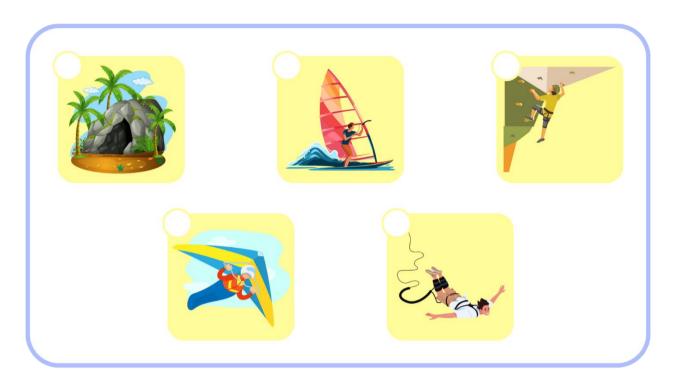
2024-2025 ACADEMIC YEAR ______ SECONDARY SCHOOL

2ND TERM 2ND ENGLISH LISTENING EXAM FOR 8TH GRADERS

Name Surname: Class: 8/... Number: Point:

A) LISTEN AND NUMBER THE PICTURES.

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B) LISTEN AND COMPLETE THE SPEECH BUBBLES.

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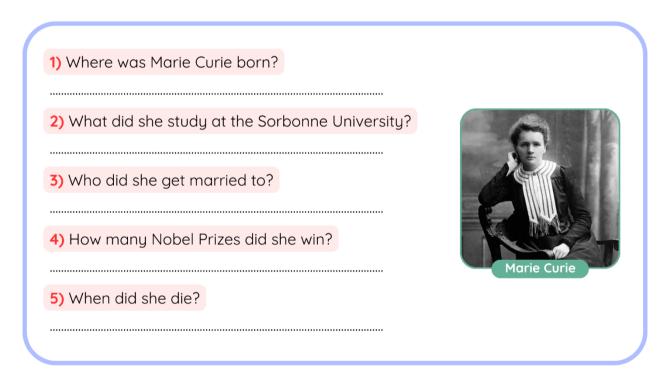
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D) LISTEN AND ANSWER THE QUESTIONS.

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ANSWER KEY

PART A

- **1)** 2
- **2)** 5
- **3)** 4
- **4)** 3
- **5)** 1

PART C

- 1) Sarah
- 2) David
- 3) Jessica
- **4)** Sam
- 5) Molly

PART B

- 1) historic sites
- 2) urban
- 3) exciting
- 4) ancient
- 5) famous

PART D

- 1) She was born in Poland.
- 2) She studied physics and mathematics.
- 3) She got married to Pierre Curie.
- 4) She won two Nobel Prizes.
- 5) She died in 1934.

LISTENING SCRIPTS

PART A

- 1. I tried bungee jumping last summer. It was amazing. I felt very excited. Some of my friends were scared, but I think it was fun. To me, bungee jumping is the most exciting extreme sport.
- 2. Last year, I went caving. It was difficult and a little boring for me. The tunnels were very small and dark. I would rather walk in a forest than go into a cave again.
- 3. I tried hang gliding in the mountains. It was an amazing feeling to float in the air like a bird. I will definitely do it again.
- 4. My favorite extreme sport is rock climbing. I think it is very challenging but it is also fun. I like watching the scenery at the top of a mountain.
- 5. I prefer windsurfing to the other extreme sports. I like feeling the wind on my face and moving on the water. At first, it is a difficult activity but it can be fun after some practice.

PART B

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My brother would like to move to a big city in the future. He prefers urban life to rural life because he thinks cities are more exciting than the countryside.

Last year, we were in Rome on holiday. It is truly an ancient city with a long history. Many people visit Rome to see famous places like the Colosseum.

PART C

Hello. I am Molly Harper. To me, family members should help each other and share all the household chores at home. In my family, everybody has some duties. Today, I would like to talk about the responsibilities that we have at home. I must make the beds and wash the dishes. My sister, Jessica is responsible for ironing the clothes and dusting the furniture. My younger brother, Sam is in charge of mopping the floor and walking our dog. My father, David must vacuum the carpets. And my mother, Sarah has a lot of duties. Doing the laundry and cooking meals are some of them.

PART D

Marie Curie was born in 1867, in Poland. She lived there with her family and enjoyed studying math and physics when she was young. Later, she moved to Paris and studied physics and mathematics at the Sorbonne University. In 1895, she married Pierre Curie, and they had two children. Marie worked in a laboratory in Paris. She did research on radioactivity. She discovered two elements: polonium and radium. For her important works, she won two Nobel Prizes — one in Physics and one in Chemistry. She was both a scientist and a professor. Marie Curie died in 1934, in France.

