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For questions (1-2) choose the best option to fill in the blanks.

1 Emre: What's wrong with you Celine?
Celine: I'm really busy with the school assignments and I cannot do all of them on my own.
Emre: So, do you need help?
Celine: That would be awesome! You're so helpful, Emre.
Emre: You know what they say: " $\qquad$ ..".
Celine: Yeah, I totally agree with you. When I'm in trouble, you're always there to back me up. Thank you!
A The road to a friend's house is always too long
B Real friends always back you up just in times of happiness
C Friends show their love in times of trouble, not only during happy times
D Walking alone in the light is better than walking with a friend in the dark

2 Jane: What do you think about Mike? Jack: Well, you know that he was one of my best friends in the past. However, he is a little bit $\qquad$ nowadays.
Jane: What do you mean?
Jack: He always thinks of himself and never cares about other's opinions.
A jealous
B generous
C stubborn
D self-centered

3 Sarah: To me, a good friend is always supportive and honest. I don't like aggressive people and I don't want anyone of them around me.
What kind of people does Sarah hate?


Answer the questions (4-5) according to the chart below.

Teenagers love going to the movies, or just watching them at home in their free times. However, their preferences vary from one another. Following chart shows their preferences according to the recent study.


4 Which of the following shows the least preferred type of film?


5 According to the information, $\qquad$ ..

A no one prefers watching cowboy movies in their free times
B almost all teens enjoy watching films that are about love or friendship
C more teens like watching something funny when compared to other types
D more teens prefer watching something about space when compared to romance

## Answer the questions (6-7) according to the passage below.

Hi! My name is Pamela. I have a lot of friends at school and we mostly have fun while we're doing something, but I cannot call all of them my real friends. Most people believe that if you get on well with someone, it's enough to have a great friendship with him/her. However, I disagree with them, because getting on well with someone doesn't mean he/she is one of your true friends. To me, there are other important things that a true friend should have. For example, they must be honest. I just hate lies. Secondly, true friends should always be supportive. When I need them, they must always be there to help me. Finally, you should have similar interests with them. In your free times, you should have something in common to have fun. Otherwise, they cannot be your true friends.

6 According to Pamela, a true friend should

## Which of the following cannot complete the sentence?

A always be reliable
B back you up when in need
C share the same likes and dislikes
D always get on well with you but can lie at times

## 7 Which of the following is correct?

A Pamela agrees with most people about being a true friend.
B Pamela believes having a good relationship is not enough to be a true friend.
C Pamela thinks honesty is more important than being supportive in a friendship.
D Pamela believes that if you don't have a lot in common, you can find other things to have fun.

8 I How about going for a walk to the riverside?
II Sounds great, but I can't.
III Hey Kyle! Are you busy tomorrow morning?
IV I have a broken leg. I cannot go for a walk at all.
V Not at all! Why do you ask?
VI Why not?

## Put the dialogue into correct order.

A III-V-I-II-VI-IV
B III-VI-I-V-IV-II
C III-V-I-VI-V-IV
D III-VI-V-I-II-IV

## Answer the questions (9-10) according to the passage below.

## Dear Samantha

Thank you so much for inviting me to Gina's surprise birthday party next Saturday. I would really like to join the party. I know that it will be so much fun and I don't want to miss the chance to attend such a great party. However, I'm really sorry to tell you that I can't make it. As you know, we don't get on well with Nancy at all. Actually, it's not a real problem for me. I don't need to have a great relationship with everybody around me. Some people may have different likes and dislikes than others. However, the thing between Nancy and me is more than that. She always tells lies to me. I don't want to spend time with someone that I cannot count on. I hope that you'll have a great time at the party.
P.S. Stop by whenever you want to take my music archive if you still want to get it. Gina will love the songs I have just downloaded.

Josh

## 9 According to the mail, Samantha

A downloaded great songs for the party
B doesn't want to invite Gina to the party
C doesn't want to take Josh's music archive
D knows the bad relationship between Josh and Nancy

## 10 Which of the following is not correct?

A Josh cannot depend on Nancy because she never tells the truth.
B Josh doesn't want to join the party because he doesn't trust Gina.

C Josh will give his archive to Samantha for the party if she still wants to.
D Josh thinks if you don't share the same interests, it doesn't mean you hate him/her.

