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Reading and Writing**

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本卷共有 20 頁，全部題目均須作答。
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Part 1

Amy is reading a poster about Sports Day at her school.

Read the poster.

Sam Chan Primary School SPORTS DAY

Date: 25 November 20XX
Time: 8:00 am – 4:00 pm
Place: Shatin Sports Ground, 20 Shing Mun Road, Shatin
Public Transport: MTR Shatin Station (Exit B)
Kowloon Motor Bus (KMB) (Bus No. 40X, 72, 72A, 80K, 85)

Schedule

8:00 am	Roll Call		
8:15 am	Opening Ceremony: Speech by Principal		
8:30 am – 12:15 pm		Track Events	
12:15 pm – 1:15 pm	Lunch Time		
1:15 pm – 2:30 pm		Field Events	
2:30 pm – 3:00 pm	Cheering Team Competition		
3:00 pm	Teachers' Relay		
3:15 pm	Prize-giving by Guests		
3:45 pm	Closing Ceremony		

Guests

- Mark Lee, Hong Kong Sportsman of the Year 2020
- Gigi Wong, Chairperson of Kowloon Sports Club

New This Year!

- Teachers' Relay
- Cheering Team Competition

Notes to Students

- Wear PE uniform and sports shoes.
- Bring own lunch and drinks.

Let's skip, hop and run. Everybody, have fun!

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Choose the best answer by blackening the circle.

1. Where will Sports Day be held?
 A. Hong Kong Sports Centre
 B. Kowloon Sports Club
 C. Sam Chan Primary School
 D. Shatin Sports Ground

2. How many public bus routes can students take to Sports Day?
 A. two
 B. five
 C. six
 D. eight

3. How long will the opening ceremony last?
 A. 10 minutes
 B. 15 minutes
 C. 30 minutes
 D. 45 minutes

4. Who will give a speech?
 A. the principal
 B. Sam Chan
 C. Mark Lee
 D. Gigi Wong

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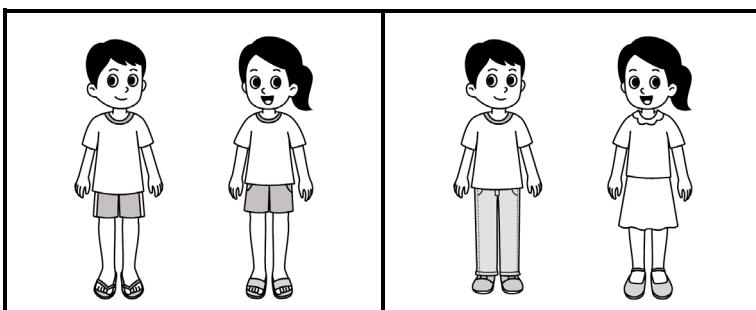
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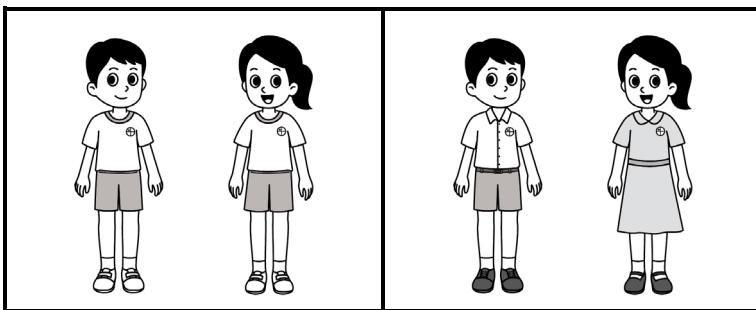
- A. guests
- B. track events
- C. closing ceremony
- D. cheering team competition

