

GRAMMAR

Part 1 – Read the text and put only one word in each space. Write your answers on the lines provided below the text.

From the History of Gibraltar

After centuries of **01**_____ controlled by different kingdoms, Gibraltar finally came **02**_____ be in Spain's power in 1462 when it was captured by Juan Alonso de Guzman, the first Duke of Medina Sidonia. Henry IV of Castile assumed authority **03**_____ the territory and made **04**_____ part of the Campo Llano de Gibraltar county, in the **05**_____ southern part of Spain.

But the Spanish reign over Gibraltar lasted **06**_____ than 300 years when an Anglo-Dutch fleet captured Gibraltar in 1704. A decade later, Gibraltar became British after **07**_____ Treaty of Utrecht was negotiated to end the war of the Spanish Succession.

Several unsuccessful attempts from Spain to regain control of Gibraltar **08**_____ made but the territory's tutelage never changed **09**_____.

In the coming decades, Gibraltar became an important navy base for Britain **10**_____ to its strategic location.

In the first half of the 20th century, Gibraltar spoke mostly Spanish and was culturally closer to Spain than to the UK but **11**_____ the end of the century, Gibraltarians felt **12**_____ politically and culturally British, said Andrew Canessa, a sociology professor **13**_____ University of Essex and author of the research project *Bordering on Britishness: An Oral History of Gibraltarian Identity in the 20th Century*.

During WWII, most of Gibraltar's civilian population **14**_____ evacuated to London **15**_____ that the territory could be fortified **16**_____ a German attack. By 1942, there were over 30,000 British soldiers, sailors, and airmen in Gibraltar.

After the war ended, Gibraltar overwhelmingly voted to continue their association with the UK after Spanish dictator Francisco Franco restricted movement **17**_____ Gibraltar and Spain in the 1960s.

18_____ retaliation, Spain completely closed the border with Gibraltar and cut all communication links. The border was reopened once again in 1985 before Spain joined the European Economic Community.

In the post-war years, the territory also went **19**_____ important education reforms **20**_____ saw schools start teaching in English.

01_____ **06**_____ **11**_____ **16**_____

02_____ **07**_____ **12**_____ **17**_____

03_____ **08**_____ **13**_____ **18**_____

04_____ **09**_____ **14**_____ **19**_____

05_____ **10**_____ **15**_____ **20**_____

_____ / 10 pts

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(cont.)**

Part 2 – For questions 21-26, complete the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the first sentence, using the word given in bold. Do not change the word given. You must use between two and five words, including the word given. Here is an example (0).

- 0** I couldn't eat sweets because I had a toothache. **PREVENTED**
My toothache ***prevented me from*** eating sweets.
- 21** "Will you find time to help me?" Sue asked me. **WOULD**
Sue asked me _____ to help her.
- 22** It wasn't necessary for them to buy her a bouquet. **NEEDN'T**
They _____ a bouquet.
- 23** People think Samuel is a good tennis coach. **TO**
Samuel is _____ a good tennis coach.
- 24** You'd better see a doctor. **I**
If _____, I'd see a doctor.
- 25** The neighbours complained although the music was quiet. **BEING**
In spite _____, the neighbours complained.
- 26** I didn't ring you because I didn't have time. **RUNG**
If I had had time, I _____.

_____ / 3 pts

Part 3 – Fill in gaps 27-30 with the most appropriate word, which is part of a three-word preposition.

- 27** By _____ of his many years of experience in this field, he is the best man for the job.
- 28** Entries which are not in _____ with the rules will be disqualified.
- 29** I am writing with _____ to your letter of 15 June.
- 30** I'd like to say on _____ of the whole group that we wish you well in your new job.

_____ / 2 pts

Total: _____ / 15 pts

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- 1 The reform program has brought _____ (**ACCEPT**) high unemployment and falling wages.
- 2 There was an _____ (**IDENTIFY**) odour in the room. Nobody could find words to describe it.
- 3 Their hopes of a peaceful solution turned out to be _____ (**ILLUSION**).
- 4 I was delighted to be a _____ (**NOMINATION**) for such a prestigious award.
- 5 The _____ (**MAINTAIN**) work on this government building starts next Monday.
- 6 You will have to take your _____ (**PRESCRIBE**) to a chemist.
- 7 She is thought to be an honest and _____ (**FEAR**) outspoken politician.
- 8 He is well known for his remarkable _____ (**MANAGE**) skills.

_____ / 4 pts

Part 2 – Complete collocations 9-16 with the words below.*aspect, cocktail, dose, grin, invasion, laugh, nuance, threat*

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|----|--------------|----|----------------|
| 9 | wry _____ | 13 | lethal _____ |
| 10 | wry _____ | 14 | lethal _____ |
| 11 | subtle _____ | 15 | imminent _____ |
| 12 | subtle _____ | 16 | imminent _____ |

_____ / 4 pts

Part 3 – Phrasal verbs containing “OUT”. Complete each sentence with a word that best fits the space.

- 17 Please _____ out your old address and write your new one.
- 18 Martin is going to _____ out of Physics because it is too difficult.
- 19 It was so hot in the church that an elderly lady _____ out.
- 20 The neighbours _____ the fire out before the firemen arrived.

_____ / 2 pts

Total: _____ / 10 pts

READING COMPREHENSION

Read the following text. There are two tasks to do after you read.

Michaela Tabb (born 11 December 1967 in Bath, England) is a Scottish snooker and pool referee, notable for establishing significant milestones for women officials in professional snooker.