1 Teacher: What's a real friend like to you?
Eddy: I think having a great relationship with is enough to be a real friend.
Vicky: In my opinion, a real friend should always keep your secrets and never tell them to anyone.
Emma: To me, a real friend always backs you up if you have a problem.
Sam: I believe that you should have fun together while spending time together.

## Which of the following is not correct?

A Emma believes that a real friend should always be supportive.
B Sam thinks you should have something in common with him/her.
C Vicky believes that a real friend may share your secrets with others.
D Eddy thinks you need to get on well with each other to have a real friendship.

2 Anna: There are many characteristics that a real friend should have, because friendship is one of the most important things in life. For example, your best friend should always be $\qquad$ , when you share your secrets with them, you must be sure that they won't tell them to anyone. Secondly, they must be $\qquad$ , when you need help, they must be the first one by your side. Finally, a true friend should be $\qquad$ to you. Sometimes you may argue, but it doesn't mean that they are your enemies from then on.

## Which of the following cannot be used to complete the paragraph?

A determined
B reliable
C supportive
D loyal

3 There is a great art exhibition downtown. One of your friends invites you to visit it. However, you're not into art at all. You should refuse the offer kindly and express your reason for not accepting the offer.

## What do you say to your friend?

A Don't you think downtown is a little bit far?
B Sounds awesome! I love art and want to see the exhibition.
C I'm sorry but art is not one of my favourites. You should ask someone else.
D I'm afraid I can't come with you because I have other plans with my relatives.

## Answer the questions (4-5) according to the passage below.

Jane: Everybody needs to have a good friendship, because you can't stand the life without them. I have so many friends at school. We usually hang out together and have lots of fun. For example, Danny is one of my best friends. He is really into sports just like me. We usually play basketball together on weekends. We sometimes argue about stupid things with him, but we mostly have a good relationship. Secondly, Mary always backs me up when I'm in trouble. I share my secrets with her and she never shares them with others. Finally, Steve usually encourages me when I don't have enough motivation to do anything. Unfortunately, I'm not a determined girl, so I really need his support. I guess I'm really lucky to have these friendships. I hope they'll stay in my life forever.

## 4 According to the paragraph, Jane

A believes Mary is a laid-back girl
B thinks life without friends is really unbearable
C is not a determined girl so she doesn't have any friends
D always argues with Danny so he cannot be one of her best friends

## 5 Which of the following is not correct?

A Steve is usually supportive.
B Mary never keeps Jane's secrets.
C Danny and Jane have things in common.
D Jane needs someone when she decides to do something.

6 Waiter: Welcome! .......................................... ?
Adam: Well, I'd like today's soup first.
Waiter: Well,
Adam: I'd like to have grilled chicken.
Waiter:
?
Adam: Lemonade will be great.
Which of the following cannot be used to complete the dialogue?
A What about for a main course
B What would you like to have, sir
C Would you like to have a dessert
D Would you like to drink anything

7 Linda: Hey Amy! Are you doing anything special tomorrow?
Amy: Hi Linda! l'll visit the science museum tomorrow morning. After that I'm free. Why do you ask?
Linda: Great! How about going to the amusement park in the evening?
Amy: Sounds fun! I'll be there for sure.
Where does Linda offer to go?


8 Craig: Hey Kate! What's up?
Kate Great! How about you?
Craig: Great! Listen! Why don't we go to the movie theatre tomorrow evening? There is a great thriller.
Kate Well, I'm sorry, but I can't. My cousins are coming over tomorrow evening.
Craig: Oh really? Would you like to go to a pop concert this evening then?
Kate: I'm not a big fan of pop. I think pop music is really boring. You should ask someone else if you want to have fun.
Craig: OK Kate! See you around!

## Which of the following is correct?

A Craig makes two invitations and Kate accepts all of his invitations.
B Kate cannot join him in the concert because her cousins are visiting.
C Kate doesn't want to go to the cinema because she is not into thrillers.
D Kate cannot watch the movie with Craig because she'll spend time with her relatives.

Answer the questions (9-10) according to the chart below.

Teenagers and adults always find something to argue with each other, because mostly their preferences, likes and dislikes differ from one another. Following chart shows their preferences in movies according to the recent survey with 500 participants:


9 Which of the following is preferred the most by the teenagers?


C


10 Which of the following is correct according to the information above?

A In the survey, there are more young people than adults.
B More teens prefer watching movies about space more than adults.
C When compared to adults, less teens prefer watching something funny.
D More adults prefer watching action movies more when compared to teens.

