

EXERCISE 1 (10 marks)

Read the passage and answer the questions below.

The Night Sky

Do you ever look up at the sky at night from outside or through your bedroom window? Have you ever been camping and slept under the stars. Do you know the names of any stars?

Stars are simply glowing balls of gas. They are very hot, especially the sun which is a star. It is the closest star to our planet. Stars can last for a long, long time, eons of years. Large stars don't last as long as the smaller ones. Stars often stay in groups and make special patterns with names. Over 1000 stars are in a galaxy together.

1) Stars never disappear.

- a) True
- b) False

2) The stars that last the shortest time are...

- a) the brightest
- b) the closest to us
- c) the biggest
- d) the smallest

3) Which star is closest to our planet? Answer in a full sentence. (2 marks)

4) What does the word "it" refer to? Answer in a full sentence. (2 marks)

5) There are one thousand stars.

- a) True
- b) False

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The sun is closest to our planet.

4) What does the underlined "it" refer to? Answer in a full sentence. (2 marks)

It refers to the sun.

5) There are one thousand stars.

- a) true
- b) False**

6) Fill in the blanks: (3 marks)

Stars have special **names**. They are very **hot** inside. Stars often **group** together.

EXERCISE 1 (10 marks)

Complete each blank with the correct form of the verb 'be' or 'have'.

- 1) David _____ seven years old.
- 2) Cats _____ soft fur.
- 3) John _____ one sister.
- 4) The children _____ very naughty.
- 5) It _____ a sunny day today.
- 6) There _____ twenty students in my class.
- 7) Where _____ my homework?
- 8) Reading _____ good for learning English.
- 9) The news _____ good and bad.
- 10) Jane and Emma _____ best friends.

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EXERCISE 2 (10 marks) (2 marks each)

Unscramble each of the following words to make sentences.

e.g. is a friendly James is a friendly boy.

1) have a cat's six .

12) Polly's teacher a is mum ?

EXERCISE 1 - Answers (10 marks)

Complete each blank with the correct form of the verb 'be' or 'have'.

- 1) David is seven years old.
- 2) Cats have soft fur.
- 3) John has one sister.
- 4) The children are very naughty.
- 5) It is a sunny day today.
- 6) There are twenty students in my class.
- 7) Where is my homework?
- 8) Reading is good for learning English.
- 9) The news is good.
- 10) Jane and Emma are best friends.

EXERCISE 2 - Answers (10 marks, 2 marks each)

Unscramble each of the following to make sentences.

e.g. is boy friend James James is a friendly boy.

- 11) have legs insect six .
It has six legs.
- 12) Polly teacher is mum ?
Is Polly's mum a teacher?
- 13) have does Tim brothers not.
Tim does not have any brothers.