READING

1 Read the blog and choose A or B.

- 1 The first paragraph gives us
 - A a description of Margarita's family.
 - B information about the homes of Margarita and her sister.
- 2 The second paragraph tells us
 - A some good things about Sofia.
 - B what Sofia is learning to do.
- 3 The third paragraph is about
 - A the activities Sofia is best at.
 - B the variety of activities in Sofia's life.
- 4 Margarita thinks her sister is
 - A OK.
 - B amazing.

Read the blog again and answer the questions.

Margarita's sister

- 1 What is her first name?
- 2 What is her surname?
- 3 How old is she?
- 4 What is her address?
- 5 What is her first language?
- 6 What does she learn about in books?
- 7 What sport does she do well?
- 8 What instrument would she like to learn?

DAILY STORIES

by Margarita Marcos

Today I'm writing this blog about my oldest sister, Sofia. She's six years older than me. It's her birthday today and she's 21. She doesn't live in the same house as my parents and me, but her flat is in the same street. We live at number 22 Spring Street, and she lives in one of six flats at number 28.

Sofia is the first person I go to when I have a problem, and she always tries to help. She also helps me with my English homework. We all speak Spanish at home, but Sofia speaks English really well too as a second language. She knows some English from school, but she also listens to English music and watches English films. Another thing she is great at is dancing. She's teaching me the tango this week. Tango is really difficult, but I love the music and the dance.

My sister's interested in everything. She loves learning about science on the internet, and she often reads books about history in her free time. She also does three sports: football, swimming and running. She enjoys them all and is good at swimming. She likes camping, and she's learning to play the piano at the moment, too. She can't play very well yet, but she practises every day. She's also planning to learn the violin. She's a very active person! I really don't know how she has time to do so many things!

LISTENING

	A)
Listen to a teacher talking to his class about a camping trip. Tick (✓) the correct sentences.	Listen again and complete the sentences with a number or a word.
In his talk, the teacher	1 The teacher is telling Class
A tells students things they must not	about this year's camping trip.
do on the trip.	2 Their trip is to
B gives information about activities	3 They are on the trip for
at the campsite.	nights.
c gives information about how they will travel.	4 The trip costs £
D tells students what they must do	5 students from the school
before the trip.	can go on the trip.
That leave removes each and a second	6 At the campsite, you can play in the sports hall.
	7 Students can win for
	cooking and art.
PERIOD REPORT AND	8 Students must give their forms to the teach on next week.
WRITING Write an introductory email	onnext week.
1 Read the email. Then match the questions to the	Next year, you are going to spend a month in
answers.	the UK at a British school. Complete an email
disweis,	like Aleksey's about you.
0 0 0 Q	
Hi! I'm Aleksey Pavlov, and I'm going to be	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •
a student at your school in June. My teacher	Hi! I'm , and I'm
will send this message to your teacher. I'd like	going to be a student at your school in June.
to get to know somebody before I come, so	My teacher will send this message to your
can you email me when you get this? You can	teacher. I'd like to know somebody before I
email me at ap8223@rumail.com and call me	come, so can you email me when you get this?
on 07662012976. That's my mobile number.	
I'm fifteen years old and I live on Ligovsky	
Street in St Petersburg, I live with my mum	
and my brother. He's eighteen. In my free	
time I play ice hockey and go to ice hockey	
matches. I really love ice hockey! I also like	
materies. Freally leve lee meeticy. False line	
cooking. Russian food is fantastic.	
cooking. Russian food is fantastic.	•
cooking. Russian food is fantastic. I hope to hear from you soon.	
cooking. Russian food is fantastic. I hope to hear from you soon. Best wishes,	
cooking. Russian food is fantastic. I hope to hear from you soon.	
cooking. Russian food is fantastic. I hope to hear from you soon. Best wishes, Aleksey	
cooking. Russian food is fantastic. I hope to hear from you soon. Best wishes, Aleksey O First name: a ice hockey, cooking	
cooking. Russian food is fantastic. I hope to hear from you soon. Best wishes, Aleksey O First name: C a ice hockey, cooking b 07662012976	
cooking. Russian food is fantastic. I hope to hear from you soon. Best wishes, Aleksey O First name: I Surname: Age: C a ice hockey, cooking b 07662012976 c Aleksey	
cooking. Russian food is fantastic. I hope to hear from you soon. Best wishes, Aleksey O First name: Surname: Age: Address: C a ice hockey, cooking b 07662012976 c Aleksey d Ligovsky Street,	
cooking. Russian food is fantastic. I hope to hear from you soon. Best wishes, Aleksey O First name: C a ice hockey, cooking 1 Surname: D 07662012976 2 Age: C Aleksey 3 Address: C d Ligovsky Street, St Petersburg	
cooking. Russian food is fantastic. I hope to hear from you soon. Best wishes, Aleksey O First name: Surname: Age: Address: Address: Email address: Mobile phone C a ice hockey, cooking b 07662012976 c Aleksey c Aleks	
cooking. Russian food is fantastic. I hope to hear from you soon. Best wishes, Aleksey O First name: Surname: Age: Address: Address: Email address: Mobile phone number: I hope to hear from you soon. a ice hockey, cooking b 07662012976 c Aleksey d Ligovsky Street, St Petersburg e Pavlov f 15	
cooking. Russian food is fantastic. I hope to hear from you soon. Best wishes, Aleksey O First name: C a ice hockey, cooking 1 Surname: D 07662012976 2 Age: C Aleksey 3 Address: C d Ligovsky Street, St Petersburg Pavlov number: D 15	
cooking. Russian food is fantastic. I hope to hear from you soon. Best wishes, Aleksey O First name: I Surname: Age: Address: Address: Mobile phone number: Family: C a ice hockey, cooking b 07662012976 C Aleksey Ligovsky Street, St Petersburg Pavlov Family: G Russian	
cooking. Russian food is fantastic. I hope to hear from you soon. Best wishes, Aleksey O First name: I Surname: Age: Address: Address: Mobile phone number: Free-time activities I hope to hear from you soon. a ice hockey, cooking b 07662012976 c Aleksey c Aleksey d Ligovsky Street, St Petersburg e Pavlov f 15 g Russian h ap8223@rumail.com	

