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本卷共有 20 頁，全部題目均須作答。
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4. Time allowed is 50 minutes.
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Other Questions — Write your answers in the spaces provided.

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Part 1

Susan is reading some information in a youth centre.

Read the information.

What's New

Weekend Activities

Free of Charge. First Come, First Served.

How to Make Good Use of the Internet

Content:

- video meeting with up to eight users
- online shopping
- searching for information on the Internet

Date: Saturday, 13 July

Time: 2:30 PM – 4:30 PM

Place: Computer Room,
Wan Chai Youth Centre

Speaker: Winnie Chan

A Creative Mind

Content:

Prize-winning artist, Mary Li, will share her love of painting – how she gets ideas from her daily life and chooses colours.

Date: Sunday, 14 July

Time: 3:00 PM – 4:00 PM

Place: Room 2, Wan Chai Youth Centre

Staying Healthy

Advice on:

- ✓ doing exercise
- ✓ eating healthily
- ✓ getting enough sleep

Date: Saturday, 20 July

Time: 3:30 PM – 4:30 PM

Place: Hall, Wan Chai Youth Centre

Speaker: Dr Sally Choi

Choosing a Suitable Book

Content:

Ms Annie Wong, the librarian, will show you these steps:

- look at the title and the cover illustration
- check the table of contents
- study the back cover
- read the first page and check your understanding

Date: Sunday, 21 July

Time: 2:00 PM – 3:00 PM

Place: Library, Wan Chai Youth Centre

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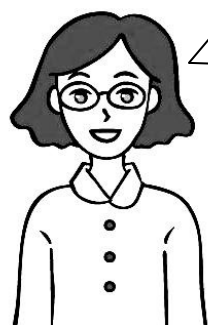
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1. Susan wants to know more about a good diet. She should go to the centre on _____.
 - ☐ A. 13 July
 - ☐ B. 14 July
 - ☐ C. 20 July
 - ☐ D. 21 July
2. Susan is very interested in art. Whose presentation should she go to?
 - ☐ A. Winnie Chan's
 - ☐ B. Mary Li's
 - ☐ C. Sally Choi's
 - ☐ D. Annie Wong's
3. Susan wants to know how to buy a painting online. She should go to the centre on _____.
 - ☐ A. 13 July
 - ☐ B. 14 July
 - ☐ C. 20 July
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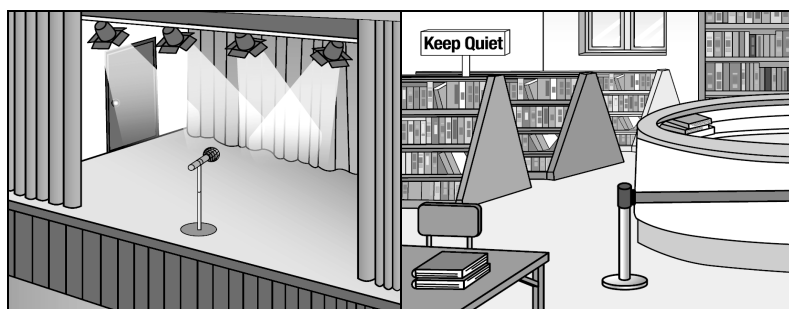


Welcome to the youth centre.
These are the best things you
can do for yourself - eat well,
get plenty of rest ...

Who is the speaker?

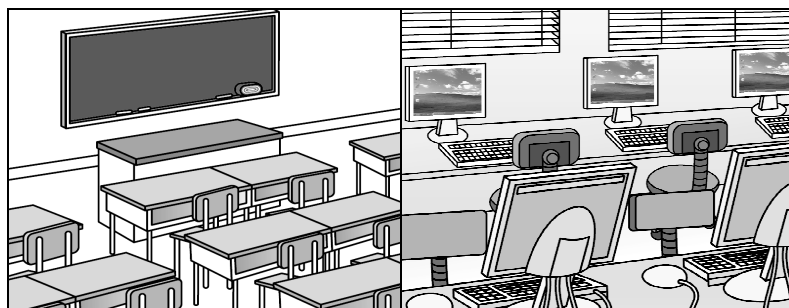
- ☐ A. Winnie Chan
- ☐ B. Mary Li
- ☐ C. Sally Choi
- ☐ D. Annie Wong

5. Where will Winnie Chan give her talk?



☐ A.

