Test 1 Training

Reading and Writing Part 3a (Questions 11-15)

In this part you:

- read what someone says
- **choose** one answer (A, B or C) to complete the conversation

Grammar Pronouns

Look at the words in bold. Cross out the two wrong words in the answers.

Tip! Check that pronouns and people or things match each other.

Example Where are all **the CDs**?

He's / They're / I'm on that chair.

1 Do you like this beach?

Yes, I / they / you do!

2 What time will Maria arrive?

It / We / She didn't tell me.

3 Is he going to cook those burgers?

Yes! I hope he doesn't burn them / it / him!

4 Are you all having fun?

We're / He's / It's having a great time, thanks!

5 Does your brother always dance like that?

No! I've never seen her / him / you do that!

6 I've brought my new **mobile**.

Wow! Her / Its / Their screen is really big.

- KET candidates often make mistakes with it's and its.
- Read the conversations and write It's, or Its.

Example	lt's a great picnic.	Good!
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- 1going to snow! Is it? 2gone to sleep. Oh yes. Shhhh!
- 3 engine is really loud. Oh dear!
- 4 on December 11th. 5 ____ got a funny face.

I can't go that day.

Yes. it has!

6name is Moggy.

That's a nice name!

If a response is OK, put a tick (). If a response is not OK, put a cross (X).

a Yes, I will in a minute

Example Are you going to dance?

1 These burgers taste great!

b Yes, I did, thank you.

a I'd like to do that too!

2 I don't know that boy.

b They do, don't they! a I think he's Jo's brother. **b** She is Jo's sister.

3 The sea looks great.

a Let's go for a swim!

4 It's time to go home.

a We went there yesterday.

b It is late, isn't it?

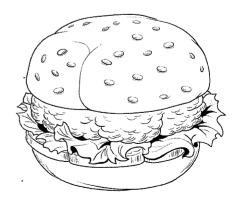
b They were too cold.

Remember!

Its goes with a noun: The cat broke its leg. lt's = lt is or lt has:It's a great party.

It's got big windows.

Tip! The response must be appropriate to complete the conversation.



Test 1 Exam practice

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Questions 11 - 15

Complete the five conversations.

For questions 11 - 15, mark A, B or C on your answer sheet.

Example:



How are you?



Fine, thanks.

I'm 13.

My name is Jorge.

Answer:

n	Α	В	С

11 Whose CD are they playing?

Α No, that wasn't its name.

В It's Joel's, I think.

C Its name is Cloudy.

12 Did you enjoy that pizza?

Α I loved it!

Yes, please! В

They're amazing!

13 Who's that boy over there?

What does he like doing? Α

В No, he couldn't come.

C That's my best friend.

Those girls are very good at dancing!

She was fine, thanks!

В So do I!

C I know, they are!

15 When's Monica arriving?

She'll be here soon.

В Where's she going now?

She went by bus.

Advice

11 Which with question word do we need for answer C?

14 Pronoun match!

1.5 Be careful! When? usually needs a time answer.

Test 1 Reading and Writing Part 3a (Questions 11-15)

Task type:

discrete three-option multiple choice – verbal exchange patterns (functions)

Topic focus:

party, leisure

Training

Some of the exchanges in Part 3 will start with interrogatives, so you could start with a matching activity.

Write a list of question words on the board: What, When, Where, Which, Why, Whose, Who.

Then write these answers on the board:

- 1 It might be Mia's.
- 2 It's at a quarter past three.
- 3 It's that one!
- 4 Because I don't want to.
- 5 My best friend.
- 6 It's a kind of pizza.
- 7 He's in the garden, I think.

Students match each answer with a question word.

They could then write or suggest complete questions that could match the answers.

Accept any reasonable and grammatically correct suggestions.

1 Whose 2 When 3 Which 4 Why 5 Who 6 What 7 Where

1 Students focus on matching people, things or pronouns with other pronouns.

Students cross out the two pronouns that don't match the bold word/s in the first sentence. The key shows the correct pronoun.

1 I 2 She 3 them 4 We're 5 him 6 Its



KET candidates often make mistakes in the use of *its* / *it's*, e.g. *My computer has got games and its very fast*. *My mobile phone its nice*. **Note:** There is no need for a pronoun in the second example here even if students had used *it's* here. This insertion is a common mistake at KET level.

2 Write the example on the board removing the apostrophe: *Its a great picnic.*

Ask students what is wrong with this sentence and then replace the apostrophe: It's a ...

Students complete the exercise writing *its* (possessive) or *it's* (*it is / it has*) in each space.

1 It's 2 It's 3 Its 4 It's 5 It's 6 Its

Students often make mistakes with *who's* and *whose*. Revise the difference in meaning before doing the Exam practice.

Form: Whose is followed by singular or plural nouns; its

form does not change.

Whose guitar is that? Whose sandwiches are these?

Note: The pronunciation of the pairs it's / its and who's /

whose is exactly the same.

3 Students now move away from looking at form to look at meaning and in this exercise the focus is on whether the response 'makes sense'.

Role play the exchanges and ask students to show (by raising their hands) if they think the second person's answer shows they really understood what the first person said. Alternatively, they could just tick or cross the responses.

1 axbv 2 avbx 3 avbx 4 axbv

Extension

Ask students to suggest an appropriate first sentence for the incorrect responses.

Exam practice

Students use the three advice notes to help them find three of the answers if necessary. Tell students to underline the words in the first and second sentences that helped them find their answers

11 B 12 A 13 C 14 C 15 A

Extension

In pairs, students choose five wh- question words and write five questions. For example: Where do you live? Who's your best friend? When's your birthday? Why are you learning English? What's your favourite colour? They then write five answers to the questions but list them in the wrong order.

Pairs exchange work. Pairs now draw lines to the correct

response to each question. Walk round and help with this if necessary.