



READING COMPREHENSION

Text 1.

1. b
2. c
3. a
4. b
5. b

Text 2.

6. a
7. c
8. c
9. b
10. c

Text 3.

11. F (Vienna has a rich history.)
12. T
13. T
14. F (Sigmund Freud lived there, and also many famous musicians.)
15. T

LISTENING COMPREHENSION

Task 1.

1. T 2. F 3. F 4. F 5. T

Welcome to Wexford History Museum. I'd like to tell you a little about the museum before you start your visit. It opened in 1923, and the building we're in was once an old school. During your visit you will learn all about the history of fishing. Some of the things in the museum are over three thousand years old.

Our guides will be happy to give you a tour. The twelve-fifteen tour has nearly finished, but there's a tour at one-fifteen, and another one at two-fifteen. They're every hour until five-fifteen. It doesn't cost anything to look round the museum by yourself, and it's only two pounds each for the tour.

Now, I'm sure you'll enjoy a visit to our shop, which sells lots of lovely things. For those of you who are on holiday in Wexford, you can buy postcards here. If you need any stamps or envelopes, the post office is just next to the museum. Our shop also has books on many subjects – history, language, cooking, plants and birds – and there are maps as well. You'll certainly find lots of ideas for presents.

Enjoy your visit today.



Task 2.

6. b 7. c 8. a 9. a 10. b

Rita: Brian. I've found a really good street market.

Brian: Have you, Rita?

Rita: Yes, I went on Wednesday. I know you work then, but you could go on Saturday, and it's there on Mondays too.

Brian: So, where is it?

Rita: Well, you go down North Street and the market's in a small road on the left. It's called Hill Street, and at the other end is Wood Street.

Brian: But that's a long way. Did you get a bus?

Rita: No, the bus doesn't go that way. I went by bicycle, but it wouldn't cost much in a taxi.

Brian: So what did you buy?

Rita: Well, I wanted a music CD or a video, but they didn't have any I wanted. But I got a really interesting book about film stars instead.

Brian: And was it cheap?

Rita: Well, it costs seven pounds fifty usually, and I've seen it for four pounds fifty in the shops – but I got it for three pounds fifty.

Brian: That's good.

Rita: I saw my neighbour there too. She was taking her cousin to see the dentist in the next street. She goes there a lot and thinks it's a very good market.

Task 3.

11. F 12. F 13. T 14. F 15. T

[A = Andrea, J = James]

A Did you have a good holiday?

J Yes, it was great thanks.

A Where did you go?

J We went to Dublin. It was fantastic.

A How long were you there?

J Just a long weekend. We arrived on Friday night and came back on Monday morning.

A I've never been to Dublin. What's it like?

J We had a really great time. The city has some lovely old buildings, but a lot of nice new cafés. And although there were a lot of tourists there, it didn't seem too busy.

A And the weather? I bet it rained every day.

J No, it wasn't bad. It was usually quite cloudy, but it didn't rain once. It wasn't very hot. I think the hottest day was about 16 degrees. But that's quite a nice temperature when you're sightseeing.

A What were the people like?

J They seemed very friendly. The only problem is they speak very quickly, so I sometimes had a bit of a problem understanding them. But they didn't mind repeating things for me. It's also a very young city. Over half the population's under thirty, so there are always lots of things to do.

A Would you recommend it?

J Definitely, it's beautiful, relaxed, and much safer than a lot of capital cities.

USE OF ENGLISH

Task 1.

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| 2. c | 7. c | 12. c |
| 3. a | 8. a | 13. c |
| 4. c | 9. c | 14. c |
| 5. b | 10. a | 15. a |

Task 2.

- 16. a
- 17. c
- 18. c
- 19. a
- 20. b