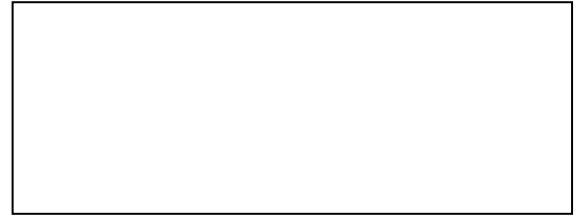
☐ B.



☐ C.

☐ D.

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6. Mary Li is _____.

- ☐ A. a doctor
- ☐ B. a painter
- ☐ C. a librarian
- ☐ D. a salesperson

7. According to Ms Annie Wong's advice, put the following pictures in the correct order.

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3		4	

- ☐ A. 1 → 3 → 4 → 2
- ☐ B. 1 → 4 → 2 → 3
- ☐ C. 4 → 2 → 1 → 3
- ☐ D. 2 → 3 → 1 → 4

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Part 2

David is reading some information in the library.

Read the information.

A Famous Prize-winning Writer - Maria Ho

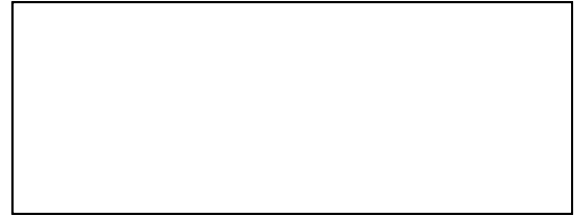


- 1950 born in England 1
- 1956 moved to Hong Kong and studied in Primary 1
- 1962 returned to England and studied in Year 7
- 1966 entered university at the age of 16 to study languages
- 1969 got a scholarship to study a Master's course in the USA 5
- 1973 started work in Hong Kong as a writer for 'New Age'
- 1981 wrote a prize-winning novel, 'Life' (4th Hong Kong English Writing Competition)
- 1983 wrote a prize-winning short story, 'It's a joke!' (3rd Asia-Pacific Short Story Competition) 10
- 1989 had a serious illness and rested for two years
- 1995 wrote a prize-winning poem, 'What an Adventure!' (6th Asian Poetry Competition)
- 2010 retired and moved to Canada

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Choose the best answer by blackening the circle.

1. David is reading about _____.
☐ A. studying hard at school
☐ B. teaching people how to write
☐ C. the life of a person
☐ D. language learning
2. Maria Ho's birthplace is _____.
☐ A. Canada
☐ B. England
☐ C. Hong Kong
☐ D. the USA
3. In line 6, 'New Age' is _____.
☐ A. a magazine
☐ B. a language
☐ C. a competition
☐ D. a period of time
4. Maria Ho is famous because _____.
☐ A. she entered university in 1966
☐ B. she has lived in many countries
☐ C. she has been on TV many times
☐ D. she has won many prizes in competitions

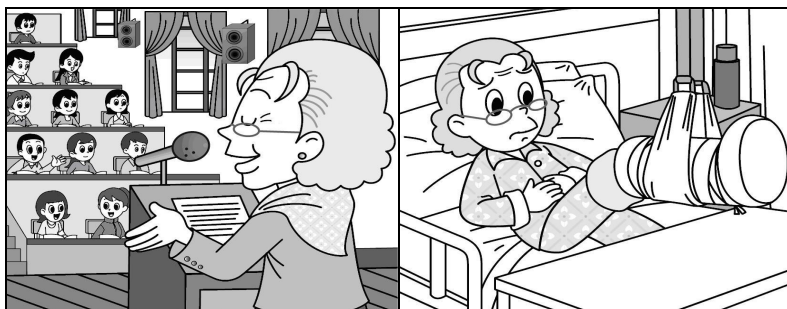
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5. Which of the following is **NOT** true about Maria Ho?

