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Answer ALL the questions. Check the back page.

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Use a blue or black PEN in the spaces provided.

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

Marks Awarded

1. What can you see from your bedroom window? Describe the view.
2. Imagine you are internationally famous. What is your life like?
3. Write a story beginning with the words 'I suddenly heard a very loud noise.'
4. Imagine you could only study one subject at school. Which subject would you choose and why?

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Section W2 (15 marks)

Your friend has invited you to his/her birthday party. Write an email to your friend on one of the following topics. You should write about 50-70 words.

Either

1. *Thank your friend for the invitation and say why you are looking forward to the party.*

OR

2. *Thank your friend for the invitation and say why you cannot attend.*

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

From:

Subject:

Message:

Marks Awarded

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

Marks Awarded

A Sewing Service

As a young student in London, Josephine Philips preferred to buy previously-owned, or second-hand, clothes rather than new ones. However, the clothes she liked were often the wrong size or needed repairing. She didn't have any sewing experience, and found local services inconvenient. This gave Josephine an idea for a business that would repair clothes using a service accessed through an app on a smartphone. She began building the business as soon as she graduated from university. Customers enter their location and details of the work they need into the app. The app selects a local sewer, or 'seamstress', who has signed up their services. Due to the number of cars in London, clothing is collected and delivered to the sewer by bicycle.

The app was immediately popular with people of Josephine's generation. According to online comments, many of them *could* sew but didn't *want* to. Josephine knew people her age often use apps to order food or taxis and thinks this is the secret to the success of the business. The service offers all sorts of repairs including major resizing and redesigning, but is most popular for mending minor holes and tears in treasured items, which are often not even second-hand themselves. Customers are pleased that clothes are collected within a day of booking the service, and returned within just five days.

Josephine thinks her youth has given her a business advantage. She is full of energy and ready to learn, and older people have been happy to teach her about the fashion industry for free. She says that being brave enough to start was the most difficult, and that it has got easier and more fun since then. Josephine's app is still quite new, and customers seem happy with the simple service it provides. Only residents of London can make use of the app for now, but she intends to start providing the service in other cities soon.

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

1. What was Josephine doing before she invented the service?

2. How are the clothes transported between the customer and the sewer?

3. How long must a customer wait for their clothes to be repaired?

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Marks Awarded

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

4. Josephine has been repairing her own clothes for years.

True ☐ False ☐

5. The service is mainly used for small repairs.

True ☐ False ☐

6. Josephine thinks the service is popular with young people because

A most of them cannot sew.
B they are used to similar services.
C they often buy second-hand clothes.

A ☐ B ☐ C ☐

7. What did Josephine say was the hardest part about her business at first?

A being afraid to begin her own business
B being too young and inexperienced
C finding enough experts to learn from

A ☐ B ☐ C ☐

8. What does Josephine plan to do next?

A expand the service to other areas
B add more functions to the app
C start a new business

A ☐ B ☐ C ☐

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

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

easy to use (paragraph 1) ☐

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

loved (paragraph 2) ☐

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Section R2 (7 marks)

Read the five short texts below, which are all customer reviews of restaurants. 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. This was my first visit to this restaurant since it reopened. It used to sell typical fast food, but now specialises in a range of Indian dishes, with mild or hot curries to suit all tastes. A couple of good-sized rooms with round tables mean big groups can eat separately from the other guests, which is great. The only disadvantage is that the prices were a little too high in my view.

B. This café and restaurant is located on the edge of the village and is surrounded by beautiful countryside. Customers can choose to enjoy their meals in the pretty garden, where it is possible to see the sea in the distance on a clear day. I had some soup which was very tasty and a huge slice of chocolate cake, which I really enjoyed!

C. We had a lovely meal at this restaurant in the town centre. The food was good, especially the kids' menu which had sausages, pizzas and an excellent selection of ice creams. The adults enjoyed it too, and there were some great offers on main meals, so when the bill came we were pleasantly surprised! As we live in the local area, we'll be back again soon.