6. What should students wear on Sports Day?



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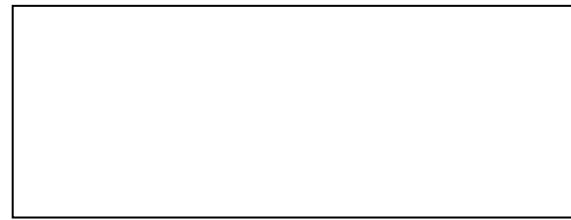
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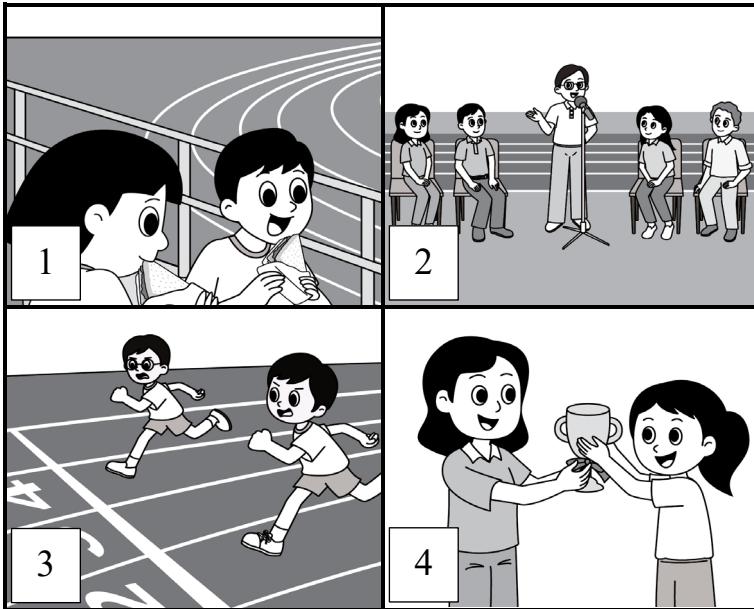
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7. Put the pictures about what happens on Sports Day in the correct order.



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

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Part 2

Amy is reading an article about electric cars.

Read the article.

Electric Cars

In the past, cars only used petrol or diesel. Petrol and diesel cars cause air pollution. Today people can buy electric cars. Electric cars use energy stored in batteries. Therefore, they do not produce harmful gases. If there are more electric cars, people will enjoy cleaner air and better health. Electric cars run quietly and smoothly and they cause less noise pollution. Also, electricity costs less than petrol and diesel, so drivers can save money.

However, electric cars have problems too. They cannot go as far as petrol or diesel cars. Drivers need to charge them before the batteries run out. Hong Kong does not have enough charging stations. Charging takes at least 30 minutes each time. Some people think this is too slow.

The Hong Kong Government asks drivers to use electric cars. It wants the city to have no car pollution by 2050. There has been some success. The number of electric cars in Hong Kong was under 200 in 2010. Now it is over 15,000 and it will continue to rise.

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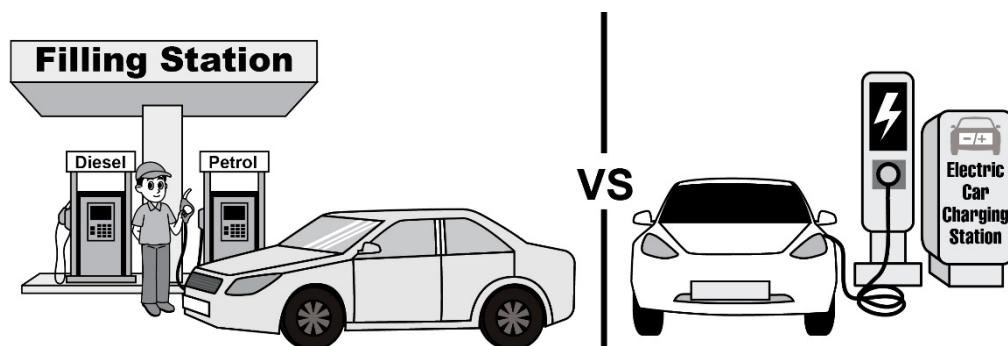
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Choose the best answer by blackening the circle.

1. Paragraph 1 is mainly about the _____ of electric cars.
 A. good points
 B. bad points
 C. costs
 D. pollution

2. Electric cars do not cause air pollution because they _____.
 A. use expensive petrol
 B. run quietly and smoothly
 C. do not need energy
 D. do not produce harmful gases

3. According to Paragraph 1, _____ can save money.
 A. diesel car drivers
 B. electric car drivers
 C. petrol car drivers
 D. the Government

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4. In Paragraph 2, why are electric cars not popular in Hong Kong?
- 1) Electric cars do not go very far.
 - 2) There are not enough charging stations.
 - 3) Electric cars are very expensive.
 - 4) Charging takes time.
- A. 1 and 2 B. 1, 2 and 3
 C. 1, 2 and 4 D. all of the above
5. Read lines 12 – 13. ‘Some people think this is too slow.’
The word ‘this’ means _____.
- A. charging electric cars
 B. speed of electric cars
 C. finding one charging station
 D. running out of batteries
6. The Hong Kong Government wants the city to have _____ in 2050.
- A. no car pollution
 B. fewer drivers
 C. successful people
 D. more cars
7. The number of electric cars in Hong Kong will _____ by 2030.
- A. be 200
 B. be 15,000
 C. go down
 D. go up

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Part 3

Amy is reading a news report in a newspaper.

