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Time allowed – TWO hours. (Including listening)

Answer ALL the questions. Check the back page.

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Section W1 (20 marks)
Write a composition of 150-200 words on ONE of the following topics:

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1. Give a description of a computer game or board game you have played.
2. Write a story beginning with, 'When I got off the plane, I couldn't believe what I saw ...'
3. If you could time travel to the past, which time period would you visit and why?
4. Imagine that you are alone at home for the next week. How do you spend your time?

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Section W2 (15 marks)

Marks Awarded

You were supposed to go to a party where you had planned to meet your friend. However, you did not go. Write a letter to your friend.
You should write about 50–70 words.

Either

1. *Apologise to your friend and explain why you didn't go.*

or

2. *Apologise to your friend and suggest another time to meet.*

Please tick the email you have chosen. **Email 1** □
Email 2 □

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Subject:

Message:

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Section R1 (13 marks)
Read the following article and answer all the questions.

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Sidney the Swan

Boat builder Andy Warden has looked after sick animals before, but one in particular has become a true friend. Andy lives on a houseboat and works in a boatyard nearby. One day, Jake Miles, a carpenter and colleague of Andy's, was cutting the grass at work when he saw a baby swan, or *cygnet*. It was hiding under a bush between two of the boat buildings. It had been attacked by a cat and had a badly-injured neck.

Jake brought the swan to Andy, who decided to look after it until it was well enough to survive on its own. He named the swan Sidney. Andy had experience of looking after animals like dogs and cats but he had to do some research into swans because he had never expected to take care of one. He read that bread is unsuitable for swans. Therefore, he fed Sidney lettuce and potatoes, but his preferred snack was peas. Andy also gave him cushions to sleep on.

Andy learned that cygnets were often the target of large birds, so he didn't want to keep Sidney anywhere on the boat where he might be attacked. Andy decided to make a nice box for Sidney in the cabin. However, Sidney struggled and refused to stay in it, so he spent most of his time on Andy's shoulder as Andy stood at the back, steering the boat.

As Sidney got older, Andy worried that he wasn't socialising with other swans. Therefore, he gave Sidney to an animal charity where he would be protected and could spend time with his species. However, after a couple of months, the charity gave Sidney back to Andy, saying the swan seemed anxious and wanted to return to its owner. Although Andy knows that the charity is excellent at looking after swans, he was glad to have his friend back. Now they spend all their time together.

In questions 1-3, please answer in complete sentences. (2 marks each)

1. What had happened to Sidney when he was found?

2. What different food did Andy feed Sidney?

3. Why did Andy give Sidney to the animal charity?

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Marks Awarded

For questions 4-8, tick (✓) the box. (1 mark each)

4. Sidney was found in the boatyard.

True ☐ False ☐

5. Andy had looked after swans before.

True ☐ False ☐

6. Who found Sidney?

A a carpenter
B a builder
C a gardener

A ☐ B ☐ C ☐

7. Where on the boat did Sidney prefer to be?

A in the open at the front
B with Andy at the steering wheel
C in a special box in the cabin

A ☐ B ☐ C ☐

8. Why did the charity give Sidney back to Andy?

A Andy asked for him back.
B Sidney seemed unhappy without Andy.
C The charity could not look after him well.

A ☐ B ☐ C ☐

Write the words in the box. (1 mark each)

9. Find the word in the passage which means the **OPPOSITE** of:

calm (paragraph 4) ☐

10. Find the word in the passage which means the **SAME** as:

favourite (paragraph 2) ☐

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Section R2 (7 marks)

Read the five short texts below, which are all messages. Choose from the texts (A to E) and complete the answer grid. The texts may be chosen more than once. One has been done for you as an example.

Marks Awarded

A. Thank you for inviting me to come for an interview at The Foghorn. It is a great local newspaper and I was excited to apply. However, I will not be attending the interview. I have found alternative employment in the time since I applied. I hope this is not too disappointing for you, and again, thank you for the offer.

B. I know I said today that I would come to your house on Friday but I have just remembered that I am going to a family dinner then. Could I come on a different day, maybe next Friday, instead? Sorry about that, I forget things very easily! I hope I can come round soon as it has been a long time. I have wanted to for a while and I especially want to play with your dog!

C. I'm doing our maths homework and I wrote down all the information I needed for it on a piece of paper in class. I lost the piece of paper but remember everything except when the homework should be handed in. Do you know when it is? I don't want to get the date wrong again – last time Mrs. Wormwood was angry with me for not doing my homework on time. Have you done it already? I could use some help with it, too, as I'm finding it really hard.