D. If you are looking for somewhere to celebrate a special anniversary or birthday, I would recommend this restaurant. The food is excellent, with meat supplied by the farm down the road, and vegetables and herbs from the restaurant's own garden. It isn't cheap, but it is high quality. There are only a few tables in the small dining area, so you need to book at least a week before your visit.

E. This restaurant has been in the town for several years and has always been a very popular place to go. They still serve a range of traditional and international food, and the pizzas are now available for takeaway – they will deliver to customers in the local area. Unfortunately the outdoor eating area was replaced with a car park last year, but the dining area inside is nicely decorated.

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Marks Awarded

Which restaurant, A, B, C, D or E, is suitable for someone who

has young children?	**e.g.**	**C**
likes to eat food from the local area?	**1**	
wants to book a large private event?	**2**	
doesn't want to spend too much?	**3**	
would like to eat outside?	**4**	
wants to order food to eat at home?	**5**	
enjoys eating spicy food?	**6**	
wants to eat in a place with nice views?	**7**	

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Section R3 (20 marks)

Choose the correct answer for each sentence and tick the box.

Marks Awarded

Example:

After _____*finishing*_____ her homework, Meena watched TV.

☐ **A finish** ☑ **B finishing** ☐ **C finishes** ☐ **D finished**

1. Is that the teacher _____ taught you to speak French?

☐ A what ☐ B whose ☐ C who ☐ D where

2. That book was _____ by someone I know.

☐ A write ☐ B written ☐ C wrote ☐ D writing

3. Amal has been doing his job _____ over five years.

☐ A for ☐ B since ☐ C during ☐ D in

4. If you _____ me about the party, I would have gone.

☐ A will tell ☐ B were telling ☐ C have told ☐ D had told

5. Yours is _____ car in the car park.

☐ A the dirtiest ☐ B really dirty ☐ C so much dirt ☐ D dirtier than

6. Laila's phone rang while she _____.

☐ A is sleeping ☐ B would sleep ☐ C was sleeping ☐ D has slept

7. Carlos takes _____ his father in his interests and hobbies.

☐ A off ☐ B after ☐ C under ☐ D over

8. We've never seen that film, _____

☐ A will we? ☐ B are we? ☐ C did we? ☐ D have we?

9. I'm having my laptop _____ tomorrow.

☐ A repairing ☐ B repaired ☐ C repair ☐ D to repair

10. As soon as the rain stops, we _____ for a walk.

☐ A will go ☐ B would go ☐ C went ☐ D have gone

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Section W3 (10 marks)

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.

Marks Awarded

Example:

This T-shirt is too small for me. **(big)**

This T-shirt is not big enough for me.

1. Jan's painting is more beautiful than the other paintings in the gallery. (most)

Jan's painting

2. The film was so good that we watched it twice. (such)

It

3. The gardener will paint the fence at the weekend. (by)

The fence

4. 'I finish my lessons at 3 pm,' Yasmin said. (she)

Yasmin said

5. Our dog runs faster than our cat. (as)

Our cat

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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:

We had an unexpected _____visitor_____ today. **(visit)**

1. I'm very _____ about going on holiday. (excite)

2. Driving too quickly on this road is _____. (danger)

3. I don't _____ eat fruit for breakfast, but I did today. (usual)

4. Can you give me some _____ about the club? (inform)

5. Your desk is so _____! There are books and pens everywhere! (tidy)

6. I think my favourite food is _____ food. (Greece)

7. He's just not _____ in football. He prefers doing other activities. (interest)

8. I really love your _____ trousers. (stripe)

9. Alex has started working as a _____. (build)

10. My friend won the race _____. She's very fast. (easy)

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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:

The thieves stole £10,000 and the police are investigating the crime. **(look into)**

The thieves stole £10,000 and the police are looking into the crime.

Example 2:

She stopped her dance lessons because she was too busy with work. **(give up)**

She gave up her dance lessons because she was too busy with work.

1. The children couldn't sleep so I invented a story for them. (make up)

2. I found some old photos while I was tidying the cupboard. (come across)

3. We packed our suitcases and left just before 10 am. (set off)

4. Jacob missed the meeting last week, but today he arrived on time. (turn up)

5. The singer feels unwell so she has delayed the concert. (put off)

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