Open Mind

END-OF-COURSE: SKILLS TEST

BEGINNER

Listening

A Listen to Sandra talking about herself. Answer the questions. For questions 1–5, choose the correct answer. Choose A, B or C. You will hear the recording twice.

- How old is Sandra? 1
 - Α 23 24 B
- What is Sandra's job? 2
 - A lawyer
 - **B** teacher
 - shop assistant С
- Sandra likes 2
 - A dancing.
 - В singing.
 - cooking. С
- In the evenings, Sandra has dinner with 4
 - A her mother.
 - her father. В
 - c her sister.
- Where does Sandra go on Sundays? 5
 - A to the park
 - to the café R
 - to the supermarket С

B Listen to Martina and Sophia talking about themselves. For questions 6-10, write M for Martina or S for Sophia. You will hear the recording twice.

- Who has one child? 6
- Who has a daughter at school? 7
- Who has lunch with her husband? 8
- Who paints pictures? 9
- Who plays football? 10

Reading

A Read about Fintan, Jordi and Andreas. For questions 1–5, write the name of the correct person.

Fintan

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Fintan is twenty-five years old. He is Irish and speaks English, Irish and Spanish. He likes reading and playing tennis. He is an accountant and works in an office. He gets up at 7.30am every day. His favourite food is chicken.

Jordi

Jordi is thirty-five years old. He is from Spain and speaks Spanish and German. His favourite sport is football. He is a doctor and works in a hospital. He gets up at 9.30am at weekends. His favourite food is tomato soup.

Andreas

Andreas is thirty-two years old. He is German and speaks German and Portuguese. He likes to play the guitar. He is a waiter at the local restaurant. He goes to bed at 9.30pm every day. His favourite food is pasta.

- Who is from Germany? 1
- Who likes football? 2
- Who works as an accountant? 3
- Who goes to bed at nine thirty? 4
- Who likes chicken? 5

B Read about Alejandro's day. For questions 6–10, write a short answer.

Alejandro's day

Alejandro lives in Mexico City with his parents and his two sisters. Their apartment is next to a beautiful park, and Alejandro often plays football there with his friends. He loves football, and he often watches it on TV too.

Alejandro is a waiter. He works in a restaurant in a big hotel. He starts work at 11am, and finishes late often at 12pm.

He has a big breakfast, but he doesn't eat lunch. He can't cook, so for breakfast he has bananas, pineapple or oranges with coffee. He has dinner at the restaurant. His favourite food is chicken with rice. PHOTOCOPHALE

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- 6 How many people live with Alejandro?
- 7 What does he do in the park?
- 8 Where does he work?
- **9** Is he a good cook?
- 10 Does he have fruit or vegetables for breakfast?

Writing

A Look at the information about Stephanie.

Name:	Her name is Stephanie
	Hampton.
Age:	She is nineteen years old.
Country:	She is from Australia.
Food:	She likes eggs.
Hobbies/activities (2):	She likes playing the guitar
	and riding her bike.
Favourite colour:	Her favourite colour is purple.

Now write five similar sentences about Thomas. Write your sentences here:

Name:	His name is Thomas Martin.
Age:	
Country:	
Food:	
Hobbies/activities (2):	
Favourite colour:	

B Write a short paragraph about Raj. Use all of the information in the box below.

Raj Shah	
Age:	21
Family:	father (accountant), mother (doctor),
	one sister (14), one brother (19)
Occupation:	student, University of Delhi
Hobbies:	guitar, football
Favourite food:	pasta