

## LANGUAGE (12pts)


 Best  
of  
Luck
1. Put the bracketed words in the correct **TENSE** / **FORM**. (4 marks)

Visiting an art gallery can be fun. It can be stimulating and (**provokes thought**) ..... However, it can also be perplexing and alienating, making you feel (**not sure**) ..... about what you are looking at. Regardless of whether you feel this is because there is too much or not enough information available, the layout of the artwork is (**intimidate**) ....., or that you need more guidance on how (**approach**) ..... art, everyone should be able to enjoy a gallery trip. It should be a positive experience that (**define**) ..... by your own interests, but also your (**willing**) ..... to be (**pleasant**) ..... surprised and guided out of your comfort zone. Following some, or all, of the steps below (**help**) ..... to give you a working framework with which to approach art in a discerning way and make your trip to an art gallery enjoyable.

## 2. Circle the correct alternative. (4 marks)

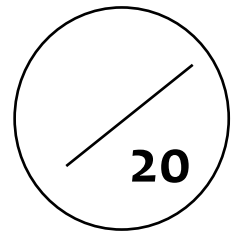
If there was one piece of advice I have for people today to experience more joy in life, it is to travel more. I don't mean (**making / having / taking**) vacations or going on pre-planning trips, I mean making the (**day / journey / life**) out to somewhere you've never gone before with an open schedule, to let life (**show / showing / to show**) you what opportunities were waiting (**for / at / to**) you that you couldn't (**have even imaged / imagine / imagined**) before. (**To travel / Travel / Traveling**) is wonderful in many ways. It captures us with a sense of wanderlust and has us longing for more (**destinations / flights / views**) to visit, cultures to experience, food to eat, and people to meet. As amazing as traveling is, most of us think we need to wait until our later years to really explore a lot of the world. I want to inspire you (**to travel / traveling / travel**) more now and I will do that by sharing wonderful benefits of traveling .

## 3. Fill in the blanks with words from the list. ( there are two extra words) (4marks)

to - Passengers - space - accessible - abroad - witness - including - founded - gravity - but

California-based firm Orion Span has announced that the first ever-ever luxury 'space hotel' is set to be in orbit within four years, and will be able to welcome guests within five. But the firm is charging space tourists a massive £6.7 million for a 12-day stay ..... the Aurora Station. .... will be allowed to experience zero ..... and gaze upon picturesque views of Earth, as well as ..... an estimated 16 sunsets and sunrises every day. The plans for the ..... hotel, dubbed Aurora Station, were announced yesterday at the Space 2.0 summit in San Jose, California. The hotel will house six people at any one time, ..... two crews and four guests. Orion Span, which was ..... by Fran Bunger, claims its goal is to "build and sustain human communities in space ..... to all." CEO Mr Bunger said: "We developed Aurora Station to provide a turnkey destination in space.

Name.....Class.....



**Listening Comprehension (8 pts)**

**1. Tick  the correct alternative. (1 mark)**

The passage is mainly about :

- A boy who had a great time in his summer camp.
- A boy whose summer camp was OK.
- A boy who didn't have fun during his summer camp.

**2. Correct these false statements with details from the text. (3 marks)**

**A.** Before having breakfast, Brad had to go down to the stream to get some water.

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**B.** His great catch ,the old shoe ,ended Brad's fishing career.

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**C.** Brad got lost when he was running away from a bear.

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**3. Pick out 2 activities that Brad could do in the afternoon. (2 marks)**

a-.....

b-.....

**4. Complete the paragraph with 2 words from the passage. (1 mark)**

At night, we sit around a .....in front of the cabin, sing songs, and tell .....stories.

**5.What is the function of the following utterance. (1 mark)**

"A bear or wolf could have eaten me."

a-ability

b-possibility

c-deduction



Dear Mom and Dad,

This is my fifth day at summer camp. Life in the great outdoors isn't exactly what I expected, but I'm not starving . . . yet . . . so don't worry about me.

I guess I should tell you about what I do every day. First, everyone has to get up at 5:30 A.M. They have this silly old rooster named Harry who loves to wake us up. Next, we have to make our beds and tidy up the cabin before our camp counselor, Jeff, comes to inspect the place.

Then, we have breakfast around 6:30 A.M. After that, we have some free time, so I've been going down to the nearby stream to fish for a couple of hours. But yesterday, the only thing I caught was an old shoe and a tree branch. Great catch, Huh? Then when I was trying to swat a mosquito buzzing around my head, I slipped and fell in the stream and lost my fishing pole. That ended my fishing career.

Well, in the afternoon, there are different activities we can choose from like archery, horseback riding, and hiking. I thought archery would be the sport for me until I shot an arrow through Jeff's pant leg. As you can imagine, I haven't been invited back since.

In the evening, everyone is assigned a different chore to get dinner ready. Yesterday, I was in charge of cooking the hotdogs, but I accidentally dropped them in the fire, so we had to settle for beans instead. The other kids are always razzing me about it.

At night, we sit around a campfire in front of the cabin, sing songs, and tell ghost stories. That's usually fun, but one night while trying to find more sticks for the fire, I got all turned around and got lost. After about an hour of wandering aimlessly in the forest, I finally found my way back, but no one seemed to have realized what had happened, thinking that I just had gone to bed. A bear or wolf could have eaten me and no one would have known it. I was so beat I just crashed . . . out like a light.

Well, today is another day and tomorrow I go home . . . and not a bit too soon. I've learned that camping is just not for me.

Love,

Brad

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