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**PAKET 6**

Text for questions 1 to 3

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| Shhh … it,s surprise  Come and Join the  Blacknall family  for a BBQ and help them say  “ Bon Voyage” to  Tremese Blacknall  Monday, the second of July,  two thousand thirteen  at six o’clock in the evening  Tremes will be travelling to  Europe for 21 days with the People to People Student  Ambassadors Programme  Shh … It’s A Surprise? |

1. From the text we know that ….

A. the party will be held in the hall of the hotel

B. the party will be held at the end of the year

C. Tremes will go to Europe for a vacation

D. the party will be held at six p.m.

1. Come and join the ……..

What does the underlined word mean?

A. participate

B. complete

C. celebrate

D. contribute

1. Why did writer write the text?

A. to announce about the Tremes’ voyage

B. to invite the reader to come to the party

C.To tell about the Tremes”s vocation

D. To describe about the party

Text for questions 4 to 6

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| ANNOUNCEMENT  English Conversation Club (ECC)  Is opening registration for new members  Join us and improve your English!  Every Thursday from 16.00 to 17.30 at the school hall.  For registration, please contact:  Wayan (VII A)  Annisa (VII B) |

1. Where do they the members have the meeting?

A. At the library

B. At the school hall

C. In the VII B class room

D. In the ECC’s meeting room

1. From the text we can conclude that … .

A. to register we can contact the headmaster

B. the meeting lasts one and a quarter hours

C. the members have meeting in the morning

D. the meeting will be held once a week

1. Why did the writer write the text?

A. to inform about the opening registration for new members of ECC

B. to invite the member to join the meeting

C. to tell how to register the ECC

D. to describe about the ECC

Text for questions 7 to 9

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| Clear Liquid Soap  A delicately balanced formula for all types of skin gently and effectively one’s leaving soft and healthy sensation.  Instruction: Apply to hands. Wash and then rinse with water.  Available in 360ml  Ref No : BB01030D |

1. What does the text tell us about?

A. Clear Liquid Soap

B. How to use liquid Soap

C. The benefits of using the product

D. The way how to get the product

1. What should we use to rinse?

A. Liquid

B. Water

C. Soap

D. Soap and water

1. From the text we can infer that … .

A. the product is a kind of soap

B. the product is for dry skin only

C. we should use the product on our body

D. we should wash and rinse our hands with water before applying the product.

Text for questions 10 to 13

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| Monday, March 4th 2013  Dear Jessica  I’m going to leave for Bandung for a short vocation next Saturday. I have decided to to take an express train from Gubeng Station, Surabaya and stay at the Panghegar Hotel in Bandung for three days.  On the first day I’m going to to take a sightseeing tour around the city. The next day I’m planning to visit Tangkuban Perahu and swim in the warm spring water in Lembang, the northern part of Bandung. I really want to buy some interesting souvenirs there.  On the way back to the hotel, I will go to Dago Hill and enjoy the night life.on the last day I want to take a walk to the park not far from the shopping centers. Do you think the plan sounds great? If you have time, please accompany me during my stay in Bandung.  I hope to see you soon.  Sincerely,  Angela |

1. What does Angela plan to do at Dago Hill?

A. To take a walk

B. To go shopping

C. To visit a hotel

D. to enjoy the night life

1. From the text we know that … .

A. Jessica plans to spend the vocation in Bandung

B. Angela will stay in Jessica’s house during in Bandung

C. Angela wants to visit Tangkuban Perahu on the first day

D. Angela asks Jessica to accompany her during her stay in Bandung

1. From the text we can conclude that ….

A. Angela is in Bandung now.

B. Angela will go to Dago Hill on the last day

C. Angela will visit two tourist destinations on the second day

D. Angela and Jessica are having holidays in Bandung now

1. What is the letter about?

A. Planning holiday in Bandung

B. Asking someone to stay in a hotel

C. Visiting a friend in Surabaya

D. Buying interesting souvenirs.

Text for questions 14 to 16

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| **Want to create an amazing blog easily?**  **Join a short training with us.**  **We have the best trainer for the best results!**  **20% discount in January only**  **Free for students!**  **Contact me as soon as possible!**  **MIMY : 081323101968** |

