Qatar Comprehensive
Educational Assessment

Practice Test 2014-2015
English Reading/Writing
Grade 6
1. Choose the word that belongs in the blank.

Trees need healthy _______ to grow.
A. crops  
B. loaf  
C. tool  
D. soil

2. Choose the word that belongs in the blank.

The worker used a ____________ to get to the roof of the house.
A. door  
B. hole  
C. ladder  
D. window

3. Choose the word that belongs in the blank.

My family are___________ in Italy now, but they will move to France soon.
A. live  
B. lives  
C. lived  
D. living
Choose the word that belongs in the blank.

Those colourful _________ are made of cotton.

- A scarves
- B scarfse
- C scarfvse
- D scarvise

Choose the word that belongs in the blank.

Linda: Mom, I put the chicken and vegetables together. What should I do next?
Mom: Ok, put the ___________ in the stove for 1 hour.

- A gold
- B mixture
- C thread
- D tape
Questions 6-7: Read the paragraph below and answer the questions that follow.

(1) English is the most widely used language in the world. (2) It is true that Spanish is the first language of many countries, _____________ more countries have English as their second language. (3) In fact, over 70 percent of the world’s business letters are written in English. (4) And you also use English as the main language on the Internet too. (5) a hundred years ago, world leaders usually used french To discuss world problems? (6) Now, English is most often used for that purpose.

6. Which is the best word to put between the two parts of sentence (2)?

A. but  
B. so  
C. if  
D. because

7. Which sentence is NOT written correctly?

A. sentence 2  
B. sentence 3  
C. sentence 4  
D. sentence 5
Choose the sentence that matches the picture.

A  This is a soft pillow.

B  This is a short rope.

C  This is a nice cloth.

D  This is a big box.
Questions 9-12: Read the text below and answer the questions that follow.

By following these simple steps, you’ll soon be using email to keep in touch with family and friends.

First, make an email account on your computer. Your account is like a mailbox on the Internet. All of your messages will arrive and be sent from here. There are hundreds of free email sites to get an account from, and many of them offer the same features.

Second, choose an email address. Each site has its own requirements for what an email address should have. To avoid problems, follow the guidelines of whichever email site you choose.

Finally, you’re ready to start sending emails! Choose the “new message” option from the menu to open a new email. Write your email, add a subject line, and include the email address of the person you are writing to. When you’re finished, simply click “send.”

9 Why did the author most likely write the text?

A to explain why email is important
B to suggest that all readers use email
C to teach readers how to send an email
D to describe the different uses for email
10. Which step comes **next** after making an email account?

**A** clicking “send”

**B** writing a message

**C** adding a subject line

**D** choosing an email address

11. How does the writer present the information in the text?

**A** by showing what steps to follow

**B** by giving the oldest information first

**C** by giving the important information first

**D** by showing only the interesting information

12. Which option do you choose to open a new email?

Answer: ________________________________
Write a paragraph from (5-6) complete sentences in English about a job you like to have in the future.

These questions may help you:
- Why do you like that job?
- What can you do in that job?
- Where will you work?

Be sure to write your answer inside the box.
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