

True/False

1 In True/False reading activities, what should you do first?

- a read the True/False sentences slowly
- b read the text slowly
- c read the text quickly

2 Write the correct country or nationality words to complete the table.

Country	Nationality
Brazil	Brazilian
China	(1)
(2)	Egyptian
Japan	(3)
(4)	Turkish
the UK	(5)
(6)	American

✓ Exam tip

In True/False reading activities, first read the whole text quickly. Then read the True/False sentences. Read the parts of the text where you think the answers are. Now read slowly. Then answer all the questions.

3 Read the text and decide if the statements are True (T) or False (F).

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| 1 Sky's mother is British. | T / F |
| 2 Sky lives in three countries. | T / F |
| 3 Sky is often in the sea. | T / F |
| 4 Sky gets up late in the morning. | T / F |
| 5 Sky can sing and dance. | T / F |
| 6 A lot of people see Sky on the internet. | T / F |



Sky Brown: skateboard star

Sky Brown is very young, but she's a very famous skateboarder. She jumps and does very difficult things on her skateboard. She's very strong and fast.

Sky's birthday is 12th July 2008. She's British and Japanese. Her father is British and her mother is Japanese. She's got a little brother. His name is Ocean and he's a skateboarder, too. She lives in California in the US, so she's got a lot of American friends. But she lives in Japan too! Usually, she's in the US for around six months and in Japan for around six months every year. Her mother's parents, Sky's grandparents, live in Japan.

Of course, Sky is very good at skateboarding, but she's also very good at surfing. It's like skateboarding, but in the sea. She lives near the sea so she can go surfing often. She gets up very early in the morning, at 4 am, so she can go surfing before school. Then she skateboards after school and goes surfing again in the evening!

Sky is also good at singing. Her first song is called *Girl*. In the song she says that girls can do anything. That's not all! Sky is also an author. Her book is called *Sky's the Limit*. And she can dance, too! She's on an American TV programme called *Dancing with the Stars Juniors*.

A lot of people like Sky on Instagram®. She's got more than 800,000 followers and many more people watch her videos on YouTube™. She can do anything!

4 Read the text again and find words that have these meanings.

- a a sport that you do in the sea (paragraph 3)
- b a person who writes books (paragraph 4)
- c something you watch on television (paragraph 4)
- d a person who likes you on the internet (paragraph 5)

A2 Key Part 1

1 Read the short texts in exercise 3. Which text (1–6) is about ...?

- a a holiday
- b a place where you can eat
- c something for students in different countries
- d something students can do with their families
- e something you can buy
- f something students must do at home

2 Choose the correct alternative.

- 1 The son of your parents is your brother/uncle.
- 2 Your uncle is the daughter/son of your grandparents.
- 3 The sister of your father is your niece/aunt.
- 4 The daughter of your parents is your grandmother/sister.
- 5 The brother of your mother is your uncle/nephew.
- 6 Your mother is the niece/daughter of your grandmother
- 7 The parents of your parents are your grandchildren/grandparents.

✓ Exam tip

In Key Part 1, first read each short text carefully, and decide what it is about. Think about where you might find the information (e.g., is it an email from school, a notice pinned on a noticeboard, a text from a friend, etc.?)

3 For each question, choose the correct answer.

1

To: Parents
From: Head Teacher



Please come to our school Fun Day with your son or daughter. Students' brothers or sisters can come too. It's on 12th May, 11 am to 3 pm

- A The Fun Day is on 11th May.
- B Parents can go to the Fun Day with their children.
- C The Fun Day is three hours.

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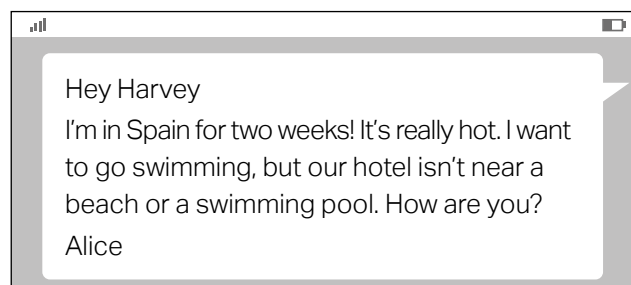
New restaurant!



Brazilian, Argentinian and Mexican food.
Open Wednesday to Sunday, 6 pm–10 pm.

- A You can eat food from four different countries here.
- B You can have dinner here on Tuesday evening.
- C The restaurant is open five evenings every week.

3



- A Alice tells Harvey what the weather is like.
- B Alice is at the beach.
- C Alice lives in Spain.

4

Buy Mother's Day flowers here!

Big yellow flowers: £10
Small red flowers: £8
Small pink flowers £7



- A The shop has got small yellow flowers.
- B You can buy flowers for your mother here.
- C You can buy flowers in two different colours.

5

To: Class 9A
From: Mr. Day



For today's homework, talk to your parents, grandparents, aunts or uncles about the Internet. How often do they use it? What for? Write 200–300 words.

Students in Class 9A

- A must talk to adults in their family for homework.
- B must write more than 300 words for homework.
- C haven't got any homework today.

6

Are you learning English? Do you want to practise writing in English?



You can write emails to a student in the UK, the US or Australia. There's more information [here](#).

- A You can only do this if you live in the UK, the US or Australia.
- B You can go to the UK, the US or Australia to practise English.
- C You can practise English with British, American or Australian students.