**Reading Success 3 Final Test**

**Units 21-40**

**A. Fill in the blank with the correct word from the box.**

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| passengers | audience | demanded | fraction | shack |
| borrow | widespread | cliff | lake | happen |

1. In the ancient world, slavery was \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
2. The \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ cheered after the show.
3. Be careful—don’t get too close to the edge of the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
4. The poor family could not afford a house, so they lived in a(n) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
5. No one could imagine what would \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ when the tornado hit.
6. Jen likes to ride water ski on the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
7. May I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ your pencil? I didn’t bring one.
8. My mom \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ that I clean my room.
9. None of the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ were killed in the train crash.
10. The store had a sale, so you can buy clothes at a(n) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of the original price.

**B. Match the word to its definition.**

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| 1. beat | a. to stop being seen or to stop existing |
| 2. disappear | b. to move continuously |
| 3. sharpen | c. frightened |
| 4. medicine | d. to go down in size or amount |
| 5. afraid | e. a sickness |
| 6. freeze | f. something taken to treat an illness |
| 7. flow | g. to arrive on the ground |
| 8. decrease | h. to turn to ice |
| 9. disease | i. to win over another |
| 10. land | j. to make something sharp or better |

**C. Read the passage. Answer the questions.**

John Smith had wanted to be a pilot since he was a child, so when he won the lottery and had a lot of money, he decided to buy his own plane.

Then he took flying lessons. Unfortunately, he wasn’t a very good student. But at last he passed his pilot’s examination and had his certificate. He was allowed to fly the plane without an instructor.

For a while he was happy taking the plane on his own. But he soon felt lonely in the plane, so he decided to ask friends to come with him. But his friends refused. They had all seen how he drove his car. He was not the safest driver on the road.

At last, having no one else to ask, he invited his dentist to join him on a short flight. The dentist, who did not know John well and had never been in a plane before, accepted his invitation.

John wanted to show his dentist what a good pilot he was. After the plane took off, John put the plane into a steep dive. He turned it on its back. He rolled it over and over. He did all kinds of things with the plane.

Throughout the flight, the dentist just kept saying to himself, “What am I doing here? I must be crazy.”

Finally, John landed the plane safely, though very roughly. The dentist got out and looked up at him.

“Thanks for both flights,” he said to John.

“Both flights?” John said, surprised. “But you’ve only had one flight.”

“Oh, no,” his dentist said. “I’ve had two: my first and my last.”

1. Why did John have enough money to buy a plane?

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2. How did he learn to fly the plane?

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3. Why did he want someone to ride in the plane with him?

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4. Who did John finally get to go up in the plane with him?

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5. Did that person enjoy the flight?

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**D.** **Read the passage. Rewrite the statement to make it correct.**

The earliest works of art were cave paintings and rock art. These were either painted or engraved on the walls of caves or on rocks in the open. As far as we know, the first artists were the Magdalenians, people who lived in Europe as long ago as 18,000 BCE.

These paintings were not discovered, though, until towards the end of the 19th century. By the end of the 20th century, more than 250 examples had been discovered, mostly in France and Spain. Unfortunately, many of them were damaged. As soon as the caves were opened, the fresh air was not good for them. Nowadays only those caves which have been air-conditioned can be visited by the general public.

Most cave and rock art show various animals that are now extinct. They have usually been made with finger marks on soft clay or engraved with sharp stones. The best are actual paintings, usually in red or black, but sometimes yellow and brown were used.

Although many of the paintings were quite small, some were huge. One of a bull is over seven meters long. The famous painting of a woolly mammoth—a large animal long extinct—was painted seven meters up from the floor of the cave. This means that the artists must have built something to stand on.

The artists preferred caves to outside rocks because caves were more secure and sheltered from rain. Some of the caves were very big—as much as a kilometer long.

1. The first artists were probably of African descent.

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1. Their paintings were not discovered until the end of the 20th century.

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1. Most of the paintings found were in good condition.

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1. Most cave and rock paintings show people that are now extinct.

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1. The fresh air was good for the paintings.

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**A.**

1. widespread

2. audience

3. cliff

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5. happen

6. lake

7. borrow

8. demanded

9. passengers

10. fraction

**B.**

1. i

2. a

3. j

4. f

5. c

6. h

7. b

8. d

9. e

10. g

**C.**

John had enough money to buy the plane because he had won the lottery.

He took lessons to learn to buy the plane.

He wanted someone to ride with him because he was lonely.

John finally got his dentist to ride with him.

No, the dentist did not enjoy the flight.

**D.**

1. The first artists were probably of European descent.

2. Their paintings were not discovered until the end of the 19th century.

3. Most of the paintings found were damaged.

4. Most cave and rock paintings show animals that are now extinct.

5. The fresh air was bad for the paintings.