## Answer the questions (1-2) according to the passage below.

HELEN: Hi, my name is Helen. I like being social especially after school and on weekends, so I need someone by my side who shares the same interests with me. I have a lot of friends at school. We usually have great times with them at breaks in the school. However, it's not enough for me to call them my best friends at all. I have just one best friend I share everything with. Her name is Chloe. Whenever I need help, she is always by my side to help me out solving the problems. We usually go for a walk to the riverside after school to have some fresh air. Sometimes we join the dance club after school, too. She is really into music and dancing like me. We do lots of things together. However, we find watching movies the most enjoyable. Every Saturday is our movie day. We come together and watch a movie at home, or go to a movie theatre. She came into my life accidentally, but I hope she'll stay forever.

1 Which picture shows their favourite activity?


## 2 Which of the following is not correct according to the paragraph?

A They share similar interests.
B Helen thinks Chloe is a supportive friend.
C They met each other by accident.
D They always watch a movie at the cinema on Saturdays.

3 Jack: Hey Jessy! Are you doing anything special tomorrow night?
Jessy: Well, not at all! Why do you ask?
Jack: .................. . It's a local band and they're really cool. Would you like to come with me?
Jessy: Sure! I'll be there for sure.
Choose the best option to complete the dialogue.
A I have two tickets for a thriller
B I have two tickets for a rock concert
C Let's go to the book fair in the city centre
D I think we should see a play in the theatre

| Ray's Weekend <br> Plans | Saturday | Sunday |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| in the evening | The Beauty <br> and The Beast <br> at City Hall | visit <br> grandparents |
| at night | Beyonce <br> at City Hall | Star Wars-The <br> Return of the <br> Jedi |

Nancy: Hey Ray! Are you doing anything special at the weekend?
Ray: Hi Nancy! Yeah, I have some plans. Why do you ask?
Nancy: We're going to an amusement park. I just wonder if you want to join us.
Ray: When do you go exactly?
Nancy: We'll go there in the evening on Saturday.
Ray: I'm sorry, but I can't. I've already bought the tickets.
Nancy: OK! See you around Ray!
Ray: See you later!
Look at the chart and choose the best option to complete the dialogue.

A l'll go to a pop concert in the evening on Saturday
B I'll watch the great Sci-fi movie on Saturday
C I'll watch a play in the evening on Saturday
D I'll visit my grandparents in the evening on Saturday

5 Alex: I have two tickets for a pop concert. Why don't we go together?


Read the invitation above. How do you refuse the invitation?
A IV
B III
C II
D I

Answer the questions (6-7) according to the passage below.

## Life is better with friends

Dear Friends
I'm organizing our 2 ${ }^{\text {nd }}$ class reunion. Last year, it was fun to see most of you and talk about our memories. This year, l'd like to see all of you because it's a great chance to see everybody after such a long time.
Sunday, July 7, 2019 6-10pm
Moonlight Café/Fifth Avenue $\$ 10$ per person
PS: If you are interested, just let me know until July 5, 2019.
Simon

6 There is no information about the $\qquad$ . .
A exact date
B price
C deadline
D age range

7 Which of the following is correct?
A The event lasts five hours.
B The reunion will take place in Simon's café.
C Simon will not join because he has other plans.
D Not all of the invitees attended the reunion last year.

8 Bethany is such a/an $\qquad$ teenage-girl that she gets angry easily.

Choose the best option to complete the sentence.
A determined
B stubborn
C bad-tempered
D honest

Answer the questions (9-10) according to the passage below.


Daniel: Hey guys! I have a plan for this Saturday! There is a book fair in the shopping centre downtown. Famous writers there will be. Why don't we go together?
Alison: Sounds great! However, I need to visit my cousins in the countryside.
Fiona: Well, I'm too busy with the school assignments. However, I can't miss the chance to meet famous writers. Count me in!
Hank: I'm sorry, but I'm not a book worm at all. Why should I waste the day with a boring activity like that?
Aaron: Saturday? I really would like to join you but I'm afraid I can't. I hope you'll have so much fun.

9 Which of the following shows the event Daniel offers?


10 Which of the following is not correct according to the dialogues?
A Fiona will be busy with her homework on Saturday.
B Aaron refuses the invitation without making any excuses at all.
C Hank refuses the invitation, because he is not into reading at all.
D Alison needs to spend time with some of her relatives on Saturday.