Tabb started playing competitive pool in 1991 at the age of 23. As an individual competitor, Tabb won the UK women's singles title in 1997. The following year, she won the European Women's Pool Championship in Gibraltar.

Tabb became involved in pool refereeing in the mid-1990s when she and her husband, professional pool player Ross McInnes, began running amateur eight-ball and nine-ball pool tournaments. McInnes subsequently encouraged her to pursue refereeing at the professional level.

Stating that he wanted to change the dowdy, all-male image of snooker referees, Jim McKenzie, then chief executive of the World Professional Billiards and Snooker Association, recruited Tabb to the sport in 2001. Exempted from the customary five-year refereeing apprenticeship and placed on a fast-track toward officiating at professional ranking tournaments, she qualified as a Class-3 snooker referee in September 2001. She conceded that this fast-tracking generated resentment among her fellow officials and referees.

Numerous firsts are connected with the name Michaela Tabb.

On 23 January 2002, she became the first woman ever to referee at a professional ranking snooker tournament when she took charge of a first-round match between Ken Doherty and James Wattana at the Welsh Open in Newport. On 19 April 2003, she made her World Snooker Championship debut at the Crucible Theatre in Sheffield, refereeing a first-round match between Mark King and Drew Henry.

On 18 February 2007, Tabb became the first woman to officiate at a world-ranking snooker final in the Welsh Open. On 20 January 2008, she refereed her first Masters final at Wembley Arena in London. On 5 April 2009, she took charge of the 2009 China Open final in Beijing.

On 3 and 4 May 2009, Tabb became the first woman to referee a World Snooker Championship final, as John Higgins defeated Shaun Murphy to capture his third world title. During the interval of the final's third session, the BBC broadcast a profile of Tabb, in which she discussed the pressures of juggling her family life with her busy refereeing and travel schedule.

Tabb also refereed the 2012 World Championship final, in which Ronnie O'Sullivan defeated Ali Carter to win his fourth world title.

On 19 March 2015, World Snooker announced that Tabb had left the professional refereeing circuit. The organization stated: "World Snooker would like to take the opportunity to thank Michaela for her contribution to World Snooker over the last 14 years and wish her all the best with her future refereeing endeavours."

In September 2015, appearing under her married name of McInnes, Tabb brought a court case in Bristol Employment Tribunal against World Snooker, claiming sex discrimination, unfair dismissal, and breach of contract. World Snooker made an undisclosed out-of-court financial settlement, stating that "Michaela McInnes (Tabb) and World Snooker Limited have come to a confidential accommodation regarding the claims brought by Mrs McInnes in the employment tribunal."

Although Tabb was born in the south-west of England, her family moved to Scotland when she was three years old.

Tabb studied chemistry, biology, and sociology at the University of Glasgow, although she dropped out before receiving her degree. Before becoming a full-time professional referee, she worked as an advertising salesperson and as a job recruitment agent. She was also a sales representative for the Ann Summers lingerie retailer.

Tabb resides in Dunfermline, Scotland, with her husband, pool player Ross McInnes, and their two children.

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(cont.)****Part 1 – Choose the best answer. Circle your choice.**

- 1** Michaela talked about her family life
 A. during a snooker final match. B. after a tournament in Beijing.
 C. in a BBC programme. D. before she started refereeing professionally.
- 2** Michaela Tabb
 A. started refereeing pool in 1991.
 B. had her husband discourage her from refereeing.
 C. asked Jim McKenzie to be included in the snooker circuit.
 D. skipped a required preparatory period.
- 3** Michaela Tabb refereed her first snooker final match in
 A. Northern Ireland. B. Wales.
 C. England. D. Scotland.
- 4** From the passage we know that Tabb
 A. graduated in Glasgow. B. sued World Snooker Limited.
 C. was admired by her male colleagues. D. was brought to professional refereeing by her husband.
- 5** World Snooker Limited
 A. paid Mrs McInnes (Tabb) a certain amount of money.
 B. accused Mrs McInnes (Tabb) of breaching a contract.
 C. laid Mrs McInnes (Tabb) off in 2015.
 D. congratulated Mrs McInnes (Tabb) on her achievements.

_____ / 5 pts

Part 2 – Decide whether the following statements are true (T), false (F) or not stated (NS). Write your answers in the space provided at the end of each line.

- 6** At some point, Michaela Tabb worked in advertising. _____
- 7** Michaela Tabb is married to a professional snooker player. _____
- 8** Michaela Tabb is a Scottish-born female former pool and snooker referee. _____
- 9** Michaela Tabb competed in pool in team competition. _____
- 10** Michaela Tabb refereed two final matches in the World Snooker Championship. _____

_____ / 5 pts

Total: _____ / 10 pts

LISTENING COMPREHENSION

You will hear an article about requirements a pet shop worker should fulfil.

Part 1 – Decide whether the following statements are true (T), false (F), or not stated (NS). Write your answers on the lines provided.

- 1 Math courses are not necessary to take in high school. _____
- 2 It is usual for high school students to be employed in retail. _____
- 3 Accounting can help a pet shop worker get a higher-level position in a pet shop. _____
- 4 Some pet shop owners pay students' veterinary training. _____
- 5 Kathryn Chambliss employs only seven people. _____
- 6 A pet shop worker has to be able to analyse data before ordering products. _____

_____ / 3 pts

Part 2 – Complete the following sentences with the exact words from the listening text.

- 7 _____ is considered a paid entry-level position.
- 8 DECA organizes annual _____ conferences.
- 9 Some customers may want to check if the pet shop personnel is _____.
- 10 Choosing _____ is one of a pet shop worker's duties.

_____ / 2 pts

Total: _____ / 5 pts

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