

1 Refusing with an Excuse

Mason: Are you busy on Friday evening? How about going to the cinema together?

Brian: I'd love to, but I can't. - - - .

Which of the following completes Brian's statement with an excuse?

- A) I always keep my promises
B) I am visiting my grandparents then
C) It sounds awesome, count me in
D) We have a lot of things in common

2 Matching Personal Traits

Statement **Personal Trait**

1. Dennis always tells the truth. a. honest
2. Clara never panics and stays calm. b. laid-back
3. Martin only thinks about himself. c. generous
4. Sophie is always on time for class. d. punctual

Which pairing above is INCORRECT?

- A) 1 - a B) 2 - b
C) 3 - c D) 4 - d

3 Finding Common Hobbies

Student **Favourite Activities**

- Aiden rollerblading • chess • camping
Lucas watching plays • camping • chess

According to the table, Aiden and Lucas - - - .

- A) share similar interests and hobbies
B) have completely different lifestyles
C) never spend time doing activities together
D) always argue about camping trips

4 Synonym Analysis

Teacher wrote four word pairs on the board:

- I. back up — support II. count on — rely on
III. buddy — partner/mate IV. full — hungry

Which pair consists of ANTONYMS instead of synonyms?

- A) I B) II
C) III D) IV

5 Schedule & Invitation Matching

Nora wants to meet up with Dylan. Here is Dylan's Saturday plan:

- 10:00 - 12:00: Attending a basketball match
- 13:00 - 15:30: Helping father in the garden
- 16:30 - 18:30: Meeting with the school science club

Which of the following invitations can Dylan accept?

- A) Watching a tournament at 11:00 a.m.
B) Having lunch together at 14:00.
C) Attending a drama rehearsal at 17:00.
D) Going for pizza at 19:30.

6 Group Chat Reading

Chloe: We are organizing a film night at my place on Saturday. Who is in?

Adam: Why not? I will bring some popcorn.

Selin: That sounds awesome! Can I invite my cousin as well?

Victor: I'd love to, but I am in a hurry; I have to study for an exam.

According to the messages, who makes an excuse to refuse?

- A) Adam B) Selin
C) Victor D) Chloe

7 Invitation Card Comprehension

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Date: Sunday, May 19 | Time: 11:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Location: Whispering Pines Green Park

Fee: \$10 per person (BBQ snacks included)

Contact: Mr. Davis (Phone: 555-829-4411)

Which question CANNOT be answered according to the card?

- A) What is the exact date of the event?
B) How much should a student pay to join?
C) How many students are expected to attend?
D) Who can you contact for more information?

8 Phrasal Verb & Context

Oliver: Why do you consider Leo your best buddy?

Felix: Because whenever I am in trouble, he always - - - me. He never turns his back on me.

Which phrasal verb best completes Felix's statement?

- A) laughs at B) backs up
C) argues with D) breaks down

9 Accepting an Offer

Your classmate invites you to an exhibition at the art museum on Sunday. You are very interested in painting and you want to attend.

What do you say to ACCEPT the invitation?

- A) That sounds great! I cannot refuse this offer.
B) I am sorry, but I have another plan.
C) I don't get on well with the museum guide.
D) I must finish my science project, so I can't.

10 Odd One Out

Look at the four adjectives below:

caring • loyal • dishonest • respectful

Which word does NOT belong to the group above?

- A) caring B) loyal
C) dishonest D) respectful

A) Shall we B) How about
C) Why don't we D) Let's

A) thirsty B) hungry
C) stuffed D) bored

A) Ethan is the sender of this invitation.
B) Lucas invites Ethan to a sports tournament.
C) The event takes place on Sunday morning.
D) Lucas refuses Ethan's offer with an excuse.

A) III - IV - I - II
B) I - III - II - IV
C) III - I - IV - II
D) IV - III - I - II

A) deceive their friends when necessary
B) be honest and show respect
C) share secrets with classmates
D) break promises when busy

A) 1
B) 2
C) 3
D) 4

A) sneaky B) aggressive
C) supportive D) jealous

A) attend B) refuse
C) trust D) support

A) have strong ties and dependable relationship
B) never talk to each other when they have a problem
C) often tell lies to their classmates
D) do not trust each other's secrets

A) Why don't you join my slumber party?
B) Would you like to come over on Saturday night?
C) How about having a pajama party at my house?
D) I am sorry, but I have another plan on Saturday.