

Assessment Test

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DIRECTIONS

Please follow the directions for each section of the test. Do NOT use any dictionaries or textbooks. You may return the examination to us at:

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SECTION 1

Answer the questions. Use complete sentences.

- 1. Where are you from?
- 2. What do you like to do in your free time?

- 3. Who is your favorite actor?
- 4. What time do you usually go to bed?
- 5. How often do you go out to eat?
- 6. What are you doing now?
- 7. What did you eat for lunch yesterday?
- 8. What were you doing at 10:00 last night?
- 9. How long have you studied English?
- 10. Have you ever been to Africa?
- 11. What are you going to do next year?
- 12. By the time you were sixteen, how long had you studied English?

SECTION 2

Fill in the blanks with the correct verb forms.

A.				
Right now Tom (1)	(play) soccer in the park.	He (2)	(play)	
soccer every Saturday me	orning. Last weekend he (3)	(play) against a	team	
from Brazil. He (4)	(be) very excited to play agains	t an international team. Ton	n says,	
'In the future, I (5) (play) in the Olympic Games. That is my dream."				
В.				
Tom (6) (r	never, be) to the Olympics before. H	owever, he (7)	(read)	
a lot about the history of t	he Games. For a long time he (8) _	(have) dream	ns about	
competing as a champior	athlete. Tom (9)	$_{\scriptscriptstyle -}$ (believe) that it would be a	an honor to	
compete for his country. A	All of his friends (10)	$_$ (wish) him luck in fulfilling	j his dream.	
SECTION 3 Complete the sentence	ces.			
1. If it rains tomorrov	v			
2. Maria can't stand				
3. Living in another o	country			
4. Joe made his siste	er			
5. To learn a second	language			

6. I was given		
7. The woman who		

9. By the time he graduates, Joe

8. You should

- 10. If I won a million dollars
- 11. Karen, your boyfriend called and asked
- 12. Jerry didn't eat lunch as usual, so he must

SECTION 4

Read the passage and answer the questions (1 point each).

Some societies have nuclear families in which the mother, father and their children live together in the same house. Other societies have extended families. In this kind of family, the nuclear family lives together with grandparents, uncles and other relatives. In North American society, the nuclear family has been the traditional form of the family. Today, however, it is more of an ideal than a reality. Although there has always been variety in the "traditional" North American family, there seems to be even more diversity today.

According to the most recent government reports, only about one third of all North American families are traditional with two parents and their children, and another third are married couples with no children or no children still living at home. The final third are single people, mostly women over sixty-five years old. There are also unmarried couples living together and single parents,

There are a number of reasons why the Western family is changing. One reason is that the size of the family is getting smaller. Now more women are working, and they delay having children. Having fewer children allows a family to give more to a few children, so they will have better lives. A smaller family can also move more easily to places where they can make more money. Moreover, there are more babies born to unmarried women as well as more divorces. Some young couples don't see their parents very often, and they don't invite their parents to live with them when the parents grow old. In fact, many of the parents don't want to live with their grown children. Finally, many North Americans have close friends who are like family. These friends play an important role in family life.

1. What is a nuclear family? a small family

mother, father and their children many relatives living together in the same house

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have a traditional form? two-thirds

one-third

almost all

3. One-third of American families consists of families with no children still living at home. Why do you think these children aren't living at home?

2. How many American families

- 4. Why do you think many women are delaying having children?
- 5. Why do you think many parents don't want to live with their grown children when they become old?

SECTION 5

Write a paragraph (at least 150 words) about the reasons why you chose to study abroad.