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Pre-Intermediate Level

Reading and Writing Examination

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Answer ALL the questions. Check the back page.



Use a black PEN. Do **NOT** use a pencil.



You must **NOT** bring paper or books into the examination.



Do **NOT** use correcting fluid. If you make a mistake, please cross out your answer neatly.



Time allowed – TWO hours. (Including listening)

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Each of the sections carries the following number of marks:

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Section W1 (20 marks)
*Write a composition of 120-150 words on **ONE** of the following topics:*

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1. A bad day
2. A day in the life of a farmer
3. The most useful thing I own
4. Write a story which begins with, 'I watched their car drive away.'

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A__

R__

T__

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Section W2 (10 marks)

You are on holiday at the beach for two weeks. It is summer. Write a message to a friend. Tell him/her about your holiday. Write at least 60 words.

Marks Awarded

Hi,

A__

T__

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

Marks Awarded

The Tallest Cat in the World

Will Powers from Michigan, USA, has an unusual pet: a Savannah cat called Fenrir. At 46 centimetres tall, this is the world's tallest living *domestic* cat. *Domestic* means that the cat lives as a pet, not in the wild. The average domestic cat is 23 centimetres, meaning Will's cat is twice this height. Will brought Fenrir home 12 weeks after he was born, and says he reached this record size in the first two years of his life.

Will works as a doctor in a medical centre next to his house. One day, Fenrir came into the centre. Will noticed that his patients seemed to relax, so Will decided to bring him in *every* day. Fenrir always lies near Will's desk, warming himself on a sunny shelf by the window. He sometimes tries to jump into empty boxes, but never fits, which seems to annoy him.

Three of Will's other cats are also large. They are fed a diet of cooked *and* uncooked meat. Will thinks it is this, rather than their family biology, which makes them unusual. The cats spend most of their time in a garden where they have space to exercise.

According to Will, Fenrir behaves just like other cats and looking after him is usually no more effort. However, Fenrir is big enough to stand on two legs and open the door, meaning he can leave the house, so Will is now careful to keep it locked. Will also supports a local children's charity. He asks people to pay a small amount of money to meet his amazing cats and then he posts pictures of them online.

For questions 1–3, please answer in complete sentences. (2 marks each)

1. How tall is Fenrir?

2. How does Fenrir help Will at his work?

3. How has Fenrir been a problem recently?

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Marks Awarded

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

4. Will Powers owns other cats.

True ☐ False ☐

5. Will first got Fenrir when the cat was two years old.

True ☐ False ☐

6. Where does Fenrir mostly relax at Will's work?

A on a shelf
B on a desk
C in a box

A ☐ B ☐ C ☐

7. Will thinks his cats are so big because of

A their environment.
B the food they are given.
C the family they came from.

A ☐ B ☐ C ☐

8. Will supports a charity which helps

A cats.
B children.
C an online 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:

please (paragraph 2) ☐

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

work (paragraph 4) ☐

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Section R2 (7 marks)

Read the three advertisements for bike shops and answer the questions. For each question, choose the correct bike shop, A, B or C. You might need to choose each bike shop more than once.

Marks Awarded

A

Alderhay Bike Centre

9 am - 9 pm, Monday - Friday

A variety of bikes for everyone – from aged 3 to 103!

Expert sales help inside our centre

Over 300 types of bike available

We can help find a repair shop too!

Get all the equipment you need for your bike.

City centre location. Nearest car park: Betley Street. 2-minute walk

Please call 0781196705.

B

Betterprice Sports Bikes Store

Open 7 days a week, 10 am – 4 pm

We sell adult bikes for sports racing.

Talk to our special sports team online.

Choose from more than 150 models.

Broken bike? We can fix it here!

Sports bags on sale

15-minute walk from train station - no parking on site

Online service: info@betterprice.com

C

Calderwell Bicycle Shop

10 am - 4 pm, closed Friday

Special bikes for young cyclists only

Our support team can help you on Saturday & Sundays.

We have over 100 bicycles to choose from.

We'll buy your old broken bike for cash.

