

• VOCABULARY •

1 Add one word to each group. [4 points]

<i>third</i>	<i>principal</i>	<i>science</i>	<i>Thursday</i>
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1. Tuesday, Friday, Saturday

2. social studies, math, English

3. first, second, fourth

4. teacher, students, classmates

2 Circle the correct answer. [6 points]

- In *math/music* class we sing and play instruments.
- We learn about history and cultures in social *studies/science*.
- We use computers in *PE/technology* class.
- We work with numbers in *art/math* class.
- I love *PE/English*, because we play soccer and basketball.
- In *science/French* class we are learning about plants and animals.

3 Complete the sentences using the words in the box. [6 points]

<i>subject</i>	<i>technology</i>	<i>second</i>
<i>principal</i>	<i>classmates</i>	<i>math</i>

- My favorite _____ is science.
- Mr. Conway is our school _____.
- In _____ class we work with different computer programs.
- I eat lunch outside with a few of my _____.
- My _____ class of the day starts at 8:30.
- I'm not very good at _____.

• GRAMMAR •

4 Complete the sentences with the correct form of be. [5 points]

- My name _____ Tim.
- We _____ 13.
- The teachers _____ in the classrooms.
- _____ Sophie in the science lab?
- Kate and Clare _____ not French.

5 Complete the short answers. [5 points]

- Are you 13? No, _____.
- Is he Spanish? Yes, _____.
- Is your French teacher nice? No, _____.
- Is math your favorite subject? No, _____.
- Are the students friendly? Yes, _____.

6 Write questions for these answers. [5 points each]

- My school is in Boston.

- Her favorite subject is PE.

- Art class is at 4 o'clock.

- His birthday is on July 15th.

- My sister is six.

7 Complete with in or on. [5 points]

1. My mom's birthday is _____ June.
2. Halloween is _____ October 31st.
3. _____ Tuesdays we play soccer.
4. School starts _____ September 4th.
5. _____ April 2011 I'll be 17.

• READING •

8 Read the letter. Then write T if the statements are true, and F if they are false. [8 points]

Dear Elena,

Thanks for the letter. How are you?

I'm very well. Let me tell you about my new middle school. I really like it. It's an old school, and it's in the center of our town. There are about 350 students, so it's not very big. There are only 20 students in my class, and 10 of them are from my elementary school, so I have a lot of friends.

Classes here are from 9:00 to 3:30. We have a 20-minute break at 11:00 and a 45-minute lunch break. I eat lunch in the cafeteria at school, or sometimes I take sandwiches.

We have ten different subjects. I'm learning Spanish! Can you believe it? The teacher's name is Señora Campos, and she's really funny. Spanish is my favorite subject! There's a big library with lots of books and computers, and a good gym where we have PE. There are also science labs where we do experiments, and a computer room. The only bad thing is the homework. We have lots and lots!

Write soon and tell me about your new school. Andrew and Tim say hi.

Love,
Charlie
XXX

1. _____ Charlie is in middle school.
2. _____ The school is big.
3. _____ His class is not very big.

4. _____ There is a 45-minute break in the morning.
5. _____ Charlie eats lunch at school.
6. _____ Charlie likes Spanish.
7. _____ The school doesn't have a computer room.
8. _____ Charlie has a lot of homework.

• COMMUNICATION •

9 Complete the dialog. [6 points]

A: Hi, I'm Shelly. What's

1 _____?

B: I'm Harry.

A: Where 2 _____?

B: I'm from the United States, but my parents are from Mexico.

A: 3 _____ the new school?

B: Yes, it's OK. Do you?

A: Yes, I like it. Everyone's very friendly.

B: What are 4 _____?

A: Math and science. What are yours?

B: English and French. Hey,
5 _____?

A: It's 12:00. Time for lunch. Come on, let's

6 _____.

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