

VOCABULARY 1 (Items 1 – 5)

Complete the text. Use five of the words in the box. Write ONE word in each space.
(There are three extra words in the box.)

business	city	culture	government
pollution	population	taxi	view

Budapest is a **(1)** _____ in Central Europe. It has a **(2)** _____ of over two million people, so it needs to have a good transport system. The **(3)** _____ does not want people to use private cars because they cause air **(4)** _____. So they have developed a public transport system which is one of the best and cheapest in the world. You can travel easily by bus, tram and **(5)** _____.

VOCABULARY 2 (Items 6 – 10)

Complete each sentence. Choose the correct option: **A, B, C** or **D**.

6. She received a _____ for helping the police find the stolen jewels.
A. stamp B. reward C. problem D. magazine
7. He is one of our best players. He _____ three goals in the last game.
A. scored B. showed C. started D. touched
8. Doctors have failed to find the _____ of this disease, so it is very dangerous.
A. empire B. need C. surface D. cause
9. "My boss asked me to _____ all the papers and put them in files."
A. invent B. sort C. cover D. capture
10. "Tourists can visit the national _____ to see these ancient objects."
A. pyramid B. dome C. museum D. valley

Write your answers on your answer paper.

GRAMMAR 2 (Items 6 – 10)

Complete each sentence. Write **ONE WORD only**.

6. Excuse me, _____ far is the post office from here?
7. His new car is bigger and faster _____ the old one.
8. The boys went to the river _____ catch some fish.
9. When we arrived at the beach, it _____ already raining.
10. Alia's only 15 years old. She's _____ young to drive.

GRAMMAR 3 (Items 11 – 15)

Look at the sentences. If the sentence is correct, put a tick (✓).

If the sentence is not correct, write it correctly.

Do not change the meaning of the sentence.

Examples: Ahmed is a nice man. _____ ✓

Salma are a nice woman. Salma is a nice woman.

11. Where do he play? _____
12. These cars are make in Germany. _____
13. Ahmed works at the airport. _____
14. She go to Bahrain last year. _____
15. Her father is a doctor. _____

READING 1 [Items 1 - 4]

Read the text, and then complete the task on page 5.

The Hassan Mosque in Casablanca is the largest mosque in Morocco and in Africa. It was designed by a French architect called Michel Pinaeau. However, it was built by Moroccan architects, craftsmen and workers. Work on the building started in July 1986 and it was officially opened by King Hassan the Second in August 1993.

This huge mosque has space for up to 105,000 people, which makes it the third largest mosque in the world. It has only one minaret, which is the world's tallest at 210 metres. The minaret has a laser light pointing towards Mecca. This light can be seen for miles around both day and night.

The Hassan Mosque has an excellent location, with a wonderful view over the Atlantic Ocean. It has a number of modern features, for example, a gigantic glass floor, on which 25,000 people can say their prayers. The mosque was also built strong enough not to be damaged by earthquakes. It also has a heated floor, electric doors and a sliding roof that can be opened or closed in a few minutes if there is bad weather.

READING 1 (cont'd)

For each question, write a short answer (**not more than THREE WORDS**).

1. What was the nationality of the architect who designed the mosque? _____
2. How long did it take to build the mosque? _____ years
3. How tall is the minaret? _____
4. What is the floor made of? _____

READING 2 (Items 5 – 10)

Read the following two texts. Then, for each item, choose the correct option: **A, B** or **C**.

Text 1

Hi Annie!

Hope everything is going well with you. Sorry for not writing earlier. We moved to Indonesia last month. As you know, my father is a scientist and now he's got a job here. He's doing research on different types of spiders.

We're staying on a small island 1,500 km east of the capital city, Jakarta. Life here is totally different from in England, as we're living in a wooden hut with no electricity and no telephone. I spend my mornings with my father helping him with his research.

By the way, I've met a new friend here. Her name is Tusi, and she's from Japan. Her father is a scientist, too. He's interested in studying volcanoes. They live next to our hut. I didn't like her at first, but after a while we became good friends. Now we spend most of our evenings together, collecting shells and playing table tennis.

Why don't you come and visit me next month? Hope to hear from you soon.

Philip

5. Philip is now living in _____.
A. England B. Japan C. Indonesia
6. His father is interested in _____.
A. volcanoes B. spiders C. shells
7. Philip spends his evenings _____.
A. playing with a friend B. helping his father C. studying for his exams

Text 2

Hi Philip,

It was really nice to hear from you again. It's good to know that you're enjoying yourself in Indonesia. I'm busy studying for my final exams, which will start next month. By the way, our Maths teacher told us that Mr Jenkins had a car accident two weeks and was badly injured. But he's much better now and he'll be back at school soon.

The weather is very cold here as usual. Lucky you, enjoying the warm weather on your Indonesian island! I'm glad to hear that you're working with your father on his research. I know it's what you always wanted, and it will help you with your future studies as a scientist.



By the way, the topic for my final geography presentation is "Spiders in the East". I've started by collecting some pictures, but I still don't have enough material. Can you send me some information about spiders in Indonesia?

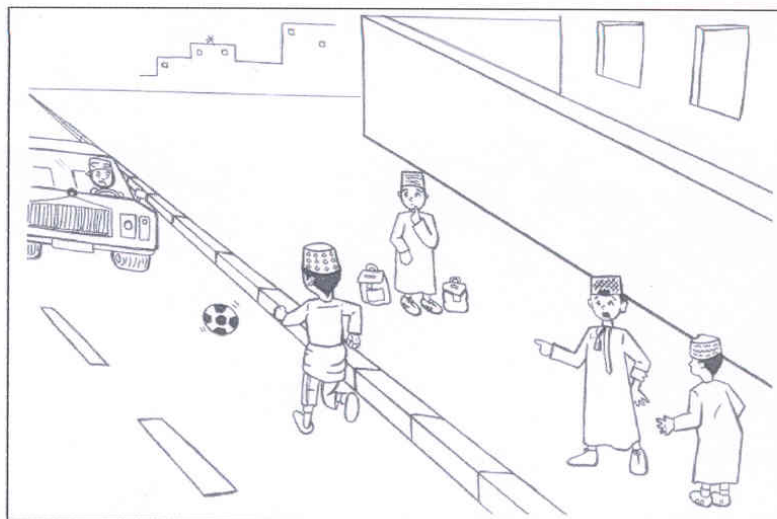
I would love to visit you, but only after finishing my exams!

Hope to hear from you soon. Take care. Bye for now.
Annie

8. Annie is busy _____
A. travelling B. studying C. doing exams
9. Philip is interested in _____
A. science B. geography C. maths
10. Annie wants Philip to send her some _____.
A. information about spiders B. pictures of spiders C. spiders

WRITING 1

Describe and comment on the picture below. Write 20 – 30 words.



WRITING 2

Write at least 75 words about the following topic:

'It is important to be friendly with our neighbours.'
(Do you agree or not? Give your reasons)

Your writing should be clear, well-organised and interesting.

Write your answers on your answer paper.