D. As discussed on the phone, your appointment will be at 1.45 pm on Friday 12th September. Please take this letter with you to the appointment. If you have any questions, please call our switchboard on 09775673554. Please arrive 15 minutes early to check into the hospital reception and make sure you know where you are going. It would be a good idea to bring money for prescriptions and refreshments.

E. I am looking for a guitar teacher and my friend Sam mentioned you to me. I am enthusiastic and really want to learn. Could you let me know how much you charge and if you teach at weekends? I have my own guitar. You can email me at anna@megamail.com and we can discuss details and arrange a time!

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Which message, A, B, C, D or E, is from someone who

has forgotten an important date?	**e.g.**	**C**
wants to learn a new skill?	**1**	
has just got a new job?	**2**	
is confirming a meeting?	**3**	
is rejecting an offer?	**4**	
is looking forward to something?	**5**	
is having difficulty with some work?	**6**	
is rearranging plans?	**7**	

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Section R3 (20 marks)
Choose the correct answer for each sentence and tick the box.

Marks Awarded

Example:

My phone rang while I _____*was sitting*_____ in class.

✓	**A was sitting**		**B am sitting**		**C will sit**		**D have sat**

1. I would have been upset if they _____ invited me.

	A wouldn't		B haven't had		C wouldn't have		D hadn't

2. Read your phone contract carefully before _____ it.

	A to sign		B signing		C have signed		D sign

3. She's the person _____ name I can never remember.

	A which		B that		C whose		D who

4. The climbers were _____ by helicopter last night.

	A rescuing		B rescued		C rescues		D to rescue

5. He has been doing the same job _____ he left school.

	A since		B for		C when		D then

6. That town is famous _____ its architecture.

	A about		B by		C for		D to

7. I _____ to Australia if I could afford it.

	A had gone		B will go		C would go		D am going

8. You've known Freda for a long time, _____

	A do you?		B haven't you?		C are you?		D didn't you?

9. We had our windows _____ by professionals last week.

	A cleaned		B cleaning		C to clean		D clean

10. We had to go to school _____ of the snow.

	A although		B in spite		C in order		D however

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Section W3 (10 marks)

Marks Awarded

Rewrite the sentences to give the same meaning as the original. The beginning of the sentence has been provided. Also use the word in brackets. Do not change it in any way. Other changes to the sentence will be necessary. Rewrite all direct speech as reported speech.

Example:

Mina isn't as interested in football as Fatima. (more)

Fatima is more interested in football than Mina.

1. 'I'm going to visit David next week,' said Phil. (he)

Phil said

2. A celebrity gave £10,000 to the charity. (by)

The charity

3. The grass isn't dry enough to walk on. (too)

The grass

4. The cake was so big that we couldn't eat it all. (such)

It

5. No building in the world is taller than the Burj Khalifa in Dubai. (tallest)

The Burj Khalifa

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Section R4 (10 marks)
Complete the sentences with the correct form of the word in brackets.
Write ONE WORD ONLY on the line.

Marks Awarded

Example:

A _____British_____ couple have just sailed around the world. (Britain)

1. The trip _____ takes five or six hours. (usual)

2. This designer bag was cheap because it was damaged and _____. (perfect)

3. There is a _____ restaurant at the end of this road. (Turkey)

4. I thought the programme on the Romans was very _____. (bore)

5. Gugliemo Marconi was the _____ of the radio. (invent)

6. Jona is the person who is wearing the _____ apron. (stripe)

7. The teacher told us the _____ of each word in the sentence. (mean)

8. The _____ put the money in his bag and ran away. (rob)

9. She received the _____ to the party before anyone else. (invite)

10. There was paper all over the floor, making the room look very _____. (tidy)

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Section W4 (5 marks)

In each sentence, there are two verbs. One of the verbs can be changed for the phrasal verb given in brackets. Rewrite each sentence using the phrasal verb given. Change the form of the phrasal verb where necessary. There are two examples.

Marks Awarded

Example 1:

He soon recovered from the flu and returned to school the next week. **(get over)**

He soon got over the flu and returned to school the next week.

Example 2:

John jumped when the fire alarm rang in his office. **(go off)**

John jumped when the fire alarm went off in his office.

1. He did not like his boss so he found another job. (get on with)

2. Someone broke the car window and escaped with her handbag. (make off)

3. Ian left for the airport at 06.00 and arrived in good time. (set off)

4. The babysitter watched the children until the parents came home. (take care of)

5. Max disappointed Mike when he cancelled their appointment. (let down)

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