1. What will be trained based on the text?

A. Making e-mail

B. Making blog

C. to be a trainer

D. the best results

1. From the text we know that …

A. we can contact by e-mail

B. the training is free for all participants

C. the participants will get discount more than 20%

D. the participants will be able make a blog easily after joining the training

1. What is the communicative purpose of the text?

A. To inform about the training

B. To describe about the training

C. to tell how to register the training

D. To persuade the readers to join the training

Text for questions 17 to 19

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| MY GRANDMOTHER  My grandmother is a very gentle, loving and caring person. She never raises her voice at anyone. She has lived with me for as long as I can remember. She takes care of me when mom and dad go to work.  My grandmother is a very neat and tidy person. She has very dry grey hair which she usually pulls up into a bun. She has dark brown eyes that twinkle whenever she sees me. I hardly ever see them wet.  Grandmother likes to tell stories. She usually tells me brief stories of her childhood and expresses them very well with her tired, old, winkled hands. Sometimes, she also tells stories about my grandfather who has passed away. My grandmother always says good things about him. She once told me that he was the nicest person she had ever met.  I really love my grandmother. |

1. What does the text tell us about?

A. The writer’s grandfather

B. the writer’s grandparents

C. the writer’s grandmother

D. the writer’s family

1. What is the main idea of the second paragraph?

A. The writer’s grandmother likes to tell stories.

B. The writer loves her grandmother very much.

C. The writer’s grandmother is a very neat and tidy person.

D. The writer’s grandmother is a very gentle, loving and caring person.

1. From the text we know that ….

A. the writer lives with her aunt

B. the writer is a gentle, loving and caring person

C. the writer’s grandmother has dark brown face

D. the writer’s grandmother is a nice and cheerful person

Text for questions 20 to 22

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| **The grasshoppers and the Ants**  One summer, a grasshopper spent his days merely singing and dancing. He hoped everywhere, while ants were busy gathering grains of wheat and corn. He laughed at the ants and said, “ How dull! Why don’t you sing and dance with me instead of working under the hot son?”  We are storing away food for the winter,” they explained, “ You should do the same.”  The grasshopper laughed and replied, “Why worry about the winter? I have plenty to eat for now.” And he hopped away to look for someone to play with.  But when the winter came, the grasshopper could find no more food. Shivering, he knocked at the ants’ door. “ Can you spare me some seeds?” he begged. “ I am cold and hungry.”  “ We worked hard all summer to store away food,” they answered. “What were you doing?”  “ I was busy singing and dancing,” he said  “Then sing and dancing for us now!” they told him. “It’s time you work for your dinner.” |

1. What happened when the winter came?

A. It was hard for the grasshopper to find food

B. it was a beautiful season for the grasshopper

C. It was not easy for the grasshopper to find a shelter

D. It was hard for grasshopper to find someone to play with

1. From the text we know that …

A. the grasshopper spent his days by singing and dancing on winter

B. the ants asked for some seeds from the grasshopper

C. the grasshopper felt hot and satisfied on winter

D. the ants were busy collecting food on summer

1. What can we learn from the story?

A. Eating seeds is very important.

B. We must sing and dance a lot.

C. We must be greedy to safe our lives.

D. It is wise to plan ahead for hard times.

The following text is for questions 23 to 24

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| Canada is a country in North America. This country attracts tourists from all over the world. It extends its boundaries over 10 provinces and 3 territories.  This beautiful country is surrounded by three oceans, Atlantic, Pacific, and Arctic Ocean. These make triangle around Canada. It is bilingual country with English and French spoken in almost all parts of Canada. In most cities of Canada temperature become as low as -18 degrees Celsius.  There are some interesting places that you can visit when you are in Canada. One of them is the English bay. It is located at the border of its big city, Vancouver. Vancouver gives a luminous night view with its tall buildings installed with high flashy lights. And the all lights are designed to shine through out the English bay. A worthy seeing place at Night Time. |