2

OUR CHANGING PLANET

VOCABULARY

Geographical features

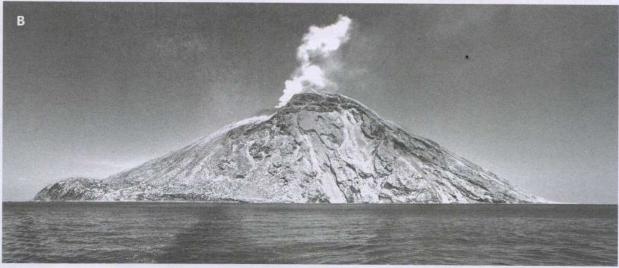
In which photo(s) can you see each geographical feature? Write A, B, A and B or X if you cannot see it.

desert	X
forest	
hill	
sea	
mountain	
volcano	
valley	
lake	
rivor	

2 Complete the sentences with the correct form of words in Exercise 1.

1	An example of a	is the Nile in		
	Africa.			
2	A	is a dangerous place. It is		
	very, very hot insi	de it.		
3	The low area bety	veen two or		
	mountains is calle	ed a .		
4	The	is a large area of water. It		
	has salt in it.			
5	Not many plants can grow in a			
	There's a lot of sun and very little rain there.			
6	Α	has lots of trees, plants,		





GRAMMAR

Verbs we don't usually use in the continuous

1 Complete the table with the verbs in the box.

believe	belong to		go	happen	
hate	have	hope kn		low	
like	love	mean	nee	ed	
own	read	think	understand		
walk	want	watch	V	vrite	

Verbs that we use in the present continuous	Verbs that we don't usually use in the present continuous		
go	believe		

2 Choose the correct verb form to complete the sentences.

- 1 I do / 'm doing my homework now, so I can't come to the park.
- 2 These books belong / are belonging to Simon.
- 3 I like / 'm liking your hat, Tim. Can I try it on?
- 4 My dad can't take me to football practice because he works / 's working at the moment.
- 5 My mother understands / 's understanding some Italian, but she can't speak it very well.
- 6 Do you know / Are you knowing Rachel's brother? He's very funny.
- 7 I'm looking for / look for my new jacket. I can't find it anywhere.
- 8 I don't own / 'm not owning this guitar. It's my sister's.

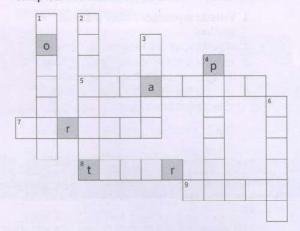
3 Correct the mistakes in three of the sentences. Which two are correct?

- 1 There is a concert on Saturday. I am wanting to go.
- 2 My parents are making dinner at the moment.
- 3 I think you are liking reading.
- 4 I don't understand this exercise.
- 5 We're wanting to tell you what we think of Rio de Janeiro.

VOCABULARY

Animals

Use the definitions and pictures below to complete the crossword.