- ☐ A. She studied in England.
- ☐ B. She is living in Canada.
- ☐ C. She went to primary school in Hong Kong.
- ☐ D. She won a prize in a poetry competition in 1983.

6. Which of the following best describes Maria Ho's life in Canada now?



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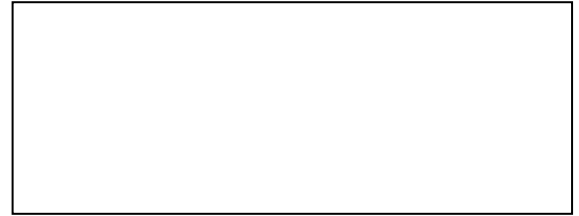
☐ B.



☐ C.

☐ D.

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Part 3

David, Sally and Tom wrote for the school magazine.

Read their writing.

Sports Day

I will remember this Sports Day for a very long time. Why? I 1
ended up going to hospital! I ran in three races and came first
in all of them. However, just after finishing the third race, I fell
down and hurt my ankle. I had to go to hospital and spent four
hours there. Fortunately, the injury was not serious. I am fine 5
now.

David Chan (Class 6B)

I am very angry with myself! I love running, so I entered the
100-metre race. However, I was too excited. Just before the
teacher gave the signal to start, I began to run. I did this two 10
times and so I was not allowed to take part in the race any
more. I must learn to stay calm next time.

Sally Wong (Class 6D)

I was a helper on Sports Day. I helped organise the races.
Before the races, I had to make sure that the runners were 15
standing behind the starting line. Also, I had to give water to
the runners during the race. I was glad to help on Sports Day
and I want to help again.

Tom Lee (Class 6D)

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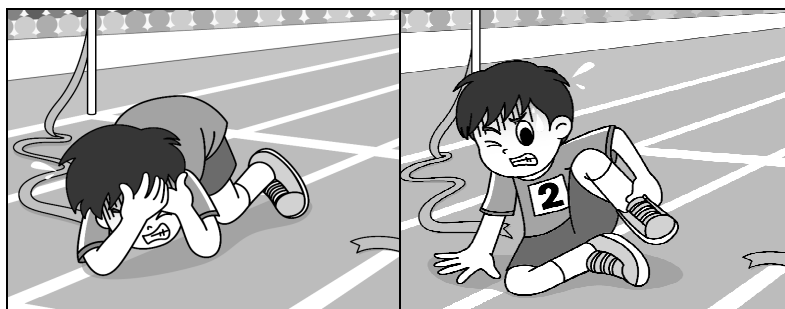
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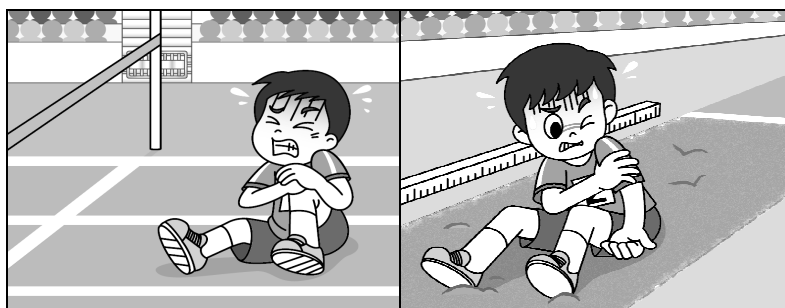
1. Why will David remember this Sports Day for a long time?

- ☐ A. He was fine.
- ☐ B. He ran in three races.
- ☐ C. He won all his races.
- ☐ D. He had to go to hospital.

2. What happened to David on Sports Day?



- ☐ A.
- ☐ B.



- ☐ C.
- ☐ D.

