

The First Term English Test

Hi,

I went to Rome last August with my friend Peter. We flew to Rome with British Airways.

We stayed for a week in a small hotel near the Colosseum. The hotel was nice and quite cheap.

During the day we walked around the city .We saw all the famous places like the Colosseum and St Peter's, and we threw a coin in the Trevi Fountain .We took a lot of photos. At night we went to restaurants and had fantastic pasta.

Our favourite restaurant was the Piazza Navona. We bought a painting of Trastevere (the old town)and Peter bought some presents for his family .

We had a great time. Rome is full of history and has a special atmosphere, and Italian food is delicious. We only had two problems: it was hot, and it was very difficult to cross the road.

What about you? Did you go somewhere?

Hope to hear from you soon,

Steve

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PART ONE A/Reading Comprehension(07 pts)

Task One(2pts) : Answer the following questions :

- 1.Did Steve and Peter stay at a friend's house ?
- 2.Did they enjoy themselves ?

Task Two(3pts)Read the following statements and write "True" , "False"or "Not mentioned" .

- 1.Steve and Peter travelled by plane.
- 2.They didn't have time to visit all the well-known places
- 3.They had their meals at the Trattoria Romana restaurant.

Task Three(2pts): Match the words in column A with their equivalents in column B.

A	B
- Cheap	-wonderful
- Famous	-hard
- Fantastic	-inexpensive
- difficult	-well-known

B) Mastery of Language. (07 Pts)

Task one: Complete this table with Base or strong adjectives: (2pts)

Base adjective	Strong adjective
..... Very small	Huge
..... Very tasty	Gorgeous

Task Two(3pts) : write the Correct form of the verbs in brackets .

Last spring My friends and I visited the Sahara. The first week we (to stay) at a friend's house in Ghardaia and the second week we (to go) to Djanet. Next year , we (to visit) other fascinating places.

Task Three(2pts): Find in the text words that have consonant clusters . (2pts)

Initial position	Middle position	Final position
1.	1.	1.....
2.		

PART TWO: Situation of integration. (6pts)

You received a letter from your friend. She/he told you about her/his holidays. She/he would like to know how you spent your holidays.

Write her/him a letter .Tell her/him what you did.

Write about:

- The place you went to (abroad/another town/or stayed at home)
- What you did (your activities during the holidays)
- Your feelings

Good Luck

**Your Teacher
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The First Term English Test (correction)

PART ONE A/Reading Comprehension(07 pts)

Task One(2pts) : the acceptable answers :

1. No. / No, they did not (didn't) ./No, they didn't stay at a friend's house. / They didn't stay at a friend's house. **1pt**
2. Yes. /Yes, they did ./ Yes, they enjoyed themselves ./They enjoyed themselves. **1pt**

Task Two(3pts) "True" , "False" or "Not mentioned" .

1. Steve and Peter travelled by plane. **True 1pt**
2. They didn't have time to visit all the well-known places. **Not mentioned. 1pt**
3. They had their meals at the Trattoria Romana restaurant. **False 1pt**

Task Three(2pts): he words and their equivalents.

A	B
- Cheap	-wonderful 0.5 pt
- Famous	-hard 0.5 pt
- Fantastic	-inexpensive 0.5 pt
- difficult	-well-known 0.5 pt

B) Mastery of Language. (07 Pts)

Task one: Complete this table with Base or strong adjectives: (2pts)

Base adjective	Strong adjective
Very big 0.5 pt Very small very pretty/beautiful 0.5 pt Very tasty	Huge tiny 0.5 pt Gorgeous delicious 0.5 pt

Task Two(3pts) : The correct form of the verbs (3pts) .

Last spring My friends and I visited the Sahara. The first week we (to stay) **stayed (0.5 pt)** at a friend's house in Ghardaia and the second week we (to go) **went (0.5 pt)** to Djanet. Next year, we (to visit) **are going to visit / will visit (0.5 pt)** other fascinating places.

Task Three(2pts): The words that have consonant clusters . (2pts)

Initial position	Middle position	Final position
Friend- Flew - British stayed- small places- threw Trevi- Trastevere presents- great special- problems cross- from – Steve . 2 words (1 pt)	Around- fountain restaurants- fantastic pasta -painting Trastevere - atmosphere 1 word (0.5 pt)	Went- last august- airways stayed -walked restaurants- old presents- and- problems- difficult- English 1 word (0.5 pt)