



## The first test of English

\* **Level:** First years.

**Streams:** Literary Streams.

- Read the following screenshot carefully and do the following activities.

**From:** Melindagriffefth @hotmail.com  
**To:** samibenrabe@Yahoo.Fr  
**Object:** Friendship by correspondence.

text

Dear Sami ,

I found your name and address in a list at [www.makingfriends.org](http://www.makingfriends.org), so I quickly began to type you these few words.

My name is Melinda Griffefth. I am a Polish girl. I am 18 years old. I am a pupil at the secondary school. I am tall with long hair and blue eyes.

In Poland, school usually begins at 08 o'clock except Saturdays and Sundays because everybody is on weekend. My friends and I often practise tennis and go to the cinema on weekends, but I never forget my school duties. I always make sure that my homeworks are done before leaving home.

My family and I live in Warsaw. It is the capital city of Poland. Dad is a carpenter and my mother is a midwife. She likes her job very much and she is very good at it. I have two brothers. Ted is 14 years old. He is a pupil too. Patrick is 04 years old. He does not go to school yet. My mother always takes him to the nursery before she goes to work.

Finally, this is all I can tell you now. I will tell you more about Poland in my next e-mail. Please tell me about yourself, your family and life in Algeria.

Sincerely yours'  
 Melinda.

**1 Activity One:** Choose the best answer that completes each statement.

(03 pts)

1) The text is:

- a) a postal letter    b) a short story    c) an e -mail

2) "Melindagriffefth@hotmail.com" is:

- a) an electronic address    b) a book title    c) an e-book.

3) The e-mail is about:

- a) an apology    b) an invitation for friendship.    c) a rejection of friendship.

**2 Activity two:** Read the text again and answer the following questions.

(03 pts)

- Is Melinda's father a director? What is he?
- What is Melinda's nationality?
- How often does her mother take Ted to the nursery?

**Activity three:** /Link each part with the suitable function :

Parts	Functions
1/The memory	A/ Produce the desired information
2/The screen	B/Serves to manipulate the computer
3/The keys	C/Stores information
4/The keyboard	D/Used for showing information

**Activity four :** Write correct sentences using the words given below.

(06 pts)

1) / e-mails / Sami / . / his friends / usually / sends / to /

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2) /Melinda / often/ her keypals / chat / chats / . / with

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3) / ? / you / rarely / do / why / go / the cybercafé / to

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4) Sometimes /arrives /school/late/she / to .

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**Activity five:(4pts)** Classify the following words according to the number of syllables :

Computer /keyboard /memory /floppy /disk /  
ROM/ printer/e-mail

1syllab	2syllab	3syllab