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# Reading Comprehension 2

## TASK Multiple Matching (Matching short texts)

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Read the text and match the items (1-5) with the phrases (A-H).  
There are two extra phrases.

The first one (0) is an example.

### UK climate

- 5 The British Isles have variable weather that changes from day to day. The sea has a great influence on the British climate and it rains one out of three days in the UK. In winter it is cold and wet and the days are short. In Scotland summers are cool and rainy and the days are very long, but strong winds are more frequent in the north than in the rest of the country. In the south of the islands, summers are warm and rains are more frequent in Wales. In England there are a lot of thunderstorms too. Snow is very common in the mountains.
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- 0 cold and wet weather
- 1 very long days
- 2 warm summers
- 3 very rainy weather
- 4 thunderstorms
- 5 strong winds

- A in England
- B in Wales
- C in Scotland
- D in the north
- E in the mountains
- F in Ireland
- G in the south
- H in winter

Score: ..... /5

# Listening Comprehension 8

## TASK Multiple Choice Questions

 09 Listen to the conversation between Alison and her friend Tom about some boys and girls. Choose the best answer.

The first one (0) is an example.

**0 Mary is ...**

- A Alison's sister.
- B Alison's friend.
- C Tom's sister.
- D Tom's friend.

**1 James is ...**

- A Alison's boyfriend.
- B Alison's brother.
- C Mary's brother.
- D Mary's boyfriend.

**2 James has got ... hair.**

- A curly blond
- B spiky brown
- C straight brown
- D spiky blond

**3 Tom has got ...**

- A one brother and one sister.
- B two sisters and one brother.
- C two brothers.
- D one sister and two brothers.

**4 ... are twins.**

- A Bob and Alex
- B Bob and Tom
- C Alex and Tom
- D Bob and Mary

**5 The two twins ...**

- A look different.
- B look the same.
- C have the same hair but different eyes.
- D have the same eyes but different hair.

Score: ..... /5