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KEY STAGE

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LEVELS

3–5

2010

English test

Writing Test

Shorter Task and Spelling Test

First name _____

Last name _____

School _____

DCSF no. _____

Shorter task: Your teacher will read through this section with you.

You will have **20 minutes** to write your shorter piece of writing in this booklet.

Spelling test: Your teacher will read through this section with you.

For marker's use only

| Writing | Marks |
|---|-------|
| Shorter Task | |
| Sentence structure, punctuation and text organisation (4) | |
| Composition and effect (8) | |
| Shorter Task, total marks (12) | |
| Spelling Test (7) | |
| Shorter Task and Spelling Test, total marks (19) | |

| Spelling Test | |
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| Number of correct words | Marks |
| 0 | 0 |
| 1–3 | 1 |
| 4–6 | 2 |
| 7–9 | 3 |
| 10–12 | 4 |
| 13–15 | 5 |
| 16–18 | 6 |
| 19–20 | 7 |

Simply the Best

This notice appears in your local paper:

Pupils!

Do you know someone in your school who is simply the best?

It could be a teaching assistant, lunchtime helper, teacher, caretaker, secretary or anyone at your school that you admire.

Why not recommend this person for a *Simply the Best* award?



Fill in a form today!

Your task is to recommend someone for the award and explain why you think this person should win.

You can make up the information using your imagination.

PLANNING

I will recommend _____ for a Simply the Best award.

Reasons (think about personality, why you think the person is special, examples of what the person has done):

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Spelling Test

Do not turn over this page until your teacher tells you to.

Collecting

Collecting objects is a popular hobby, with both adults and _____ . You can collect a whole _____ of things. Lots of people collect stamps, autographs, stickers and model cars. You could even collect more unusual things like telephones and milk _____ tops.

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Why would you start collecting? You may have a real passion for one _____ thing or you may enjoy the _____ of searching for a rare object. There are many opportunities for _____ your _____ for collecting through clubs and magazines.

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Collecting autographs, or the _____ of people, is one of the oldest forms of collecting. Autographs of film stars, politicians, sports _____, authors and _____ can sell for a lot of money.

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People occasionally _____ or fake autographs,
which is _____.

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There are several points that may affect the price of an
autograph. The autograph of a very famous person is worth
_____ more than someone who is not very
well known. The _____ of an autograph is
very important. Smears, stains and _____ all
make an autograph less _____. An ink
autograph is worth far more than one in pencil, as pencil fades
over time. You would have to pay the most for a handwritten
letter, as it not only has the person's autograph, but it gives
some insight into their _____.

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People can become very _____ about their
collections, no matter how big or small. The cost of collecting
can vary _____ too, as you may pay
_____ of pounds for historic books, or go
to the beach and find empty shells costing nothing.

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Total

Spelling mark

