

| | | | |
|---------------|--|------------------|--|
| Centre Number | | Candidate Number | |
|---------------|--|------------------|--|

Cambridge Young Learners English

Starters

Reading & Writing

Sample Paper



UNIVERSITY of CAMBRIDGE
ESOL Examinations

English for Speakers of Other Languages

There are 25 questions.

You have 20 minutes.

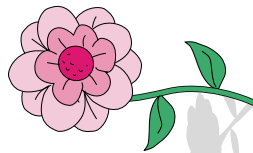
You will need a pen or pencil.

My name is:

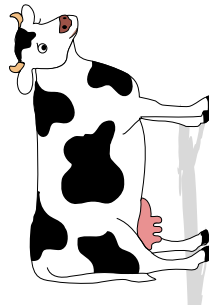
Part 1
- 5 questions -

Look and read. Put a tick (✓) or a cross (X) in the box.
There are two examples.

Examples



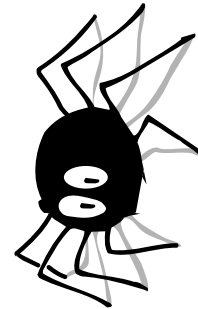
This is a flower.



This is a goat.



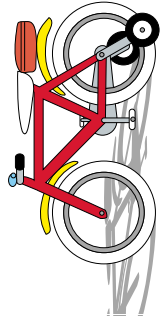
Questions



This is a fly.



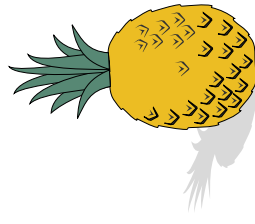
2



This is a bike.



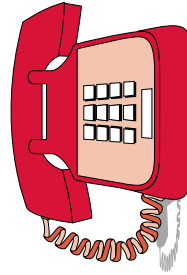
3



This is a pineapple.



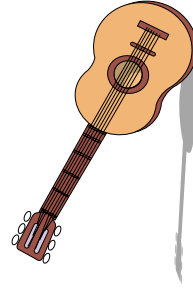
4



This is a television.



5



This is a guitar.



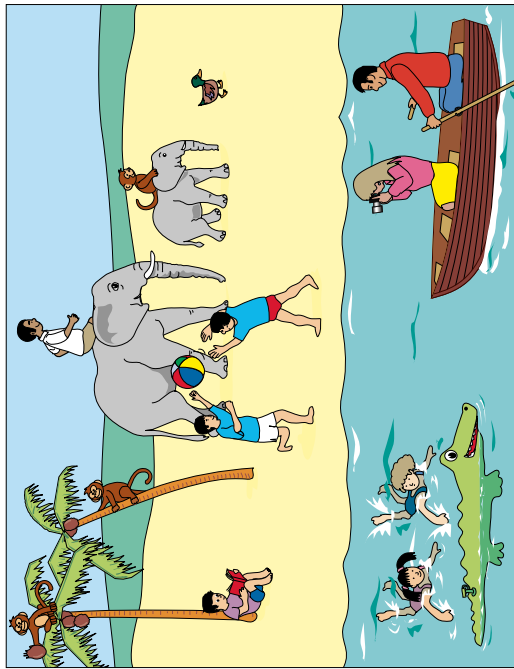
2

3

Part 2

– 5 questions –

Look and read. Write yes or no.



Examples

A boy is reading a book.

..... yes

A monkey is sitting on the big elephant.

..... no

Questions

- 1 There are two children in the sea.
- 2 The duck is walking behind the two elephants.
- 3 The girls are playing with a ball.
- 4 The woman in the boat has got a camera.
- 5 The crocodile is eating a coconut.

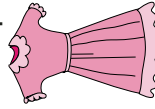
4

Part 3

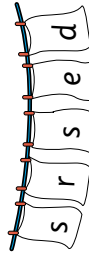
– 5 questions –

Look at the pictures. Look at the letters. Write the words.

