to take home from every country he visits. | | | | | | | | |
| | Α | Right | В | Wrong | С | Doesn't say | | | |
| 33 | On some trips, Nick travels alone. | | | | | | | | |
| 33 | On | orne trips | , INICK | iraveis alori | . | | | | |
| | Α | Right | В | Wrong | С | Doesn't say | | | |
| 34 | There are often problems with the television cameras. | | | | | | | | |
| | Α | Right | В | Wrong | С | Doesn't say | | | |
| 35 | Evo | a, tima Nic | ok ann | owov hor | sooko o | omething to road | | | |
| 33 | 5 Every time Nick goes away, he packs something to read. | | | | | | | | |
| | Α | Right | В | Wrong | С | Doesn't say | | | |
| 36 | Hele | en is unha _l | opy wh | en he's awa | ay from | home. | | | |
| | Α | Right | В | Wrong | С | Doesn't say | | | |

37 When Helen was sick, Nick returned home.

Wrong

С

Doesn't say

В

Α

Right