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P.2



Introduction to Exam Skills

Identifying specific information

To find details (e.g. the date, event, people, place, reason, number) in the text.



To find out one's feeling from their speech and actions or the related descriptions in the text.



To find a word or phrase in the text that has the same or similar meaning to a specific word or phrase in the question.

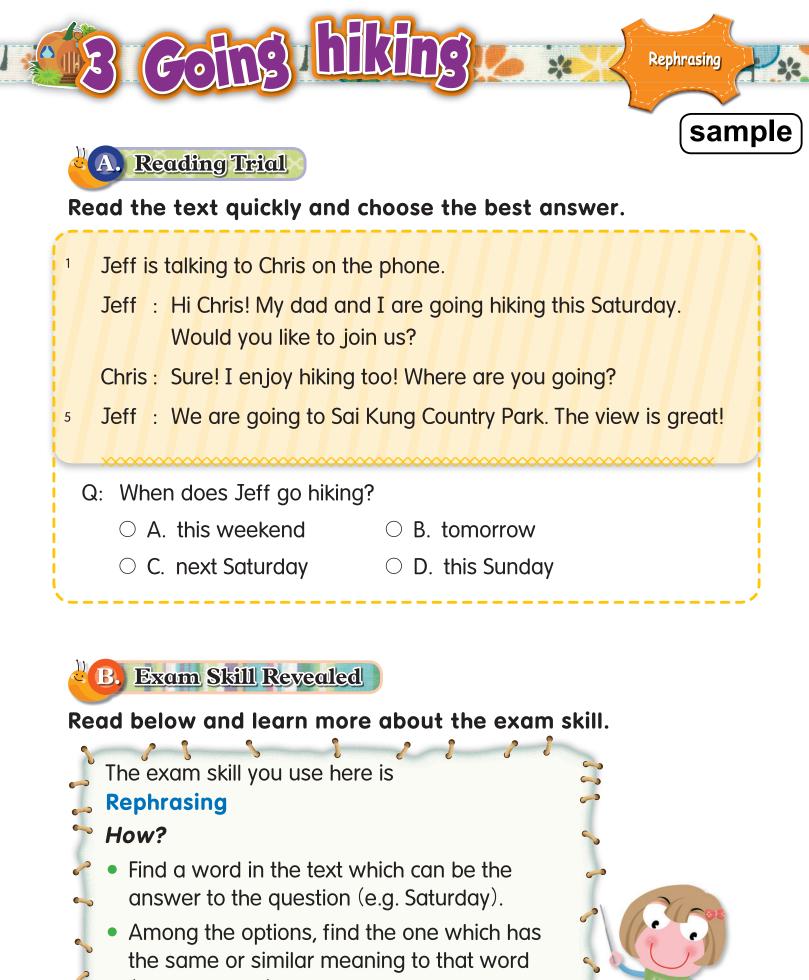


Guessing the meaning of unfamiliar words

To guess the meaning of unfamiliar words in the text by paying attention to words around them.



To find language features (e.g. rhymes, onomatopoeia) of texts that are usually a literary work (e.g. poem, drama script).



(e.g. weekend).

Here, the keywords are `<u>When</u>' and '<u>go hiking</u>'.

stions below.
Read line 4. Chris going hiking. Try the exam skill : Rephrasing
 (a) What are the keywords in this question? C h (b) Does Chris enjoy hiking?
 A. does not like B. hates C. likes D. is tired about
How is the view of Sai Kung Country Park?
Try the exam skill : Rephrasing (a) What are the keywords in this question? H, v S K C P

- \bigcirc C. bad
- \bigcirc D. not clear







How much time do you need to finish this exercise? Compare it with the suggested time on p.56!

Read the whole conversation. Answer the questions on the following page.

- Jeff : Hi Chris! My dad and I are going hiking this Saturday. Would you like to join us?
- Chris : Sure! I enjoy hiking too! Where are you going?
- Jeff : We are going to Sai Kung Country Park. The view is great! We can take a lot of photos there!
- Chris : Good! Shall we bring some food and drinks?
- Jeff : Yes! My dad and I will bring sandwiches and water. Can you bring some chips?

Chris : OK!

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- Jeff : Let's meet at 9 a.m. in front of our school.
- Chris : OK! See you then!
- Jeff : See you!





Check the meanings of the words in blue in Vocabulary Index on p.54-55!

- 1.
 - \bigcirc A. ten
 - B. not many
 - \bigcirc C. twenty
 - \bigcirc D. many
- 2 Where will Chris meet Jeff?
 - \bigcirc A. behind the school
 - \bigcirc B. near the school
 - \bigcirc C. in the school
 - \bigcirc D. under the school
- When will the people meet on the hiking day? 3.
 - \bigcirc A. in the morning
 - \bigcirc B. in the afternoon
 - \bigcirc C. in the evening
 - \bigcirc D. at night
- Where will Jeff go hiking? 4.

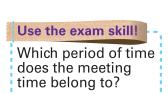
He will go hiking in _____

5. What does Chris bring for the hike?

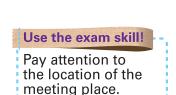
He brings _____

Who are going hiking? 6.

____ are going hiking.



Use the exam skill! How many photos does Jeff want to take?



Jeff wants to take ______ pictures when hiking.





