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Section A

Question Number	Answer	Mark
1	C - tell the reader about the benefits of laughing	(1)

Question Number	Answer	Mark
2	D - comedy competitions	(1)

Question Number	Answer	Mark
3	C - popular comedians perform in the Comedy Lounge	(1)

Question Number	Answer	Mark
4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • weekend laughter breaks (1) • short courses in laughing (1) <p>One mark for the correct answer.</p>	(1)

Question Number	Answer	Mark
5	<p>Accept any reasonable answer giving features of the text that help present information, based on the text, up to a maximum of two marks.</p> <p>Answers may include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • title/headline/heading • image/picture/photograph (of a person laughing) • bullet points • italics/block capitals for title/bold for title 	(2)

Question Number	Answer	Mark
6	<p>Accept any reasonable answer about why laughing is good for you, based on the text, up to a maximum of two marks.</p> <p>Answers may include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • makes you happier • friendly towards other people • life feels wonderful • you don't have a care in the world • improves your relationships 	(2)

Question Number	Answer	Mark
7	<p>Accept any reasonable answer about including laughter in daily life, based on the text, up to a maximum of two marks.</p> <p>Answers may include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • read joke books • go and see a comedy film • watch a stand-up comedian • go on a short course in laughing • go out with friends who laugh a lot 	(2)

Section B

Question Number	Answer	Mark
8	B - to describe a typical day at the <i>Weekend Laughter Break</i>	(1)

Question Number	Answer	Mark
9	C – web address F – search box One mark for each correct answer.	(2)

Question Number	Answer	Mark
10	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • cards with jokes (from the previous night) (1) • magician (1) • live music (1) <p>One mark for each correct answer, up to a maximum of two marks.</p>	(2)

Question Number	Answer	Mark
11	<p>Accept any reasonable answer about why your friend would like the hotel, based on the text, up to a maximum of two marks.</p> <p>Answers include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • stylish interior (rooms) • satellite • DVD player • DVDs guaranteed to get you laughing • en-suite • three star • excellent food • friendly • rooms with sea view/hotel on sea front 	(2)

Question Number	Answer	Mark
12	Click (on) Rooms (tab) One mark for a correct answer.	(1)

Question Number	Answer	Mark
13	<p>Accept any reasonable answer naming skills a friend can learn based on the text up to a maximum of two marks.</p> <p>Answers may include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• writing jokes• telling jokes• writing comedy sketches• comedy acting• comedy singing	(2)

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