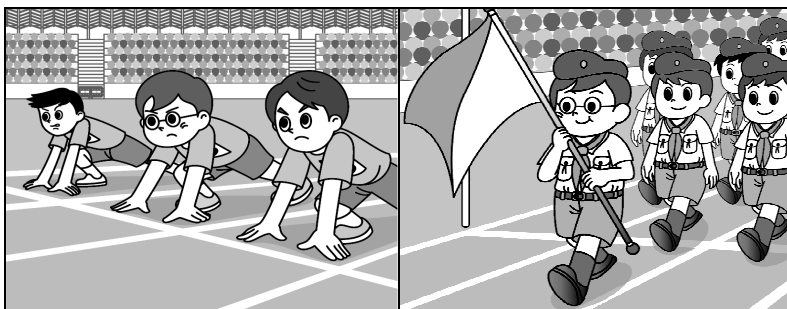
3. Sally was angry with herself because _____.

- ☐ A. she broke a rule
- ☐ B. she was very calm
- ☐ C. she loved running a lot
- ☐ D. she entered the 100-metre race

4. What did Sally learn from this event?

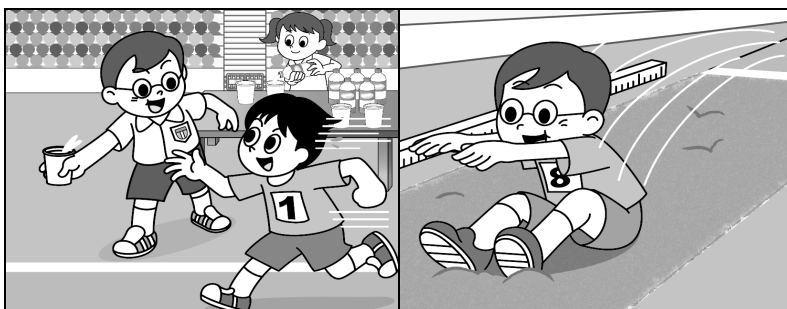
- ☐ A. not to be angry again
- ☐ B. not to get too excited
- ☐ C. to enter more races
- ☐ D. to give a signal

5. What did Tom do on Sports Day?



☐ A.

☐ B.



☐ C.

☐ D.

6. Tom will _____ on the next Sports Day.

- ☐ A. be a student helper
- ☐ B. enter a running race
- ☐ C. join a cheering team
- ☐ D. give prizes to the winners

Part 4

David is reading a letter.

Read the **first part** of the letter. Answer Questions 1 – 5.

Dear David,

1

It's Mary here. How's life in Hong Kong? We haven't seen each other for almost a year. My family and I had a happy, healthy year in 2012. We really like our life in Canada.

Dad and Mum enjoy their leisure time here. Dad is still very busy with his cycling club. He sometimes takes photos at special events, like at my friend's birthday party last week. Mum has joined the Chinese Painting Society. She goes to workshops as well as evening classes. She likes to keep fit, too. She does aqua aerobics with her friends. They look like they are dancing together in the water. As for me, I'm always occupied with my studies. I'm also busy preparing for my piano exam.

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Looking back over the year, we did a lot of things as a family. During Chinese New Year, we had a visit from my sister Diana and her two children. Dad and Mum enjoyed being with their grandsons. They took them to many places that little kids like. At Easter, we spent a few days at Lake Louise.

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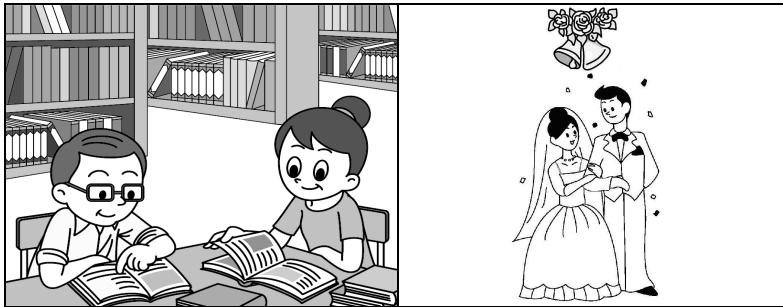
The weather was warm and we had a great time.

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1. Mary's dad spends most of his leisure time _____.