Read the story. Answer the questions on the following page (12 marks @2 marks)

The boy who forgets

Fred is a good boy, but he is not good at remembering. On Monday morning, his mum says, 'It's time to get out of bed, <u>Fred</u>!' Fred forgets to wake up for school.

On Tuesday morning, his teacher asks, 'Where's your homework?' Fred forgets to do his homework.

On Wednesday afternoon, Fred is very hungry. He forgets to take his lunchbox to school.

On Thursday afternoon, Fred cannot have his PE lesson. He forgets to bring his trainers. 'Fred!' his PE teacher says.

On Friday morning, his teacher asks, 'Where are your schoolbooks?' Fred forgets to bring his schoolbag.

On Saturday morning, he remembers to get up early and bring his schoolbag. He goes to school happily, but the school is closed. He forgets it is a holiday!

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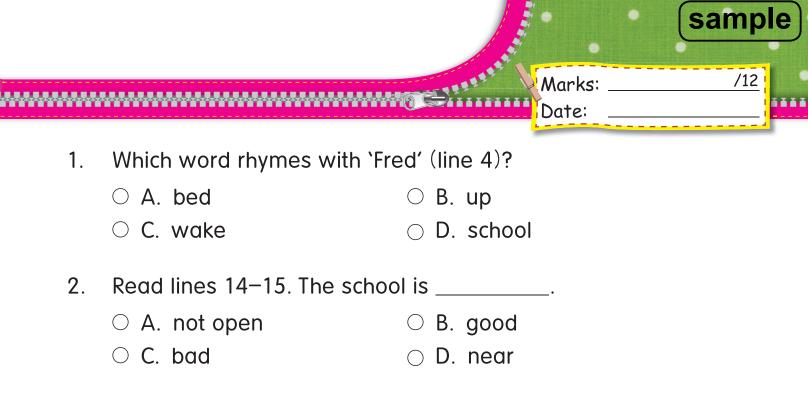
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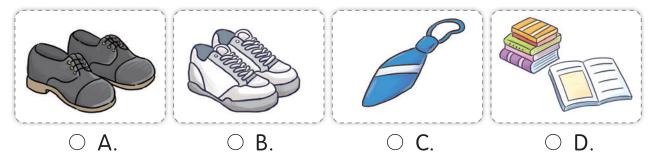
How much time do you need to finish this exercise? Compare it with the suggested time on p.56!

Check it up!

Check the meanings of the words in blue in Vocabulary Index on p.54-55!



3. On Thursday, what does Fred forget to bring?

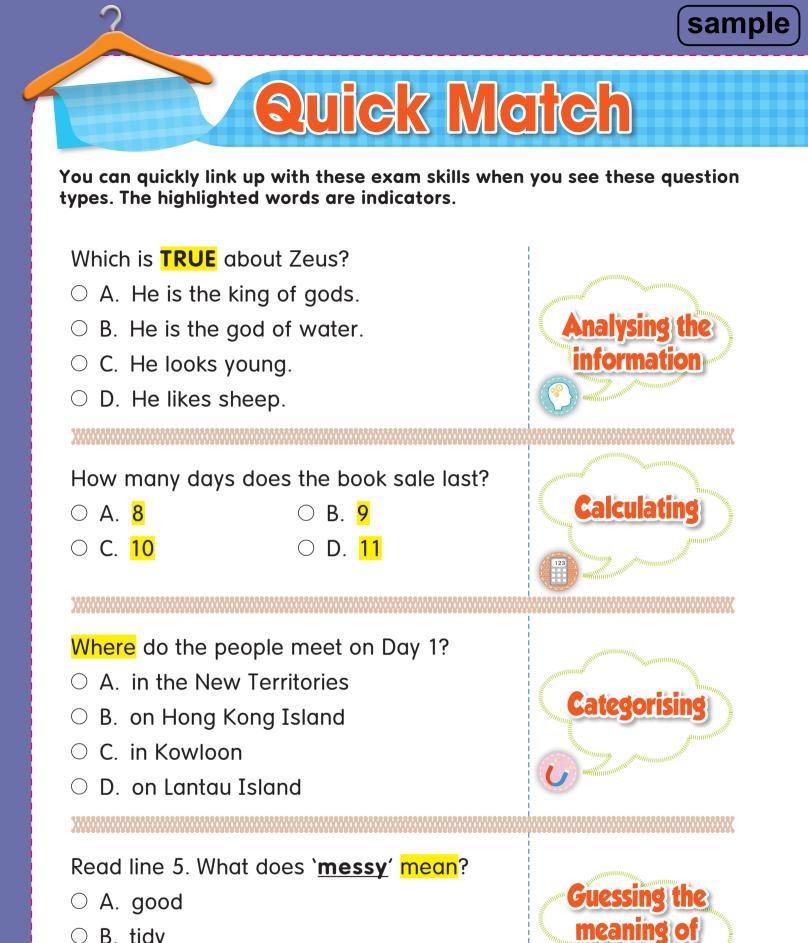


- 4. How does the PE teacher feel?
- 5. When does Fred have no lunch?
- 6. What does Fred remember to do on Saturday?

He remembers to _____ and _____.

Which skill did you use for each question? Fill in the question numbers.

ing specific mation	Understanding one's feelings	Rephrasing	Guessing the meaning of unfamiliar words	Identifying rhymes



unfamiliar words

- \bigcirc B. tidy
- \bigcirc C. untidy
- \bigcirc D. yummy