

# ESOL Skills for Life

## Entry 1 – Reading

### Sample paper 3

Time allowed: 45 minutes

- ▶ Please answer **all** questions.
- ▶ Circle your answers in pen, **not** pencil, **on the separate answer sheet**.
- ▶ You may **not** use dictionaries.
- ▶ You may **not** use correction fluid.

**Task 1**

Hi Amina,

How are you? I am happy. I love my town. It's called Greenton.

I live in Field Street. I live next door to Peter and Susie. Peter works at the hospital. The hospital is in Newfield. He is a cleaner. Susie works in a shop. The shop is in Manchester. It's near my college. I buy chocolate there.

Peter and Susie have two children. They are Anna and Jack. The children go to school in Greenton.

I have dinner with my neighbours. Peter cooks lovely food. Anna helps him. Then I do the washing up with Susie.

Love,

Khadija

**Questions 1-3**

Choose one letter for each question. Circle the letter of your answer **on your answer sheet**.

1. Where does Khadija live?
  - A Newfield
  - B Greenton
  - C Manchester
  
2. Who goes to school?
  - A Anna and Jack
  - B Peter and Susie
  - C Khadija and Amina
  
3. Which sentence is correct?
  - A Khadija doesn't like her town.
  - B Susie does the washing up.
  - C Amina lives next door to Peter.

**Questions 4-6**

Choose a word from the box to complete the sentences. There is one word you don't need.  
Circle the letter of your answer **on your answer sheet**.

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|----------------|
| A <i>Peter</i> |
| B Amina        |
| C Khadija      |
| D Susie        |
| E Anna         |

Example: ..... A ..... is a cleaner.

4. .... buys chocolate near her college.
5. .... cooks with Peter.
6. .... works in Manchester.

**Turn over page**

**Task 2**

**Text A**

Bread roll.....	20p
Sandwich.....	£1.99
Cake.....	99p
Biscuits.....	65p

**Text B**

**Dose**

Take 1 tablet  
 Take at meal times  
 Take 3 tablets a day

**Text C**

**Northport Library**


Telephone: 01204 289556

Open from 9am-6pm.

You can borrow books and CDs.

We have computers.

**Text D**

<p>10.06.17</p> <p>Hi Dino</p> <p><i>We are in Spain.              The weather is hot.              We go swimming              every day.</i></p> <p>Antonio</p>	  <p>44 Sale Street</p> <p>Blackpool</p> <p>FY9 1HD</p>
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**Text E**

Hi Fatima

My birthday party starts at 7 o'clock.

See you later.

Usha

**Questions 7-9**

Choose the letter of the correct text on page 4 and circle it **on your answer sheet**.

Example: ..... *B* ..... is a label

- 7. .... is a price list
- 8. .... is a postcard
- 9. .... is a text message

**Questions 10-12**

Choose the letter of the correct text on page 4 and circle it **on your answer sheet**.

Example: ..... *C* ..... has the number eight

- 10. .... has a date in June
- 11. .... has the number three
- 12. .... has the number seven

**Questions 13-15**

These words are in the texts. Choose the letter of the correct picture for each word. Circle the letter of your answer **on your answer sheet**.



**A**



**B**



**C**



**D**



**E**

Example: computer ..... *A* .....

- 13. sandwich .....
- 14. cake .....
- 15. books .....

Turn over page

**Task 3**

**Mayfield Surgery**

Opening hours	
Morning surgery	8.30-11.30am
Afternoon surgery	2.30-5.30pm
Closed Thursdays and weekends	

Hours of work				
	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Friday
Dr Patel	All day	All day	All day	All day
Dr Chan	Morning	Afternoon	Morning	Morning
Dr Smith	Afternoon	Afternoon	Day off	Afternoon



**Questions 16-18**

Choose one letter for each question. Circle the letter of your answer **on your answer sheet**.

- 16.** The surgery is  
 A open every day  
 B closed on Friday  
 C closed at weekends
- 17.** Dr Chan works in the afternoon on  
 A Friday  
 B Monday  
 C Tuesday
- 18.** You can see Dr Smith on  
 A Friday afternoon  
 B Monday morning  
 C Wednesday morning

**Questions 19-24**

Match the words to the signs A-J. Circle the letter of the correct sign **on your answer sheet**.

*Example: no smoking* ..... C .....

- 19.** appointments .....  
**20.** Dr Patel .....  
**21.** reception .....  
**22.** no mobile phones .....  
**23.** stairs .....  
**24.** emergency exit .....

**End of exam**