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Anglia Examinations

ESOL International

Preliminary Level

Reading and Writing Examination

Paper Number: **Sample 2**

Exam Date:

Candidate Instructions:



Make sure you have the correct
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You must **NOT** bring paper or
books into the examination.



Answer ALL the questions.
Check the back page.



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



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



Time allowed – ONE hour and
FIFTEEN minutes.
(Including listening)

INVIGILATOR: PLEASE ENSURE THAT CANDIDATES UNDERSTAND THESE INSTRUCTIONS

Each of the sections carries the following number of marks:

	R1 [10]	R2 [10]	R3 [10]	R4 [10]	R5 [10]	W1 [10]	W2 [10]	W3 [10]	W4 [10]	W5 [10]
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Reading Section [50]

Writing Section [50]

Marker's ID

Hello Patrick,

Today I went for a picnic by the river with my family. My dad and I went fishing. I caught a fish for the first time. It was very exciting but it was a very small fish. I threw it back into the river. My sister, Polly, and my mum went for a bike ride. Polly fell off her bike and hurt her leg.

Our dog, Pip, loves going to the river. He went into the river for a swim. Then he chased the ducks. We gave the ducks some sandwiches and cake. Mum said it was time to go home because we were all tired.

It was a great day!

From Max

Example:

Max went to the river today.

1. Max's fish was very big.
2. Max took his fish home.
3. Max's sister hurt her leg.
4. Max's dog swam in the river.
5. Max's family went home because they were hungry.

True	False
✓	

Section R2 (10 marks)

Read the passage and answer the questions. There is one example.

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Alan's birthday was last week. He was nine years old. His mum and dad bought him a new skateboard. His Uncle Jack bought him a yellow kite and some trainers. On Saturday, Alan played football with his brother, Ben, in the park. After that, Alan's dad took them to the beach. There, they had some sandwiches for lunch and then they flew the kite. They had great fun! Then the boys rode their bikes. Alan's dad drove the boys to a restaurant for dinner. Ben had pizza and a salad. Alan and his dad had spaghetti. They left the restaurant at 10 o'clock and arrived home at 10.15. Alan went to bed at 10.45 because he was tired.

Example:

When was Alan's birthday?

☐

A yesterday

☒

B last week

☐

C Saturday

☐

D last month

1. What was Alan's birthday present from his mum and dad?

☐

A trainers

☐

B a football

☐

C a kite

☐

D a skateboard

2. Where did Alan fly his kite?

☐

A the beach

☐

B the park

☐

C the garden

☐

D the countryside

3. How did they get to the restaurant?

☐

A by bus

☐

B by car

☐

C by bicycle

☐

D by train

4. What did Alan eat in the restaurant?

☐

A pizza

☐

B spaghetti

☐

C salad

☐

D chips

5. What time did Alan go to bed?

☐

A 10.00

☐

B 10.15

☐

C 10.30

☐

D 10.45

10

Section R3 (10 marks)

Choose the correct words and tick the box. There is one example.

Marks
Awarded

Example:

Jack wasn't very hungry.
☐ A weren't ☐ B didn't ☒ C wasn't ☐ D hasn't

1. He went to live in Paris two years _____.
☐ A for ☐ B ever ☐ C ago ☐ D yet
2. I saw _____ elephants at the zoo today.
☐ A much ☐ B some ☐ C any ☐ D very
3. He is the _____ football player in the class.
☐ A nice ☐ B best ☐ C better ☐ D good
4. This is Susan's drink. _____ is in the kitchen.
☐ A You ☐ B Them ☐ C Yours ☐ D My
5. Peter didn't _____ the race.
☐ A win ☐ B won ☐ C winning ☐ D wins
6. I can't _____ the photos on my phone.
☐ A seeing ☐ B saw ☐ C see ☐ D to see
7. The hotel is next _____ the station.
☐ A by ☐ B for ☐ C of ☐ D to
8. Can I borrow your pen? I left _____ at home.
☐ A mine ☐ B me ☐ C your ☐ D their
9. Dad's new car is _____ than his old one.
☐ A big ☐ B bigger ☐ C biggest ☐ D very big
10. He _____ his keys at the sports centre yesterday.
☐ A losing ☐ B lose ☐ C to lose ☐ D lost

Section R4 (10 marks)
Read about a new shop and answer the questions. There is one example.

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The Green Bag

Our new shop is now open on Hatton Road

We sell all kinds of fruit and vegetables

Everything we sell is from local farms

Shop open from 9 am to 5.30

We are open from Tuesday to Sunday – Sorry
– we are *not* open on Monday.

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Telephone- 02768 442 369

e.g.	What is the name of the shop?	The Green Bag
1.	Where is the shop?	
2.	What can you buy in the shop?	
3.	What time does the shop open?	
4.	What day is the shop closed?	
5.	What is the phone number of the shop?	

Section R5 (10 marks)

*Read the following passage. Put the verb in brackets into the past tense **OR** the present tense. There is one example.*

Every summer in the school holidays, Helen ^(example) visits (visit) her Auntie Jo.

Auntie Jo always ⁽¹⁾ _____ (give) Helen some money. Helen usually ⁽²⁾ _____ (buy) some clothes, but last year she wanted to go out for the day with her best friend, Emma.