1. What is the last paragraph about?
2. The description of English bay in Vancouver.
3. The worthy seeing place of Canada at night time.
4. The tall building in the big city, Vancouver in Canada.
5. The worthy night view in Vancouver, Canada.
6. “ … Vancouver gives a luminous night view.” ( the last paragraph)

What is the synonym of the underlined word?

1. Sparkling
2. Clearing
3. Glowing
4. Lighting

The following text is for questions 25 to 26.

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| We set up our tent in the middle of a field near a small river. As soon as this was done, we cooked a meal over an open fire. Everything was all right in the afternoon. But at night while we were singing songs by the campfire, a strong wind blew. It brought disorder to our tent. We couldn’t sleep because it was thundering and raining heavily. Lightning intensified the downpour. Soon the surrounding areas became flooded. We all panicked.  We needed help badly, I thought. It was very dark and the campground was far from the village. We had to save our belongings because the floo It was in the beginning of wet season but the weather was fine in the morning. My classmates and I went camping to the camp ground.  d water became higher and higher.  Then I telephoned the nearest police station. In a short time a rescue unit came. We got into their truck hurriedly. They evacuated us to the safest area. Unfortunately when the truck wanted to move, it skidded, because the road was muddy and slippery. We had to push it to the drier place.  That was our bitter experience at the beginning of wet season. Then I realized it is difficult to predict the weather. |

1. From the text we can conclude that the writer and his classmates …..
2. got assistance from the police
3. lost all of their belongings
4. were skidded in the truck
5. trapped in campground
6. “We set up our tent in the middle of a field near a small river”.(Par.2).

The synonym of the underlined word is ….

1. front
2. edge
3. center
4. corner

**The following text is for questions 27 to 29**

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| It is compulsory to wear a seat belt whenever there is one available. That means that if there is an empty seat with a seatbelt, a passenger must move to it and not sit in a seat without a seatbelt. If there is no seatbelt, it is safer for a passenger to sit in the back.  Make sure that you and your passenger have your seat belt properly adjusted and fastened:   * Wear the lap part of the seat belt across your lap and below your stomach. * Place the buckle at the side of your body. * Make sure the belt is not twisted. * Make the belt as firm as possible. |

1. “**It is compulsory to wear a seatbelt** whenever …(line 1).

The underlined word means….

A. We may wear seatbelt.

B. It is not allowed to use seatbelt.

C. We do not need to wear seatbelt

D. It is a must for us to wear seatbelt

1. …..., a passenger must move to it. (line 2).

“it” refers to……

A. seatbelt on a car

B. a passenger’s seatbelt

C. an empty seat with seatbelt

D. an empty seat without seatbelt

1. The writer wrote the text to…

A. advise the readers to buy seatbelt.

B. prohibit the readers to wear seatbelt.

C. give manual how to wear seatbelt properly.

D. suggest the readers to become good passenger.

**The following text is for questions 30 to 33**

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| Snakes are reptiles. They belong to the same group as lizards, but form a sub-group of their own.  Snakes have no legs. A long time ago they had claws to help them slither along. But they are not slimy. They are covered in scales which are just bumps on the skin. Their skin is hard and glossy to reduce friction as the snake slithers along the ground.  Snakes often sun bath on rocks in the warm weather. This is because snakes are cold-blooded and they need the sun’s warmth.  Most snakes live in the country. Some types of snakes live in trees, some live in water, but most live on the ground in deserted rabbit burrows, in thick, long grass and in old logs. |

30. What is the main idea of the last paragraph?

A. The habit of the snake.

B. The habitat of the snake.

C. The advantages of the snake.

D. The physical appearance of the snake.

31. Why do the snakes like to have sun-bathing?

Because….

