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Reading: A1 A poster for exam candidates

Read the poster outside an exam room to practise and improve your reading skills.

Before reading

Do the preparation task first. Then read the text and do the exercises.

Preparation task

Write the correct word below each picture.

book	pen	bag	notes
mobile phone	pencil	ID	water bottle
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1	2	3	4
DICTIONARY			
5	6	7	8

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Poster 1

FINAL EXAM INSTRUCTIONS

- Doors close 5 minutes before the exam begins.
- Show your student ID card to examiner when you enter the room.
- No phones, no books.





Poster 2

BEFORE THE EXAM

- Have your ID card ready.
- Listen to the instructions.
- Arrive 10 minutes before exam.

IN THE EXAM

- Mobile phones switched off and put away.
- ID card visible on the desk.
- No talking.
- No food or drinks in exam room.

Poster 3

- Follow the examiner's instructions.
- If you have a question, raise your hand.
- No mobile phones, books or bags in the exam.
- Please use a blue or black pen.

Tasks

Task 1

Circle all the posters that say something about ...

1. talking.

	a. Poster 1	b. Poster 2	c. Poster 3
2.	ID cards.		
	a. Poster 1	b. Poster 2	c. Poster 3
3.	arriving early.		
	a. Poster 1	b. Poster 2	c. Poster 3
4.	phones.		
	a. Poster 1	b. Poster 2	c. Poster 3



5. the type of pen.

a. Poster 1	b. Poster 2	c. Poster 3
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6. books.

a. Poster 1 b. Poster 2

Task 2

Circle the sentence that has the same meaning.

- 1. No talking.
 - a. You can talk.
 - b. You can't talk.
- 2. ID card visible on desk.
 - a. You can see the ID card.
 - b. You can't see the ID card.
- 3. Mobile phones switched off and put away.
 - a. Don't have your mobile phone on the table.
 - b. It's OK to have your mobile phone on the table.
- 4. Doors close five minutes before the exam.
 - a. You must arrive early.
 - b. You can be five minutes late.
- 5. If you have a question, raise your hand.
 - a. You can ask questions.
 - b. You can't ask questions.

Discussion

Do you have a lot of exams? Do you like exams?

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c. Poster 3



Answers

Preparation task

- 1. pen
- 2. pencil
- 3. ID
- 4. water bottle
- 5. book
- 6. bag
- 7. mobile phone
- 8. notes

Task 1

- 1. Poster 2
- 2. Poster 1 | Poster 2
- 3. Poster 1 | Poster 2
- 4. Poster 1 | Poster 2 | Poster 3
- 5. Poster 3
- 6. Poster 1 | Poster 3

Task 2

- 1. You can't talk.
- 2. You can see the ID card.
- 3. Don't have your mobile phone on the table.
- 4. You must arrive early.
- 5. You can ask questions.

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