Read the news report.

SING WAH NEWSPAPER

5 June 20XX

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A fire yesterday injured four people and destroyed three houses in Silver Village, Yuen Long.

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The fire broke out at noon. A woman knocked over a stove in her house while she was cooking. Her husband rushed out of the bedroom to help her. They tried to put out the fire but failed. Therefore, they left the house with their daughter and called the police.

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The fire spread to the nearby trees and houses. The firemen found it difficult to reach the houses because the only path to get there was very narrow. It was blocked by old furniture and boxes. The Government Flying Service dropped water bombs. The fire was finally put out at about 6pm.

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The family of three inhaled a lot of smoke. They had problems breathing. A man in another house was hurt when he tried to break a window to escape. They were all sent to Diamond Hospital.

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This was the third fire in Yuen Long in five months.

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Choose the best answer by blackening the circle.

1. The fire started _____.
 A. in the kitchen
 B. in the bedroom
 C. in the path
 D. among the trees

2. The fire lasted for _____ hours.
 A. three
 B. four
 C. five
 D. six

3. In line 12, the word 'inhaled' means _____.
 A. saw
 B. made
 C. put out
 D. breathed in

4. In line 13, what does 'break' mean?

break /breɪk/

noun

1. a short rest
◊ *There was a break between the two lessons.*
2. a short holiday
◊ *He took a break after working for 10 years.*

verb

3. to damage
◊ *Don't break the new cup!*
4. to do better than
◊ *The sportsman wants to break the world record.*

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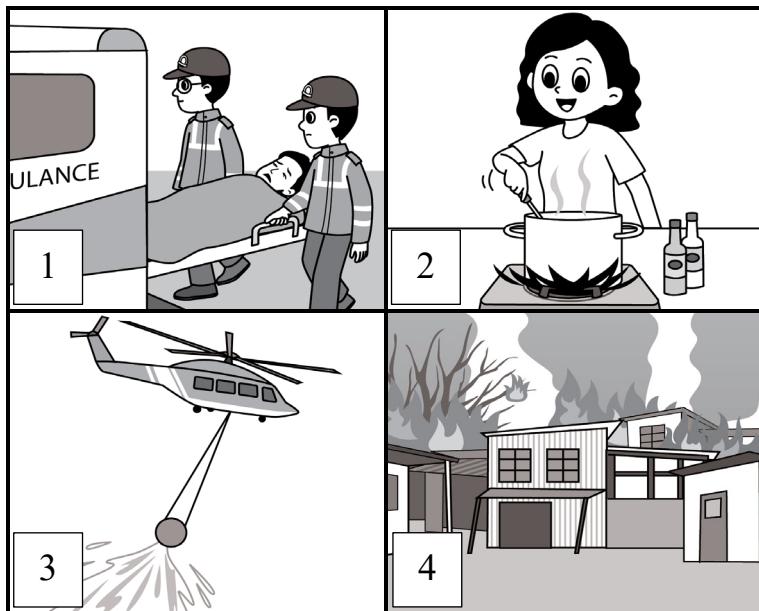
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C. 3

D. 4

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5. Put the pictures about the fire in the correct order.



- A. 1 → 3 → 4 → 2
 - B. 2 → 4 → 3 → 1
 - C. 3 → 1 → 2 → 4
 - D. 4 → 2 → 1 → 3
6. What should people in Silver Village do in future? They should _____.
- A. cook outdoors
 - B. remove all the houses
 - C. clear the path to the village
 - D. keep more furniture and boxes
7. What is the best title for the news report?
- A. *Don't Block Fire Exits*
 - B. *Village Fire Injures Four*
 - C. *Five Fires in Three Months*
 - D. *The Government Flying Service*

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Part 4

Amy is reading a story.

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

Nancy lived with her parents on a crowded housing estate in the city. 1

They loved nature and animals and they visited Uncle Ben's farm at weekends. It was a small farm in the countryside. Uncle Ben was over 80 years old. He lived and worked alone. He kept many animals such as rabbits, sheep and pigs. Nancy loved playing with them. 5

Uncle Ben told Nancy she could take some animals home if she liked. But Father only let her have a dog. She chose a dog called Bobby. At home she looked after him carefully. After a while, he grew bigger and became her best friend.

Some neighbours complained because Bobby made loud noises. The housing estate manager said they could not keep a pet and must take him away. Nancy was very sad and cried the whole day. 10

Choose the best answer by blackening the circle.