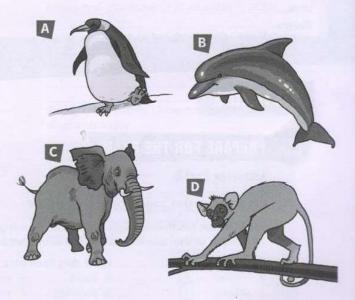


Across

- 5 This large, heavy animal lives in a very cold part of the world.
- 7 This animal has a very long neck.
- 8 This animal lives in jungles, forests or in the mountains. It is a kind of large cat.
- 9 This animal doesn't have any legs.

Down

- 1 Picture B
- 2 Picture C
- 3 This sea animal is one of the largest animals in the world.
- 4 Picture A
- 6 Picture D



What animal do the letters in the grey boxes spell?

READING

- 1 Read the email from Violetta to her cousin. Choose the correct answers.
 - 1 Violetta is younger / older than her brother.
 - 2 Violetta wants to help people / animals.
 - 3 Violetta is going to change things in her life because of the book / her brother.
 - 4 Violetta knows nothing / some things about what Lucia likes.
- Read the email from Violetta again. There are four sentences missing. Choose the correct place in the email for sentences A-E. There is one extra sentence that you don't need.
 - A I love animals and I want to know more about how I can help them.
 - B I'd like to read one of her stories.
 - C He's at university, studying animal sciences.
 - D I wrote one last week and he loved it.
 - E For example, I can stop buying plastic bottles of water, and I can stop using plastic shopping bags.

	Q A
fi Lucia,	
hanks for your email. It was good to hear how you are and what you're doing. love reading too, but I don't know your favourite writer's books. 1	
At the moment, I'm reading a book called Fast Changing World. It's not mine; it belongs to my brother. ² I don't understand everything in the book; it's folder students, but it's very interesting. It's about what's happening to our plane and how we're losing lots of wild animals and plants because we don't look after bur forests, lakes, rivers and seas.	t The second
m learning so much. The book's giving me some ideas about how I can help top some of the bad changes happening. When these things get into he sea, they're a big problem for fish and sea animals. I talk to my school frience about this, and they want to help too. So one afternoon next week, we're going to spend an afternoon cleaning the beach near my house.	
d like to study the same subject as my brother, animal sciences, when I go to niversity. What do you think, Lucia? I know you're interested in them, but would you like to study animal sciences at university?	
Vrite soon.	(A PH
ove,	



PREPARE FOR THE EXAM

Listening Part 5

- 1 For each question, choose the correct answer.
- You will hear Martha talking to a friend about a trip to the zoo. Which animal was each person most interested in?

People		What they liked best				
0	brother	E		bears		monkey
1	sister		В	dolphins		penguin
2	dad		C	elephants		snakes
3	mum		D	giraffes	Н	wild dog
4	grandad					



EXAM TIPS

- · Always read the instructions, the questions (1-5) and all the answer options (A-H) before you listen.
- You can only use an answer A-H once. Remember you can't use the example!

5 grandma

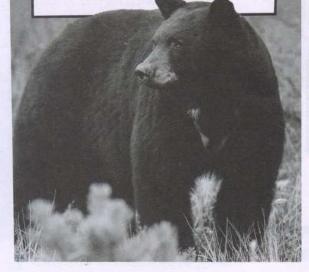
1 Read the text and answer the questions.

BLACK BEARS

Black bears live in the forests and mountains of Canada, the USA and Mexico. They usually eat grass and insects, but they eat other things too, including fish, small animals and the food people leave at campsites.

Adults are very big and they weigh between 90 kg and 270 kg. They are tall too: when males stand up on two legs, they are about 180 centimetres tall.

In winter, females have two or three babies, called cubs. They stay with their mother for about two years. Scientists think there are around 600,000 of these animals in the wild in North America, but there may be many more.



- **0** Which countries do they live in? Canada, the USA and Mexico
- 1 What do they eat most of the time?
- 2 How heavy are they?
- 3 How many babies do females have?
- 4 What are their babies called?
- 5 How long do the babies stay with their mother?
- 6 How many black bears are there in North America?

2 Read the notes about African elephants. Then write the information in the correct place in the paragraph plan below.

African elephants

leaves, grass, fruit / now 470,000-690,000 wild elephants / forests and grasslands in 37 countries in Africa (Tanzania, Kenya, South Africa, etc.) / live in wild until around 70 / females have one baby ('calf') every two-four years, heavy - about 91 kg when they're born / adults very big - 2,268 kg-6,350 kg



Paragraph 1: where they live / food forests and grasslands in 37 countries in Africa, ...

Paragraph 2: size / what they weigh / age they live until

Paragraph 3: babies / how many wild African elephants today

3 Use the paragraph plan to write a text about African elephants. When you write about numbers, don't forget to use between, about / around and including.