



Pre-reading

S When a question asks which **the most likely result** is, it is important to:

1. circle any **keywords** in the question and **compare the options**
2. read the **relevant paragraphs** once quickly
3. find **clues** to help make a **logical guess**

e.g.

Kelly has wanted to be a singer since she was ten. Although she wrote many songs, she **did not have money** to promote them on the radio or TV. One day, she heard a beautiful song produced by a songwriter in the USA **on the Internet**. **An excellent idea** popped into her head.

How would Kelly probably promote her songs?

- A. By hosting a radio programme B. By moving to the USA
 C. By sharing them on the Internet D. By becoming a songwriter

‘**An excellent idea**’, referring to putting songs online, caught Kelly’s attention.

Warm Up

Read the text carefully and choose the best answers for Questions 1-4.

(8 marks @ 2 marks)

1.

Mary loves animals so much. She especially loves wild animals so she always watches nature programmes to learn more about them. When she sees sick or injured animals in the programmes, she has a great deal of heartache. That is why she has decided to try her best to help those animals in the future.

Which job would Mary probably choose when she grows up?

- A. A vet
 B. A doctor
 C. A director
 D. An explorer



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heartache: a feeling of great sadness

2. Pitt was a lazy boy. Last Monday was the day of the Maths exam. He didn't do any revision before the exam, so he did poorly in it. He was really upset. He just wanted to go back in time to change the past. One day, he woke up and found out that he was back to the time two weeks before the Maths exam.

What would Pitt probably do this time? He would _____.

- A. give up preparing for the Maths exam
- B. be lazy again
- C. start revising for the Maths exam earlier
- D. go back in time again and again

3. Next Sunday is Father's Day. Sophia and Karl wanted to buy a gift for Dad. 'I know Dad lost his gold watch. We can buy him a new one,' said Karl. 'I'm afraid we don't have enough money. How about a sweater or a shirt? Oh! I remember Dad loves clothes with stripes,' replied Sophia. Karl nodded and said, 'Let's go to the department store to have a look.'

What would Sophia and Karl probably buy for Dad?

- A. A gold watch
- B. A shirt with stripes
- C. A golden sweater
- D. A wallet with stripes

4. Hi Ernest,
The summer holiday is coming. I'm going to join an interest class. But you know what, my mum asked me to join an English or piano class. I told her that I like playing fun and challenging sports. I also want to play with my friends in a team. I want to run and sweat a lot. This can help me relax in the summer. Luckily, she understood and let me choose the class I prefer.

Anthony

Which summer class would Anthony probably join?

- A. English class
- B. Swimming class
- C. Piano class
- D. Basketball class



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Find out what Anthony is interested in first.

Let's Practise

 8 min

Zoe is reading some messages about travelling in an online chat room. Read them carefully and choose the best answers for Questions 1-5. (10 marks @ 2 marks)

 New Topic

 Post Reply

Travellers' Chat Room

Users

Messages

Posted by Vicky



Topic: Chiang Mai—a relaxing place!

Bored with Bangkok? Chiang Mai is another relaxing city in Thailand that you can visit. I took a three-hour flight to get there and stayed there for three nights last week. During my stay, I took a Thai cuisine cooking class. I learnt to make yummy Thai curry. Also, I had a body massage and felt really relaxed afterwards. All of you should visit this city!

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Posted by Nick



Topic: Re: Chiang Mai—a relaxing place!

Chiang Mai is great for a short holiday. I've been there twice. This year I'll go on a longer trip. I've planned to visit my aunt in New Zealand with my parents in July. I can't wait to go bungee jumping there. It must be very exciting! Besides, the farm visits and boat trips seem interesting and I can have a closer look at nature.

19:45 12 / 05 / 20XX

Posted by Dan



Topic: My India Trip

Wow, bungee jumping! I like exciting activities too! I travelled to India last month. The flight was slightly longer than going to Thailand. I rode on an elephant and it was cute. However, I felt extremely bored as it walked very slowly. Also, all I visited there were temples, temples and temples. Obviously, India isn't my cup of tea for a vacation.

19:55 12 / 05 / 20XX

Posted by Sarah



Topic: Re: My India Trip

I'm sorry to hear that you didn't enjoy your trip. I'm planning to go travelling in August. My friends ask me to go on a **cruise** in Europe. A trip by sea is great but I may get seasick. Plus, I only want to go on a short trip to refresh myself. I prefer visiting a place nearby so that it won't take me long to travel there.

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1. Which of the following is **NOT** true about Vicky?

- A. She was in Bangkok last week.
- B. She travelled to Thailand by plane last week.
- C. She knows how to make Thai curry now.
- D. She enjoyed the body massage.

2. Nick will go to New Zealand in July because _____.

- A. he wants to go bungee jumping
- B. he will visit his aunt there
- C. he wants to have a closer look at nature
- D. he can visit farms and travel on a boat there

S 3. Which do you think Dan would probably do in his next trip?

- A. Shopping
- B. Visiting churches
- C. Water skiing
- D. Fishing

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Find out what Dan likes and dislikes first, and then make a logical guess.

4. In Sarah's message, '**cruise**' means _____.

- A. a short vacation
- B. a travel agency
- C. a very long trip
- D. a journey by boat or ferry

S 5. Which of the following would Sarah probably visit?

- A. Chiang Mai
- B. New Zealand
- C. India
- D. Europe