

**CB L 16.4**

**PART 1 Questions 1-10**

Complete the notes below.

Write **ONE WORD AND/OR A NUMBER** for each answer.

Holiday rental
<p><b>Owners' names:</b> Jack Fitzgerald and Shirley Fitzgerald</p> <p><b>Granary Cottage</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● available for week beginning 1. _____ May</li><li>● cost for the week: 2. £ _____</li><li>● 3. _____ Cottage</li><li>● cost for the week: £480</li><li>● building was originally a 4. _____</li><li>● walk through doors from living room into a 5. _____</li><li>● several 6. _____ spaces at the front</li><li>● bathroom has a shower</li><li>● central heating and stove that burns 7. _____</li><li>● views of old 8. _____ from living room</li><li>● view of hilltop 9. _____ from the bedroom</li></ul> <p><b>Payment</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● deposit: £144</li><li>● deadline for final payment: end of 10. _____</li></ul>

**PART 2 Questions 11-20**

Questions 11-14

Choose the correct letter, A, B or C.

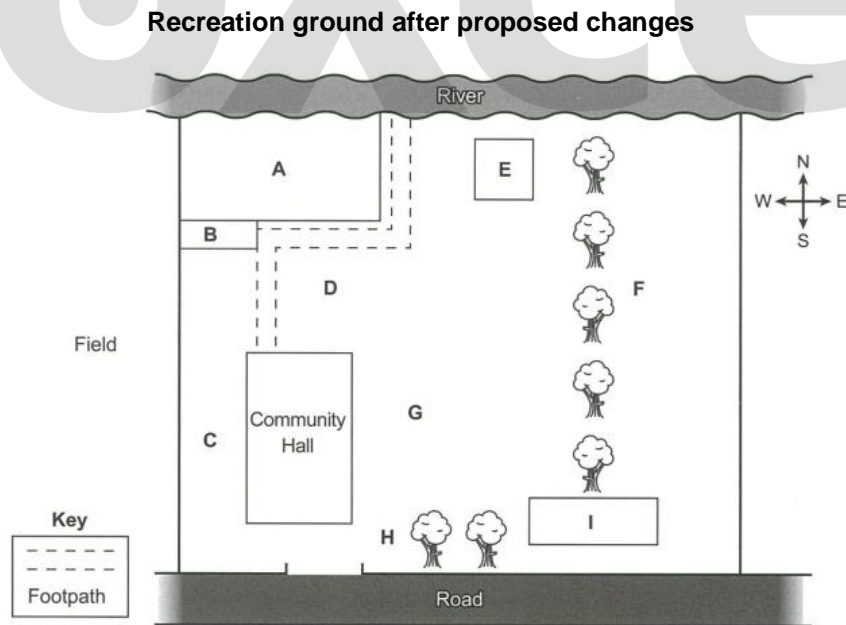
**Local council report on traffic and highways**

11. A survey found people's main concern about traffic in the area was
  - A. cuts to public transport.
  - B. poor maintenance of roads.
  - C. changes in the type of traffic.
12. Which change will shortly be made to the cycle path next to the river?
  - A. It will be widened.
  - B. It will be extended.
  - C. It will be resurfaced.
13. Plans for a pedestrian crossing have been postponed because
  - A. the Post Office has moved.
  - B. the proposed location is unsafe.
  - C. funding is not available at present.
14. On Station Road, notices have been erected
  - A. telling cyclists not to leave their bikes outside the station ticket office.
  - B. asking motorists to switch off engines when waiting at the level crossing.
  - C. warning pedestrians to leave enough time when crossing the railway line.

Questions 15-20

Label the map below.

Write the correct letter, **A-I**, next to Questions 15-20.



15. New car park \_\_\_\_\_
16. New cricket pitch \_\_\_\_\_
17. Children's playground \_\_\_\_\_
18. Skateboard ramp \_\_\_\_\_
19. Pavilion \_\_\_\_\_
20. Notice board \_\_\_\_\_

**PART 3 Questions 21-30**

Questions 21-22

Choose TWO letters, A-E.

Which **TWO** benefits of city bike-sharing schemes do the students agree are the most important?

- A. reducing noise pollution
- B. reducing traffic congestion
- C. improving air quality
- D. encouraging health and fitness
- E. making cycling affordable

Questions 23-24

Choose TWO letters, A-E.

Which **TWO** things do the students think are necessary for successful bike-sharing schemes?

- A. Bikes should have a GPS system.
- B. The app should be easy to use
- C. Public awareness should be raised.
- D. Only one scheme should be available.
- E. There should be a large network of cycle lanes.

Questions 25-30

What is the speakers' opinion of the bike-sharing schemes in each of the following cities?

Choose **SIX** answers from the box and write the correct letter, A-G, next to Questions 25-30.

**Opinion of bike-sharing scheme**

- A. They agree it has been disappointing
- B. They think it should be cheaper.
- C. They are surprised it has been so successful.
- D. They agree that more investment is required.
- E. They think the system has been well designed.
- F. They disagree about the reasons for its success.
- G. They think it has expanded too quickly.

**Cities**

- 25. Amsterdam \_\_\_\_\_
- 26. Dublin \_\_\_\_\_
- 27. London \_\_\_\_\_
- 28. Buenos Aires \_\_\_\_\_
- 29. New York \_\_\_\_\_
- 30. Sydney \_\_\_\_\_

**PART 4 Questions 31-40**

Complete the notes below.

Write **ONE WORD ONLY** for each answer.

**THE EXTINCTION OF THE DODO BIRD**

The dodo was a large flightless bird which used to inhabit the island of Mauritius.

**History**

- 1507 - Portuguese ships transporting 31. \_\_\_\_\_ stopped at the island to collect food and water.
- 1638 - The Dutch established a 32. \_\_\_\_\_ on the island.
- They killed the dodo birds for their meat.
- The last one was killed in 1681.

**Description**

- The only record we have is written descriptions and pictures (possibly unreliable).
- A Dutch painting suggests the dodo was very 33. \_\_\_\_\_.
- The only remaining soft tissue is a dried 34. \_\_\_\_\_.
- Recent studies of a dodo skeleton suggest the birds were capable of rapid 35. \_\_\_\_\_.
- It's thought they were able to use their small wings to maintain 36. \_\_\_\_\_.
- Their 37. \_\_\_\_\_ was of average size.
- Their sense of 38. \_\_\_\_\_ enabled them to find food.

**Reasons for extinction**

- Hunting was probably not the main cause.
- Sailors brought dogs and monkeys.
- 39. \_\_\_\_\_ also escaped onto the island and ate the birds' eggs
- The arrival of farming meant the 40. \_\_\_\_\_ was destroyed.

**Answers – CB L 16.4**

1. 28<sup>th</sup>
2. 550
3. Chervil
4. garage
5. garden
6. parking
7. wood
8. bridge
9. monument
10. March
11. C
12. A
13. B
14. B
15. C
16. F
17. A
18. I
19. E
20. H
21. & 22. B, C (in either order)
23. & 24. B, C (in either order)
25. C
26. F
27. D
28. E
29. B
30. A
31. spice(s)
32. colony/ settlement
33. fat
34. head
35. movement
36. balance/ balancing
37. brain
38. smell
39. rats
40. forest

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