1. Uncle Ben lived _____.

- A. in the city
- B. in the countryside
- C. in Nancy's home
- D. on a housing estate

2. Uncle Ben _____.

- A. was young
- B. was a manager
- C. lived alone
- D. became Nancy's best friend

3. Paragraph 1 is about _____.
 A. Nancy's farm visits
 B. Nancy's housing estate
 C. Uncle Ben's dog
 D. nature
4. Nancy's neighbours complained because _____.
 A. Bobby attacked them
 B. Bobby grew too big
 C. Bobby was old
 D. Bobby was noisy
5. The manager told Nancy _____.
 A. not to be sad
 B. not to keep Bobby anymore
 C. to look after Bobby carefully
 D. to be friendly with neighbours

Read the **second part** of the story. Answer Questions 6 – 9.

The next day, Father and Nancy took Bobby back to the farm. On the way, Father heard 'Sniff! Sniff!' from Nancy. She was still very unhappy. Bobby jumped up and kissed her. He did not want to leave her.

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At the farm, they returned Bobby to Uncle Ben.

Uncle Ben said, 'I'm going to an old people's home next month, because I'm very old and need special care.'

5

Father and Nancy were sad.

Uncle Ben then said, 'I have no other relatives. Nancy loves these animals. Do you want to take over the farm?'

Father and Nancy looked at each other with big eyes and could not believe it.

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Two months later, Nancy's family moved to the farm. Later they kept more animals like horses. Nancy played with them every day. Very soon, she started training them too.

Choose the best answer by blackening the circle.

6. In line 2, 'Sniff! Sniff!' is the sound of someone _____.

- A. crying
- B. jumping
- C. kissing
- D. speaking

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7. Uncle Ben was going to an old people's home because _____.

- A. he needed special care
- B. he returned Bobby to Nancy
- C. his relatives sent him there
- D. someone took over his farm

8. In line 10, Nancy and her father 'looked at each other with big eyes' because they were _____.

- A. afraid
- B. angry
- C. sad
- D. surprised

9. Put the pictures about the second part of the story in the correct order.



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

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Read **both parts** of the story again. Answer Questions 10 and 11.

Choose the best answer by blackening the circle.

10. What job will Nancy do when she grows up?

- A. managing a housing estate
- B. moving houses
- C. training animals
- D. working in an old people's home

11. A suitable title for the story is _____.

- A. *Keeping a Pet*
- B. *Nancy's World of Animals*
- C. *Old People's Home*
- D. *Sad Nancy*

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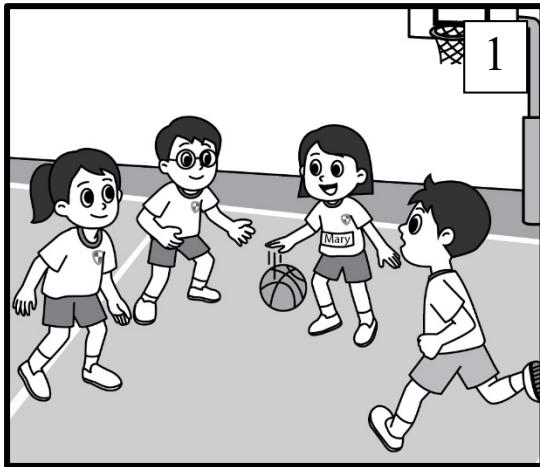
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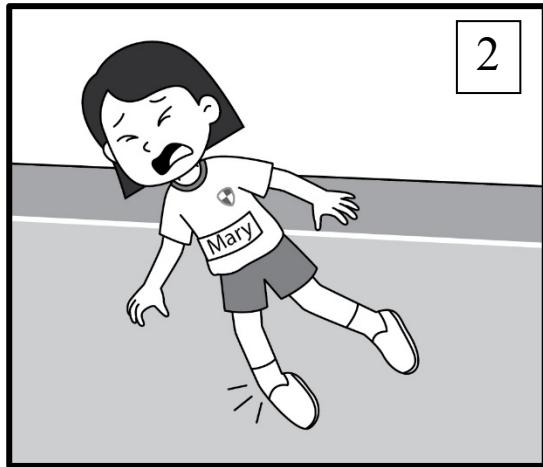
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You are Mary. The following pictures show what happened to you today. You are going to write a diary entry about this.

