

CELDT Released Questions

CELDT - California English Language Development Test

Part 2. Listening Comprehension

It was lunchtime and Kim was running as fast as she could to Ms. Chin's classroom. She wanted to play with Buster.

Who's Buster, you ask? Buster is a fluffy black and white rabbit that Ms. Chin keeps in her classroom. Ms. Chin teaches science, and she brought Buster to school for her students to study. If students want to play with Buster or hold him or feed him, they have to come to Ms. Chin's classroom during lunchtime.

So Kim was on her way to see Buster. She had never fed a rabbit before, and she wanted to see Buster before the other children did.

1. Where was Kim going?

_____ to a classroom

_____ to the pet store

_____ to the lunchroom

2. Who is Buster?

_____ a friend of Kim's

_____ Kim's pet rabbit

_____ Ms. Chin's rabbit

3. What did Kim want to do?

_____ eat lunch

_____ feed Buster

_____ play outside

Part 2. Speaking – Speech Functions

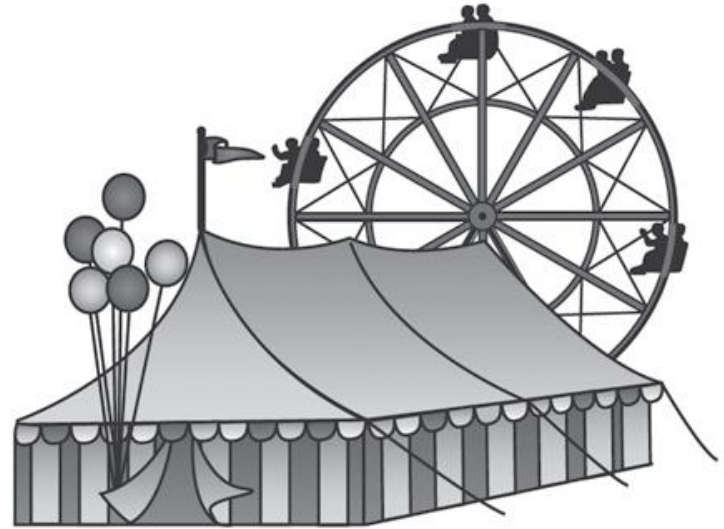
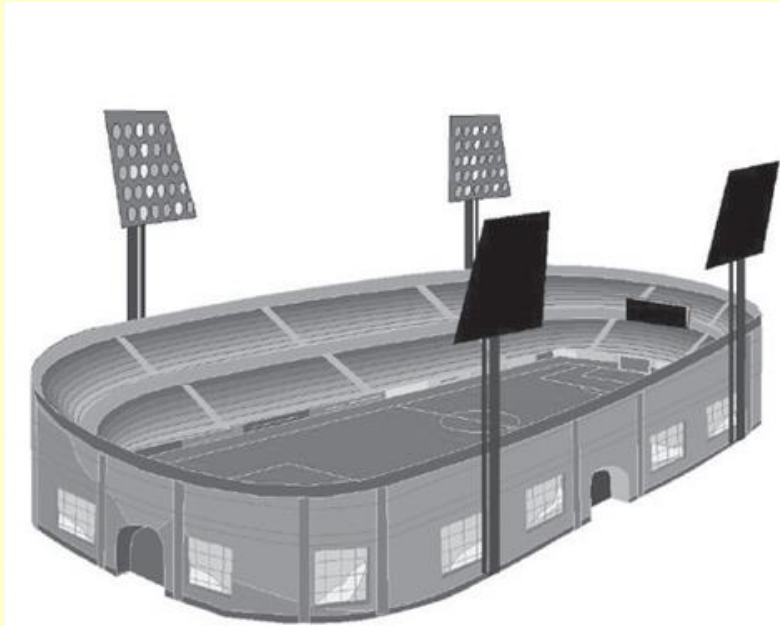
You are drawing a picture. You want to borrow a blue marker from your friend.

What would you say to your friend?

There is a new student at your school. You see the student in the hall and he or she looks lost. You want to offer to help the student.

What would you say?

Part 2. Speaking – Give two reasons why



Suppose that you can go to either a sports event or an amusement park. Which would you choose?

Tell me why. Give me at least two reasons.



I will start the story for you. Yesterday, Maria and a group of friends played baseball. Tell me what happened.



Part 2. Speaking - Retell

Part 3. Reading Comprehension

Anna's school is putting on a play. Robert is making the costumes. Sara is writing the words the actors will say. Ben is painting pictures for the stage. Maria is going to sing a song.

Anna is going to act in the play. She is going to be a bird. She has to practice what she will say and do on the stage. Anna wants to be ready when the play begins!

1. What is the BEST title for this story?

☐ "Sara Writes a Play"

☐ "How to Act like a Bird"

☐ "The School Play"

2. Why does Anna practice what she will say and do in the play?

☐ She wants to be ready to act.

☐ She wants to make her own costume.

☐ She wants to write the words for the actors.

3. What will MOST LIKELY happen in the play?

☐ Robert will write the words to the play.

☐ Maria will help Ben paint pictures.

☐ Anna will act like a bird.

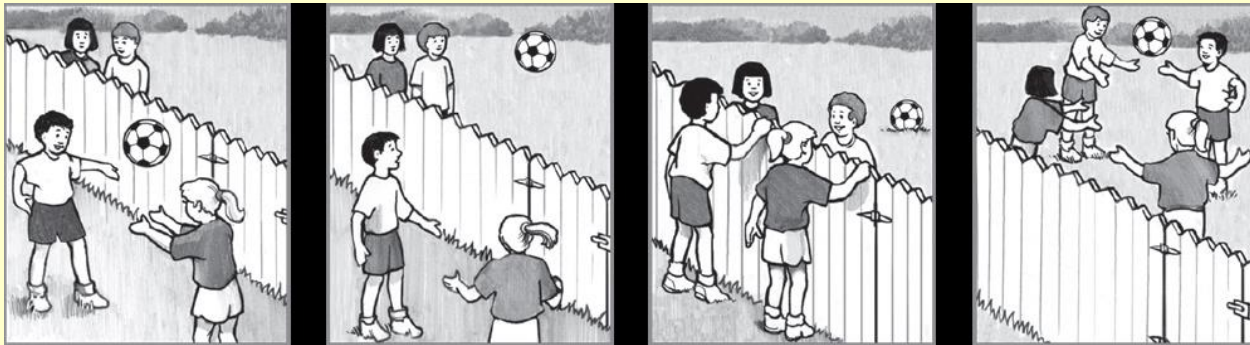
Part 4. Write a sentence



Write a sentence that describes what is happening in the picture.

Part 4. Write a story or paragraph

In this section, you will write a story. Look at the four pictures. Under these pictures, you will see some words that start the story for you. Look at what is happening in the pictures and then finish writing the story.



In the summer, my brother and I

Or

Write about the given topic.

In one paragraph, describe your greatest adventure.