1. snakes have no blood
2. they need to heat their body
3. the snakes are hot-blooded
4. they have very cool appearance

32. “………….., but form a sub-group of their own” (Par. 1)

The underlined word refers to……..

1. reptiles
2. snakes
3. lizards
4. Lizards and reptiles

33. What is the above text about?

A. The story of Reptiles

B. The kinds of Animals

C. The description of Snakes

D. The information of Lizards

**The following text is for questions 34 to 36.**

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| Recognized as the largest amusement park in Jakarta, Taman Impian Jaya Ancol or Ancol Dreamland provides all classes and kinds of entertainment. Ancol is especially designed for family recreation. This place, located at Jalan Lodan Timur 7 in North Jakarta, houses a water park, theme park (Dunia Fantasi or Fantasy Land), an art market, oceanarium, and Sea World.  The park was built on reclaimed land. The beach close to the park is not recommended for swimming, but is a good place to stroll and relax. Stalls along the beach serve drinks and snacks while shelters are available for sunbathers to take a break from the sun.  Ancol is also a gateway for island trips to Kepulauan Seribu (Thousand Islands). Hundreds of private boats moor every day at the Marina. The Marina is a good spot for marine recreation and sports with lots of facilities, such as paddle boats, canoes, sailing boats, and fishing gear. |

34. What is the main idea of the third paragraph?

* 1. Marina and Ancol have lots of facilities

B. Ancol is a good spot for marine recreation

C. Marina is a gateway for island trips to Kepulauan Seribu

D. Ancol is a gateway for island travels to Kepulauan Seribu

35. From the text we can conclude that…..

A. The travelers are banned to relax in the park

B. Ancol is the largest amusement zoo in Jakarta

C. The visitors can swim in the beach near the park freely

D. Ancol is one of the best recreational tourist objects in Jakarta

36. Sunbathers stop sunbathing for a while at …

A. the parks around the beach

B. the stalls next to the beach

C. the shelters along the beach

D. an art market near the beach

**This text is for questions 37-40**

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| A man with his donkey carrying two sacks of wheat was on his way to a market. After a little while he was tired and they rested under a tree.  When he woke up from his nap he could not see the donkey and started searching for the donkey everywhere. On the way he met a boy, he asked the boy, "Have you seen my donkey?" The boy asked, "Is the donkey's left eye blind, his right foot lame and is he carrying a load of wheat?" The man was happy and said, "Yes, exactly! Where have you seen it?" the boy answered "I haven't seen it." This made the man very angry and he took the boy to the village chief for punishment.  The judge asked, "Dear boy, if you had not seen the donkey, how could you describe it?" The boy answered, "I saw the tracks of a donkey and the right and left tracks were different from this. I understood that the donkey that passed there was limping. And the grass on the right side of the road was eaten but the grass on the left was not. From that I understood that his left eye was blind. There were wheat seeds scattered on the ground and I understood that he must have been carrying a load of wheat. The judge understood the boy's cleverness and told the man to forgive the boy. |

37. The text shows that the boy knew about the donkey based on ...

A. the clues that he saw

C. the people who told him

B. the words which people said.

D. the report made by passerby.

1. "...and I understood that he must have been carrying a load of wheat." (par. 3)

What does the underlined word in the sentence refer to?

A. The man

C. The traveler.

B. The donkey.

D. The boy.

1. “Is the donkey's left eye blind, his right foot lame and is he carrying a load of wheat?"

The underlined word means unable to....

A. run

C. walk

B. sit

D. see

1. What lesson can we learn from the story?

A. We should take care of a blind donkey well.

B. We must give law enforcement to everyone.

C. We should give punishment as soon as possible.

D. We should not judge someone before we know well.

Text for questions 41-43 choose the corrext word to complete the text.

