

# Prima A + B placement test September 2021 – key

Total max. 50 pts

35 minutes

## A. USE OF ENGLISH: max. 10 pts./1 pt. per correct answer

### New school year, new school uniform

It's **September** \_\_\_\_\_. The summer **holidays** \_\_\_\_\_ are over and it's the beginning of the new school **year** \_\_\_\_\_ for British students. That means new pens, new books, new bags, for some even new classmates – and a new school **uniform** \_\_\_\_\_. So, **what** \_\_\_\_\_ makes a modern school uniform? There's **usually** \_\_\_\_\_ a shirt and a tie, a blazer – a kind of a smart jacket, **trousers** \_\_\_\_\_ for boys and a skirt for **girls** \_\_\_\_\_, plus perhaps shorts for the summer and a cardigan or a sweatshirt for the colder part of the year. Students can normally **wear** \_\_\_\_\_ their own shoes of a specific kind – not trainers! Would you **like/love** \_\_\_\_\_ to have a school uniform at our school?

## B. READING COMPREHENSION: max. 8 pts./2 pts. per correct answer

### Skiing in Africa

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When you think of Africa, you probably imagine white sandy beaches, pyramids, the Sahara, or lions wandering across savannas. Surprisingly, the continent is also attractive for skiers who are looking for more unusual **destinations**.

There are five mountain ranges in Africa which have enough snow for skiing. One of them is the mountain kingdom of Lesotho in southern Africa. People are surprised that the snow there is so very good. Under the bright African sun, skiers and snowboarders can enjoy the snow like in the Alps.

Last year was very bad for the resorts in Lesotho. Many places closed because of the coronavirus epidemic, and it was not possible to travel to Africa. Usually, around eighteen thousand people visit the place every year. In 2020, there were almost no visitors, and this year, the number of visitors is about a half of the usual number.



What does the word **destinations** mean?

a) holidays

**b) places to visit**

c) hotels

How many places suitable for skiing are there in Africa? a) 1

b) 3

**c) 5**

What is Lesotho? a) a city

b) a mountain

**c) a country**

How many people are there in the Lesotho skiing resorts this year?

a) 0-1000

b) about 4000

**c) about 9000**

**C. max. 20 pts./1 pt. per correct answer**

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| 1. _____ something delicious for dinner, please?              | a) Cans mum make       | b) Does mum can make      | <b>c) Can mum make</b>  |
| 2. Bye, everyone, have _____ lovely afternoon.                | a) the                 | <b>b) a</b>               | c) -                    |
| 3. Lynette really likes _____ teacher.                        | a) of her son          | <b>b) her son´s</b>       | c) son her              |
| 4. Where does he live? I don´t know _____ address.            | a) he                  | b) him                    | <b>c) his</b>           |
| 5. Do your _____ often go to the cinema?                      | a) classmate           | <b>b) classmates</b>      | c) classmates´          |
| 6. Does Julia like her tea hot or _____?                      | <b>a) cold</b>         | b) black                  | c) nice                 |
| 7. _____ on the grass. It´s forbidden.                        | <b>a) Don´t walk</b>   | b) Walking not            | c) Not walk             |
| 8. _____ in Italy in 2020?                                    | <b>a) Was Tallulah</b> | b) Did Tallulah be        | c) Does Tallulah was    |
| 9. I don´t want to do my homework _____ the morning.          | a) on                  | <b>b) in</b>              | c) at                   |
| 10. Billie Eilish is _____ than Miley Cyrus.                  | <b>a) younger</b>      | b) more young             | c) young                |
| 11. Carol, what time is your English lesson? – It´s at _____. | a) forty past nine     | b) five to quarter to ten | <b>c) twenty to ten</b> |
| 12. Harry´s grandma _____ a cat.                              | a) doesn´t have got    | b) has got not            | <b>c) hasn´t got</b>    |
| 13. _____ that Suri´s baby daughter´s bib?                    | a) Are                 | b) Am                     | <b>c) Is</b>            |
| 14. Are you sleepy? _____ a comfortable sofa in my office.    | <b>a) There´s</b>      | b) It is                  | c) There are            |
| 15. Jessie wants to be a _____, so she must study hard.       | <b>a) pilot</b>        | b) cleaner                | c) bus driver           |
| 16. Which country is NOT a neighbour of the Czech Republic?   | a) Slovakia            | b) Germany                | <b>c) Hungary</b>       |
| 17. Can unicorns run really fast? – No, they _____.           | a) don´t run.          | b) run not.               | <b>c) can´t.</b>        |
| 18. _____ open this letter until the weekend.                 | a) Do let not          | <b>b) Let´s not</b>       | c) Not let´s            |
| 19. What time _____ home from work?                           | <b>a) does dad get</b> | b) gets dad               | c) dad get              |
| 20. _____ toy bears do your children have?                    | a) How far             | b) How much               | <b>c) How many</b>      |

**D. PRACTICAL ENGLISH: max. 12 pts./2 pts. per correct answer**

**A** Dr Asher, are dogs really the same as teenagers?

~~**B** How do you know about it?~~

**C** What do dog teenagers do? Can you give us some examples?

**D** Do you always do what your parents say? Do you listen?

**E** What can be done about it?

**F** Why is this a problem?

**G** How many dogs at this age do people put away?

~~**H** What time does it happen?~~

**Your teenage dog ... is just like you!**

**D** \_\_\_\_\_?

Sometimes teenagers don´t. But it´s not just human teenagers – teen dogs are the same!

We asked a famous TV vet about this:

**A** \_\_\_\_\_?

Totally. Between the ages of six and twelve months, dogs enter puberty. They are not puppies and they are not adult dogs.

**C** \_\_\_\_\_?

They behave just like teenage kids. Sometimes they don´t listen to their owners, they don´t want to train, they are rebellious.

**F** \_\_\_\_\_?

It can be a problem for the owners - and the dogs, too. The dog isn´t a cute baby anymore, and it can be difficult to control the dog. Many people give up their dog at this age.

**G** \_\_\_\_\_?

In Great Britain it´s up to 15,000 dogs every year, and that´s a terrible number.

**E** \_\_\_\_\_?

Dog owners need to know that their dogs are in a phase, and it will soon be over.

Thank you for the interview, and good luck to all the teenage dogs!