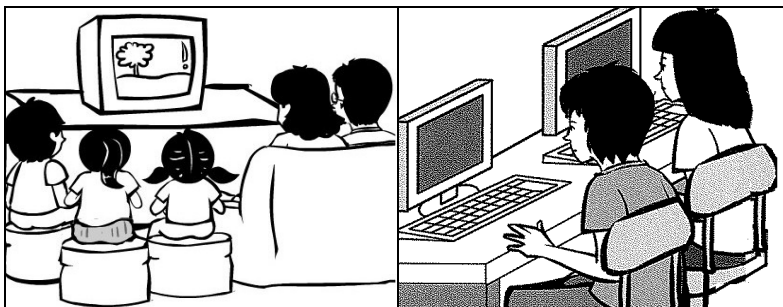
- ☐ A. riding his bicycle
- ☐ B. taking photos
- ☐ C. swimming
- ☐ D. painting

2. Where would Mary's dad take photos?



☐ A.

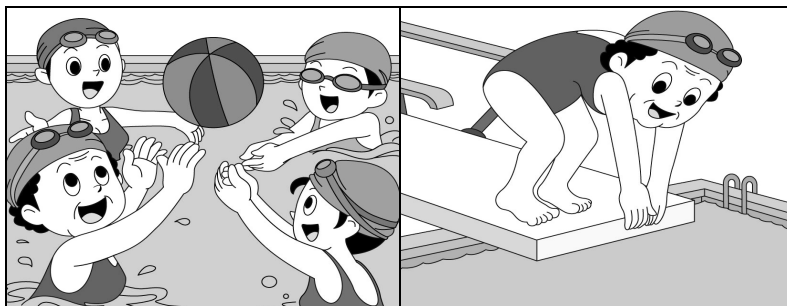
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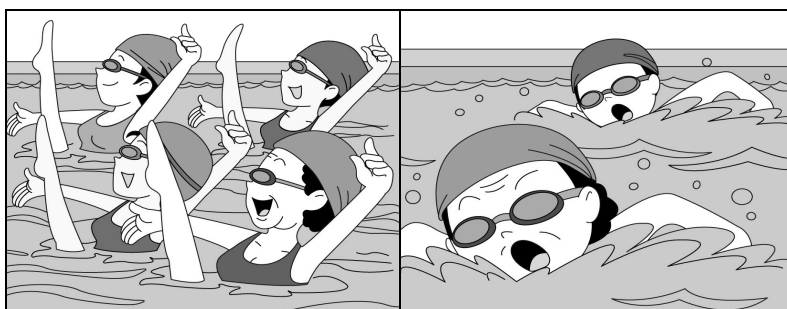
☐ D.

3. What does Mary's mum do in the swimming pool?



☐ A.

☐ B.



☐ C.

☐ D.

4. According to the letter, Mary _____.

- ☐ A. has two children
- ☐ B. is Diana's cousin
- ☐ C. likes Chinese painting
- ☐ D. is going to take a piano exam

5. In line 10, what does the word 'occupied' mean?

occupied *adjective*

1. Involved or busy
'Helen keeps her time well occupied.'
2. In use; filled
'This table is already occupied.'

occupied *verb (past tense)*

3. Lived (in a certain place)
'The villagers occupied the farm for a long time.'
4. As of time or space
'The large picture occupied the space on the wall.'

- ☐ A. 1
- ☐ B. 2
- ☐ C. 3
- ☐ D. 4

Read the **second part** of the letter. Answer Questions 6 – 8.

My parents and I travelled to Beijing during the summer holidays. We 1
took the cable car to the Great Wall. It was very exciting. We were
also pleased to see how modern Beijing is. It was amazing to see the
Bird's Nest Stadium and the Water Cube. I loved the Great Wall but
the eye-catching Olympic architecture was unforgettable too! 5

Two weeks ago on Christmas Day, the whole family had dinner at
home. It was the first time we had ever had a turkey for Christmas. I
heard the turkey sizzling when Mum opened the oven door. We
enjoyed the food and loved being together for this festival.

Give my regards to your mum and dad and send me some photos of 10
your trip to Singapore.