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| Tree is the largest of all plants. The tallest tree can grow over 61 meters in height. Many trees also live longer than other plants. Some trees live for thousands of years. They are the oldest living things that man knows.  People think that trees are different from other plants. Most of other plants grow for only a short time then die. But trees can grow …(41) for a long time. People think of trees as a permanent part of the landscape.  Trees continue to grow as long as they live. They grow into fruits. Fruits contain seeds for making new trees.  There are thousands of kinds of trees. But most trees belong to one or two main groups. There are broad …..(42) trees and needle ones. These two types of tree are found in many parts of the world. Most other types of trees, such as palms and tree ferns, are …(43) mainly in warm region. |

41. A. hard

B. late

C. well

D. fast

42. A. trunk

B. leaf

C. branch

D. flower

43. A. planted

B. produced

C. yield

D. grown

**For questions 44 to 46 choose the correct word to complete the text**

Alexander Graham Bell was born on March 3, 1847, in Edinburgh, Scotland. During his youth, Alexander Graham Bell experienced significant influences that would carry into his adult life. One was his hometown of Edinburgh, Scotland, known as the "Athens of the North," for its rich culture of arts and science. Alexander Graham Bell was homeschooled by his mother, who instilled in ….(44) an infinite curiosity about the world around him.

Then, in 1862, Alexander's grandfather became ill. Seeking to be out of his father's control, Alexander volunteered to care for the elder Bell. The experience greatly changed him. His grandfather encouraged his interests, and the two developed a ….(45) relationship. At 16, Alexander Graham Bell accepted a position at Weston House Academy in Elgin, Scotland, where he taught elocution and music to students, many older than he. At the end of the term, Alexander returned home and ….(46) his father, promoting Melville Bell's technique of visible speech, which taught the deaf to align specific phonetic symbols with a particular position of the speech organs (lips, tongue, and palate).

1. A. her

B. them

C. him

D. it

1. A. big

B. close

C. small

D. bad

1. A. asked

B. allowed

C. invited

D. joined

47. Arrange the jumbled words into a good sentence

the ticket office - two hours - she - over - in front of - queued - has - for

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8

A. 3-6-2-1-4-8-5-7

B. 3-7-6-5-1-8-4-2

C. 3-6-2-4-1-8-5-7

D. 3-7-6-5-1-4-2-8

48. Arrange the jumbled words into a good sentence.

reach – their - very tall - the top of the tree – because - the giraffes – can –body- is

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

A. 6-7-1-4-2-8-5-9-3

B. 6-7-1-4-5-8-2-9-3

C. 6-7-1-4-5-2-8-9-3

D. 6-7-1-4-5-2-9-8-3

49. Arrange the jumbled sentences into a good descriptive text

1. It seems to like milk and fish a lot and waits eagerly as I prepare its meal.

2. When it is near me it always purrs.

3. Ginger has soft white fur and likes to click its paws.

4. Besides, the cat that my father took from the road is very important for me.

5. I have a new cat called "Ginger".

6. It gives me some lessons about 'cat talk'.

7. This expresses its friendship with me

1. 5-3-4-1-6-7-2

B. 5-3-4-1-6-2-7

C. 5-3-1-6-4-2-7

D. 5-3-1-4-6-2-7

50. Arrange the jumbled sentences below into a good procedure text.

1. Always switch the iron off when leaving: even when only for a short time.
2. Take care that children can’t touch the iron when hot and can’t pull the main cord.
3. Never immerse the iron in water.
4. If the iron should fail to function correctly although you have followed these instructions, have it checked by your dealer.
5. Please read these instructions for use and have a good look at the illustrations before using the appliance.
6. Check if the voltage rating on the type-plate corresponds to the main voltage in your home.
7. Never use the appliance if it is damaged in any way.
8. 5-6-3-1-2-4-7
9. 5-6-3-1-2-7-4
10. 5-6-7-1-2-3-4
11. 5-6-7-1-2-4-3