One day in August, Helen and Emma ⁽³⁾ _____ (go) to the beach. They travelled by bus. Helen ⁽⁴⁾ _____ (swim) in the sea. The water was really warm. Emma ⁽⁵⁾ _____ (sit) on the sand. She ⁽⁶⁾ _____ (read) her book. The sun shone and they were happy. They ⁽⁷⁾ _____ (drink) some water and ⁽⁸⁾ _____ (eat) ice creams because it was very hot. Helen ⁽⁹⁾ _____ (find) a shell. It was pretty and very big. Then, Helen and Emma ⁽¹⁰⁾ _____ (build) a wonderful sandcastle and put the shell on the top.

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Section W1 (10 marks)
Write the questions.

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Awarded

Example:

They go to the cinema every Friday evening.

Do they go to the cinema every Friday evening?

1. The boys are playing in the park.

Are _____?

2. Peter arrived at nine o'clock.

Did _____?

3. She can play the piano.

Can _____?

4. The film started at 8.30.

When _____?

5. Dan plays volleyball on Mondays.

Does _____?

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Section W2 (10 marks)

Answer these questions. Use full sentences. There is one example.

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Example:

What colour is your hair?

My hair is black.

1. How old are you?

2. What is your favourite subject at school?

3. What did you do last weekend?

4. How many brothers and sisters have you got?

5. Where do you live?

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Section W3 (10 marks)

Write five different sentences about My best friend. Remember to use different structures and language in each sentence.

1.

2.

3.

4.

5.

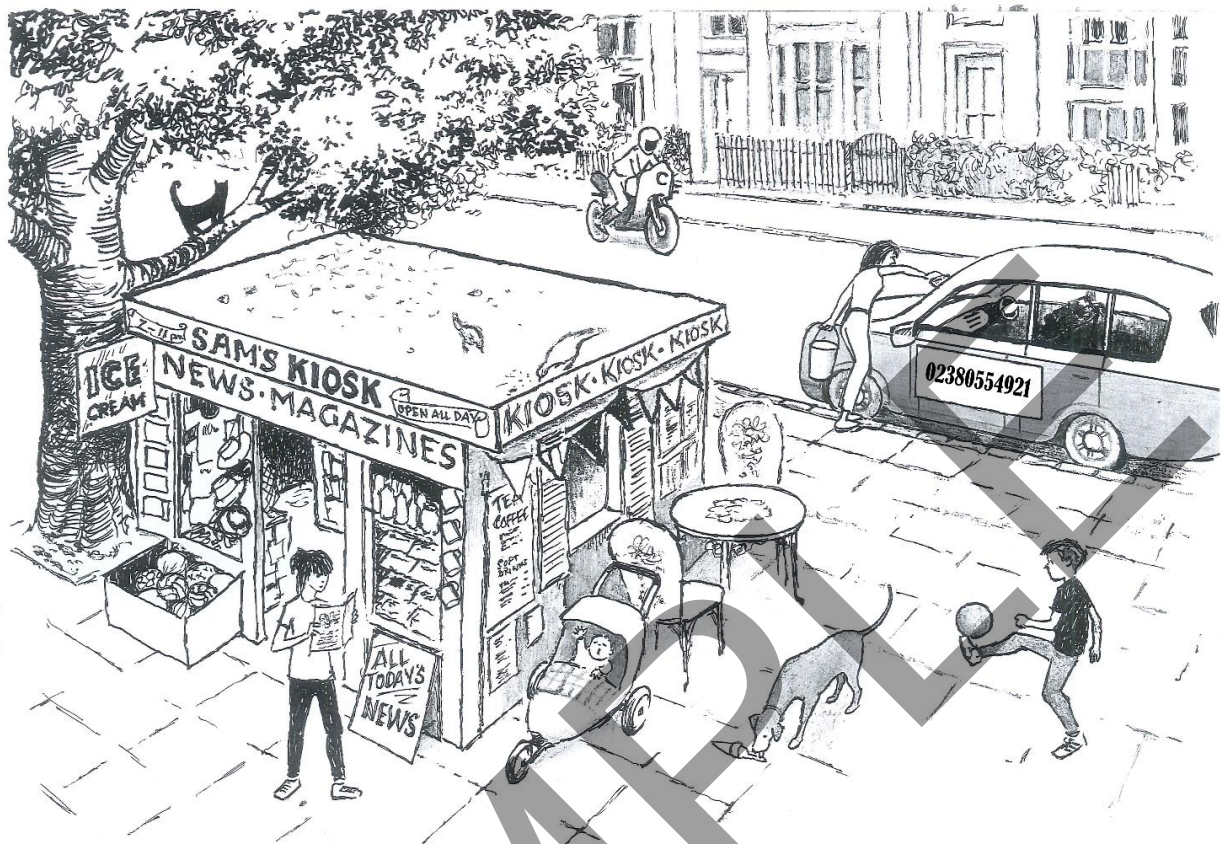
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Section W4 (10 marks)

What is happening in the picture? Write five sentences.

Use one of the words from each box to make a sentence. There is one example.

Marks
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The woman
The man
The boy
The girl
The dog
The cat

climb
clean
read
eat
ride
kick

ball
motorbike
ice cream
tree
car
magazine

Example:

The man is riding a motorbike.

- 1. _____
- 2. _____
- 3. _____
- 4. _____
- 5. _____

Section W5 (10 marks)

Fill in the form.

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First name:	
Surname:	
Age:	
Address:	
What sport do you like playing?	
When do you usually play sport?	
Who do you usually play sport with?	

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