Love from your cousin,

Mary

Choose the best answer by blackening the circle.

6. Read lines 4 – 5: ... but the eye-catching Olympic architecture was unforgettable too!
Which of the following is an example of ‘Olympic architecture’?

- ☐ A. Lake Louise
- ☐ B. the cable car
- ☐ C. the Great Wall
- ☐ D. the Bird’s Nest Stadium

7. Which of the following is true about Mary’s trip to Beijing?

- ☐ A. Mary enjoyed the trip.
- ☐ B. Mary went to Beijing at Easter.
- ☐ C. Mary spent the trip with Diana.
- ☐ D. Mary did not like the Olympic architecture.

8. In line 8, ‘sizzling’ is the _____ of the turkey cooking in the oven.

- ☐ A. size
- ☐ B. smell
- ☐ C. sound
- ☐ D. taste

Read the **first** and **second parts** of the letter again. Answer Questions 9 – 11.

Choose the best answer by blackening the circle.

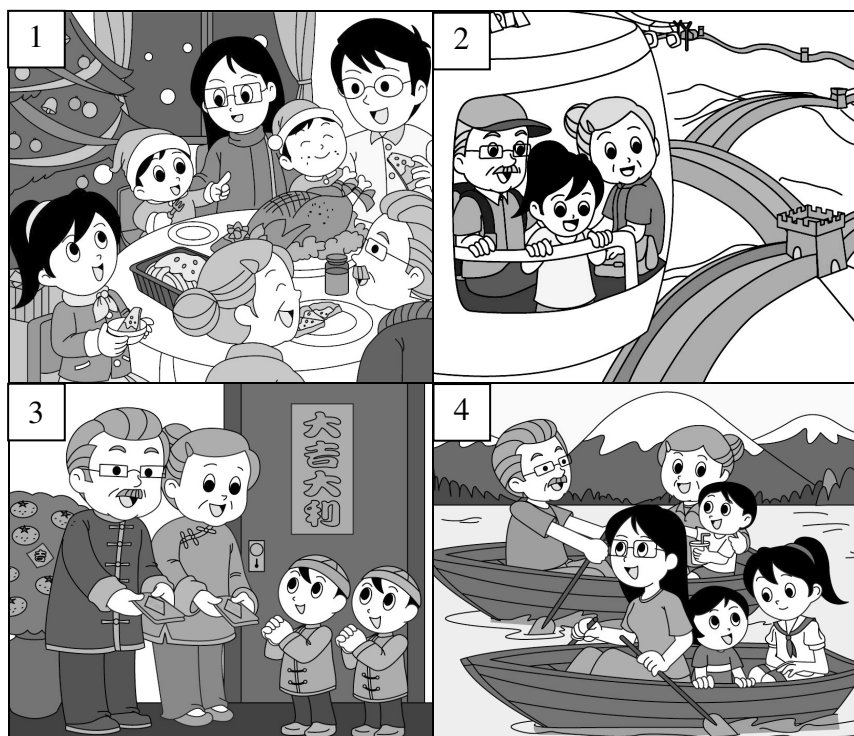
9. Where does Mary live?

- ☐ A. Beijing
- ☐ B. Canada
- ☐ C. Hong Kong
- ☐ D. Singapore

10. When did Mary write this letter?

- ☐ A. January 2012
- ☐ B. September 2012
- ☐ C. January 2013
- ☐ D. July 2013

11. The following pictures show what Mary's family did over the year.



What is the correct order for the pictures?

- ☐ A. 1 → 3 → 2 → 4
- ☐ B. 2 → 3 → 4 → 1
- ☐ C. 3 → 2 → 4 → 1
- ☐ D. 3 → 4 → 2 → 1

Part 5

You went on an outing with your family last weekend. You are writing an article about the outing for the school magazine.

Write about 80 words. Use the following pictures and ideas for your article.



- Where did you go for your outing?
- What did you do?
- What happened?
- How did you feel?
- What did you do in the end?

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An Unforgettable Outing

Last weekend, _____

Handwriting practice lines for the story.

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