Bike clothing on sale too

Plenty of free parking available

Visit our website: www.calderwell.com

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Marks Awarded

Which bike shop,

Alderhay (A)

Betterprice (B)

Calderwell (C)

.... is open every day?	**example**	**B**
.... sells bikes for all ages?	1	
.... offers advice in store at weekends only?	2	
.... has the most bikes to look at?	3	
.... can repair your bike in the store?	4	
.... sells things to wear?	5	
.... has parking for customers?	6	
.... can be contacted by phone?	7	

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

Marks Awarded

Example

Mandip's mother made him ____*clean*____ his bedroom.

☐ **A to clean** ☑ **B clean** ☐ **C cleaned** ☐ **D cleaning**

1. Raheed likes _____ cricket at the weekend.
   ☐ A play ☐ B playing ☐ C plays ☐ D played

2. If she _____ to cook dinner, would you be happy?
   ☐ A would offer ☐ B offering ☐ C will offer ☐ D offered

3. The computer _____ by the shop assistant.
   ☐ A was checked ☐ B to check ☐ C had checked ☐ D is checking

4. Sarah's parents _____ her drive their car to college one day a week.
   ☐ A lets ☐ B letting ☐ C let ☐ D to let

5. As we were _____ the house, Brandon arrived.
   ☐ A left ☐ B leave ☐ C leaving ☐ D having left

6. I really like going to London and _____ my sister.
   ☐ A so do ☐ B neither do ☐ C neither does ☐ D so does

7. My grandfather would rather _____ Paris than Rome.
   ☐ A visited ☐ B visiting ☐ C visit ☐ D to visit

8. Martha _____ to pay for her tennis lessons this week.
   ☐ A need ☐ B must ☐ C has ☐ D have

9. Ollie passed his driving test last week, _____
   ☐ A don't he? ☐ B doesn't he? ☐ C does he? ☐ D didn't he?

10. That is the man _____ lost his dog and then found it two weeks later.
    ☐ A where ☐ B which ☐ C who ☐ D whose

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Marks Awarded

Section W3 (10 marks)
Change each sentence so that it means the same as the sentence given.
Begin your sentence with the words provided in the box.

Example:

She last went to America in June.

She hasn't been to America since June.

1. The gardener will cut the grass.

The grass

2. The last time they travelled to Scotland was in 2019.

They haven't

3. Moira feeds the dogs twice a day.

The dogs

4. He last wrote in his diary two weeks ago.

He hasn't

5. They stole two paintings from the museum.

Two paintings

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Section W4 (10 marks)
Write the words in the correct order to make a sentence.

Example:

his / ~~Steve~~ / horse / rides / weekend / every

Steve rides his horse every weekend.

1. to / often / **~~She~~** / museums / goes / alone

She

2. done / yet / his / **~~Shahir~~** / hasn't / work

Shahir

3. letters / delivering / still / **~~The~~** / is / the / postman

The

4. since / **~~Paul~~** / house / December / has/ this / lived / in

Paul

5. like / does / **~~Jim~~** / cousin / neither / and / doesn't / golf / his

Jim

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Section R4 (5 marks)
Choose the correct word and tick the box.

Marks Awarded

Example:

Betty thinks maths is a _____*boring*_____ subject.

☐ **A boredom**	☐ **B bored**	☑ **C boring**

1. There was a lot of _____ in the classroom.

☐ A noise	☐ B noisily	☐ C noisy

2. I always try to eat _____ when I am on holiday.

☐ A health	☐ B healthily	☐ C healthy

3. Please be _____ when you open this box.

☐ A careful	☐ B carefully	☐ C care

4. The driver was _____ close to the side of the mountain.

☐ A dangerously	☐ B danger	☐ C dangerous

5. _____ is a feeling that is very normal.

☐ A Angrily	☐ B Angry	☐ C Anger

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Section R5 (5 marks)
Choose the words from the box and write them on the lines.
Use some words more than once.

Marks Awarded

out	down	after	away	on	off

Example:

He took _____off_____ his shoes and lay _____down_____ on the bed.

1. We carried _____ watching the film for two hours before we turned the TV _____ and went to bed.

2. Carol looks _____ her little cousin at the weekends but they never go _____ of the house.

3 Everyone had to sit _____ before the plane could take _____.

4. The fire has gone _____ and it's cold, so I'll put _____ my jacket.

5. Rachel is keen _____ saving some money for her holiday because she is going _____ for five weeks this summer.

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