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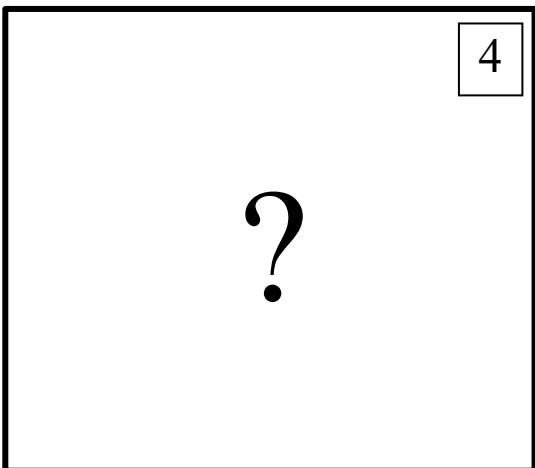
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twisted my ankle / in pain



was sent to hospital



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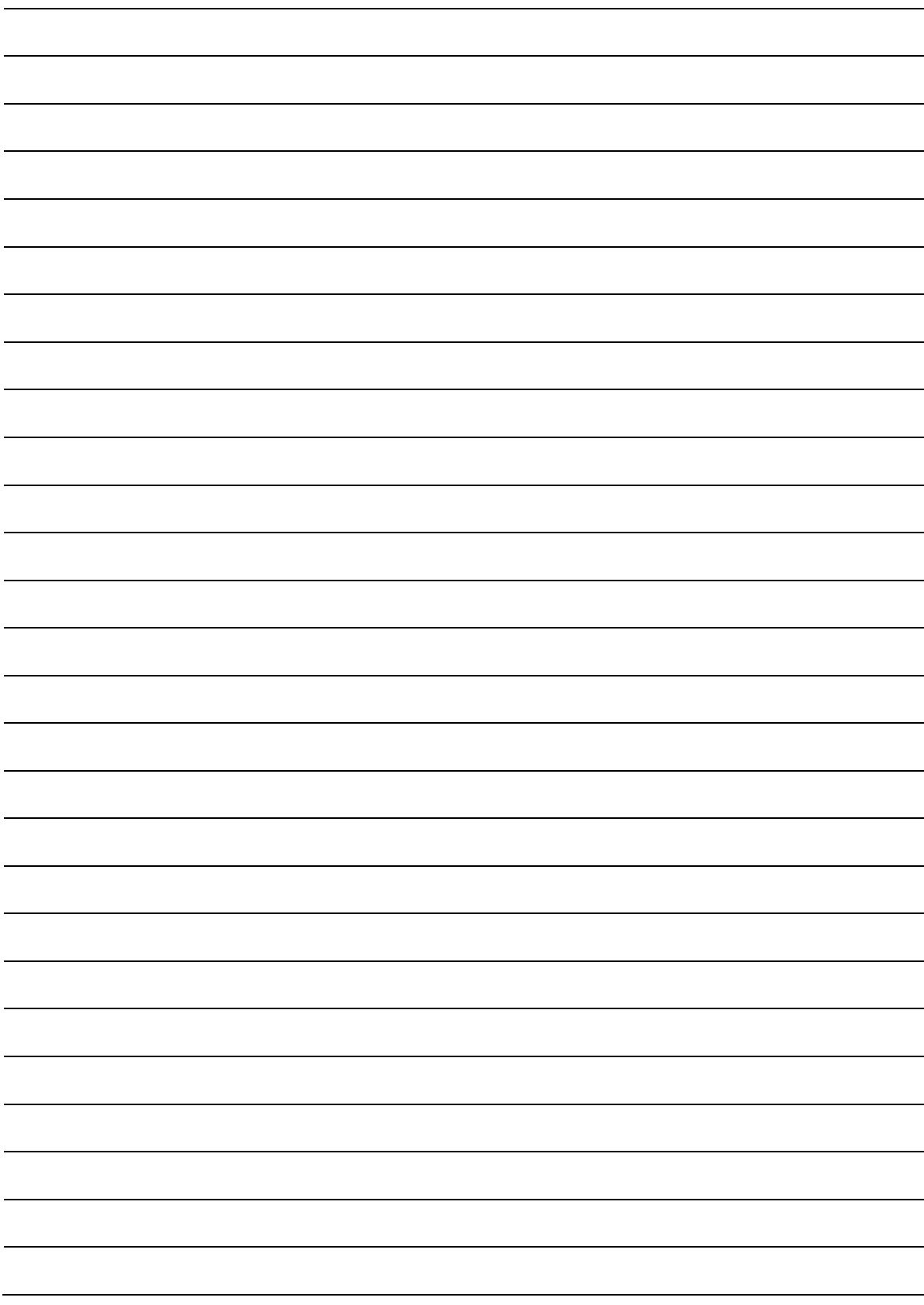
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