

9 Letter



- * Pay attention to the date the letter was written. It helps you guess the dates of other events mentioned.
- * Make clear the relationship of the sender and the recipient.

Michelle has written a letter to her mum about her holiday in Australia. Read it carefully and choose the best answers for Questions 1-6. (12 marks @ 2 marks)

Dear Mum,

How are you doing in Hong Kong? I have been in Australia for a week. I still remember how excited I was when I got off the plane! It's fantastic here! There are many great attractions to visit and the people here are really friendly. I love the weather here too. It's sunny every day.

Today, I walked along the Gold Coast with Uncle Don. The sand was white and the water was clear. Uncle Don taught me how to surf. However, I wasn't very good at it. So I just sat on the shore and watched the professional surfers. They were amazing!

Tonight, Aunt Carol will cook at home. We will have a traditional barbecue. This morning, Aunt Carol got up early to go to the harbour to get fresher seafood. She bought some giant prawns and lobsters for tonight's barbecue. I can't wait!

I really don't want to leave but I miss you and Dad very much. I have learnt a lot during my visit here and I think my English has improved as well. Do you think so?

Please write back soon.

Love,

Michelle

Listening

Reading

Writing



1. What did Michelle **NOT** mention about Australia in the letter?

- A. The weather was great.
- B. The people were friendly.
- C. Shopping was cheap.
- D. There were many places to visit.

2. Where did Michelle go on the day she wrote the letter?

- A. To a shopping centre
- B. To a beach
- C. To a theme park
- D. To a restaurant

3. What did Michelle think about the professional surfers?

- A. They were silly.
- B. They were great.
- C. They were young.
- D. They were old.

4. What kind of food will Aunt Carol make?

- A. Japanese food
- B. American food
- C. Chinese food
- D. Australian food

5. Why did Aunt Carol go to the harbour early in the morning?

- A. The prices were lower.
- B. The seafood was fresher.
- C. There were less people.
- D. There was more seafood.

6. Arrange the following activities of Michelle's visit to Australia in the correct order. Write A, B, C or D in the .

- A. Having a walk along the Gold Coast
- B. Having a seafood meal at home
- C. Arriving at the airport
- D. Learning how to surf

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