

First Term English Test

Part one: Read the following passage carefully then do the activities.

From: Bella253@gmail.com
To: Lin090@gmail.com

Dear Linda

I hope this message finds you well and I am reaching out to introduce myself as your new penfriend. It is a pleasure to connect, and I look forward to exchanging thoughts, experiences, and perspectives with **you**.

My name is Bella, I am 30 years old and I'm from Holland, where I work as a doctor. My days are usually quite busy, but I always make time for the things I enjoy. On weekdays, I typically wake up early and start my morning with a cup of coffee. I always go for a short walk to begin my day with some fresh air, which helps me feel more energized.

On weekends, I mostly spend my time taking care of family. In the evenings, I usually enjoy cooking. I often try out new recipes and experiment with different cuisines that I find very enjoyable. Occasionally, I meet up with friends or family to catch up over dinner. I'm also an avid reader, so I almost always carry a book with me wherever I go. Reading is something I thoroughly enjoy, and it's a hobby I often do.

I live in Amsterdam, Holland, **which** is in Western Europe by the North Sea. The land is flat, so biking is very popular. Holland is also famous for its cheese, like Gouda, and for artists like Rembrandt and Van Gogh.

Looking forward to hearing from you and getting to know each other better!

Warm regards,
Bella

A/ Text Comprehension:

1) Circle the letter that corresponds to the right answer.

The text is:

a- an email

b- a letter

c- a dialogue

2) Are the following statements true or false?

a- Bella is thirteen years old

b- She never wakes up early

c- She enjoys making new recipes

d- She doesn't like reading

3) Answer the following questions according to the text:

1/ Why does Bella want to correspond with Linda?

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2/ How often does she go for walks?

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3- Where is her country situated?

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4) Who/ What do the underlined words in bold type refer to?

a) **I** (§1)=

b) **you**(§1)= c) **which**(§4)=

B) Text Exploration:

1) Find in the text words that are closest in meaning to the following:

A-present (§1) = b- keypal (§1) = c-common (§4) =

2) Complete the following chart as the example given:

	Verbs	Nouns
Example	To introduce	introduction
	To connect	
		Reading
	To enjoy	

3) A-Rewrite the following sentences using the adverbs between brackets:

1. She enjoys reading most of the time. *(usually)*

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2. They are excited for the weekend. *(very)*

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3. My parents forget their keys when they leave the house. *(often)*

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B-Ask a question that the underlined word answer.

she always go for a short walk.

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4) Classify the following words according to the number of their syllables:

Connect- enjoying –introduce- live

One syllable	Two syllables	Three syllables
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5) Fill in the gaps using the following words:

recipients - internet - fast - receive

Email is a way to send andmessages from one to one or more via the internet. Emails are a, inexpensive and accessible way to communicate for business or personal use. Users can send emails from anywhere and at anytime as long as they haveservice provider.

6) Writing:

Most people enjoy their daily activities, in few lines talk about your daily routine and which activities you enjoy doing during the weekends.

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Good Luck dear students 😊