Example

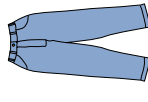


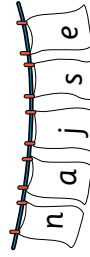
d r e s s



Questions

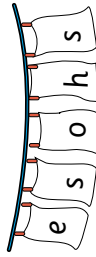
1



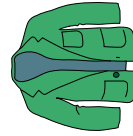


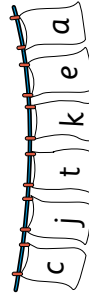
2





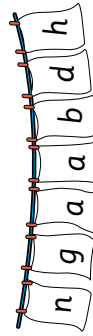
3





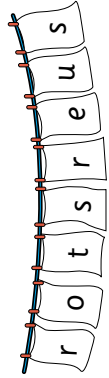
4





5



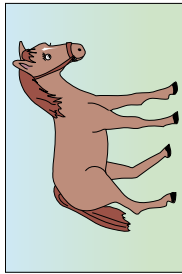


5

Part 4
- 5 questions -

Read this. Choose a word from the box. Write the correct word next to numbers 1-5. There is one example.

A horse



- I've got four , two ears, two eyes and long
(1) on my head. I'm a big animal. I don't live in
a (2) or a garden. I like eating
(3) and apples. I drink (4)
A woman, a (5) or a child can ride me.
What am I? I am a horse.

example



legs



hair



hippo



water



carrots



man



house



piano

Part 5
- 5 questions -

Look at the pictures and read the questions. Write one-word answers.



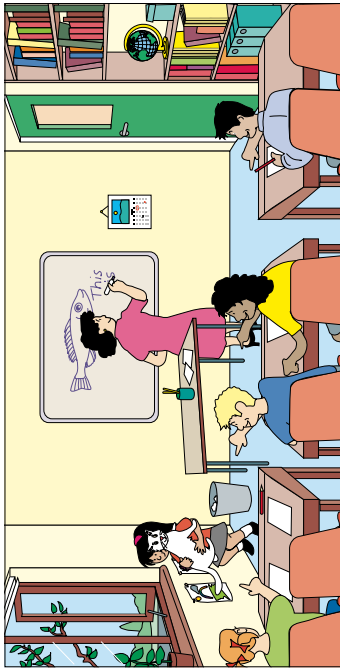
Examples

Where are the children? in the classroom

What colour is the cat? white

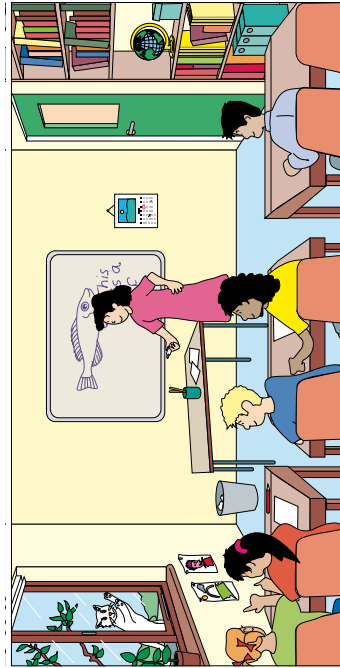
Questions

- 1 What is the teacher drawing? a



2 Who is holding the cat?
a

3 What is the teacher doing now?
.....



4 Where is the cat now?
at the

5 How many children are looking
at the cat?
.....

Starters Reading & Writing Marking Key

() = Acceptable extra words are placed in brackets
/ = A single slash is placed between acceptable alternative words within an answer
// = A double slash is placed between acceptable alternative complete answers

Part 1 5 marks

- 1 x
- 2 ✓
- 3 ✓
- 4 x
- 5 ✓

Part 2 5 marks

- 1 yes
- 2 no
- 3 no
- 4 yes
- 5 no

Part 3 5 marks

- 1 jeans
- 2 shoes
- 3 jacket
- 4 handbag
- 5 trousers

Part 4 5 marks

- 1 hair
- 2 house
- 3 carrots
- 4 water
- 5 man

Part 5 5 marks

- 1 fish
- 2 (school)girl/student/child/pupil
- 3 writing
- 4 window
- 5 5//five