



1. Read this text carefully and tick the correct answers:

## A TYPICAL DAY IN AUSTRALIA

Hello! My name is John Logan. I am 12 years old. I live in Queensland with my little sister Pat and my parents, Paul and Anne.

At 6:20 a.m. I get up. My dad cooks us some fried eggs for breakfast and I make the toast. My mum helps me practise for my German test. Then, I feed the chickens, dogs and cat and I take a quick ride on my bike. My mum takes us to school in her car because she works there.

Today we had a test on History and German. German is a very difficult subject. I started German classes three years ago but I cannot pronounce a word correctly! At 10:30 a.m. we always have morning tea and 15 minutes for breaktime. At 11:30 a.m. we go outside for tennis lessons. We play for 45 minutes. At lunchtime I usually eat a chicken sandwich and some fruit salad. After lunch, I always play football with my friend Josh. In my afternoon class, we work with a partner to use the Internet. Today we looked for\* an Aboriginal legend and printed it out.

I always leave school at 4:00 p.m., but today I finished classes at 2:45 p.m. because I had to\*\* help my dad. He is a farmer. Work on the farm is hard but I love taking care of animals! I want to be a vet!

At 6:30 p.m. I get home and have a rest because I am very tired. After dinner I take a shower and I go to bed.

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### Vocabulary:

\* **looked for:** hem buscat

\*\* **had to:** havia de

JOHN'S DAILY PLANNER	
6:20 a.m.	Get up
7:45 a.m.	School starts
10:30 a.m.	Breaktime
11:30 a.m.	Tennis lessons
4 p.m.	School finishes (today 2:45 p.m.) 😊
6:30 p.m.	Get Home
8 p.m.	Shower

## QUESTIONS:

**1. John lives with...**

- a. his mum and older sister.
- b. his mum and his dad.
- c. his sister and his parents.

**2. Which sentence is true?**

- a. Pat is older than John.
- b. John is older than Pat.
- c. John and Pat are the same age.

**3. In the morning John and his dad...**

- a. prepare breakfast.
- b. use the Internet.
- c. play football.

**4. Pat and John go to school...**

- a. by bus.
- b. by car.
- c. on foot.

**5. John started learning German...**

- a. when he was six.
- b. three years ago.
- c. this school year.

**6. What time does his tennis lesson start?**

- a. At 11:30 a.m.
- b. At 11:45 a.m.
- c. At 12:15 p.m.

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### 7. What does John eat for lunch?

- a. Only some fruit.
- b. Some chicken salad.
- c. A sandwich and some fruit.

### 8. School always finishes at...

- a. 11:30 a.m.
- b. 4 o'clock p.m.
- c. 6:30 p.m.

### 9. Today John...

- a. finished his lessons earlier.
- b. didn't go to school.
- c. went home very late.

### 10. When John gets home he before he goes to bed.

- a. works on the farm.
- b. rides his bike.
- c. takes a shower.

### 11. In the second paragraph: "At 6:20 a.m. (...) works there", you find information about...

- a. John's favourite subjects.
- b. what John eats for breakfast.
- c. Queensland, John's hometown.

### 12. This text is about...

- a. the daily routine of an Australian boy.
- b. Australian education.
- c. the history of Queensland.