

Pearson Edexcel Functional Skills – Entry 3

English

Entry 3 Reading TASK D

Set 1

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Read Text D1 and answer questions 1 to 5.

Text D1

You read this magazine article.

Walking for Fun



Walking is one of the most popular outdoor leisure activities in the UK. It is enjoyable and good for your health.

Walk with friends or family or join one of the many walking clubs across the country.

Many people enjoy a short walk in a park, by a river or along the seafront. Other people may like a longer walk along a canal path or out in the countryside. The more adventurous walkers will head for the hills or mountains.

Walking can be enjoyed in both summer and winter but be prepared for all weather. Always take a waterproof with you and wear comfortable clothing and suitable footwear.

Don't wear denim jeans as these will be very uncomfortable to wear if they get wet. Carry a small rucksack and remember to take some refreshments with you.

Text D1 questions

1 Put a tick ☒ in the correct box.

According to Text D1, which **one** of these statements is true?

A	Walking can only be enjoyed in the summer.	
B	There are lots of walking clubs in the UK.	
C	It is best to wear denim jeans when out walking.	
D	Only a few people in the UK like walking.	

(Total for Question 1 = 1 mark)

2 Write your answer on the lines below.

Look up the word **adventurous** in your dictionary and write down what it means.

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(Total for Question 2 = 1 mark)

3 Write your answer on the line below.

According to Text D1, what is it important to wear when you go walking?

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(Total for Question 3 = 1 mark)

4 Put a tick ☒ in the correct box.

According to Text D1, more adventurous people like to walk:

A	by the river	<input type="checkbox"/>
B	in the countryside	<input type="checkbox"/>
C	along a canal path	<input type="checkbox"/>
D	in the mountains	<input type="checkbox"/>

(Total for Question 4 = 1 mark)

5 Write your answer on the line below.

According to Text D1, name **one** thing you should always take with you on a walk.

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(Total for Question 5 = 1 mark)

TEXT D2 BEGINS ON THE NEXT PAGE

Read Text D2 and answer questions 6 to 9.

Text D2

You read this leaflet.

Look after the Countryside!

Enjoy walking in the countryside,
but take good care not to spoil or damage it.

Points to remember

1. Follow paths and local signs.
2. Use gates or stiles.
Don't climb over walls, fences and hedges as this could damage them and may risk farm animals getting out.
3. Leave gates as you find them.
A farmer usually closes gates to stop animals getting out but sometimes will leave them open for animals to get to food and water.
4. Keep dogs under control.
Make sure your dog does not cause a danger to farm animals, wildlife or other people. Always clear up after your dog.
5. Take your litter home.
Litter and leftover food not only spoils the beauty of the countryside but can also be dangerous to wildlife and farm animals.

Text D2 questions

6 Put a tick ☒ in the correct box.

According to Text D2, when walking in the countryside you should:

A	leave gates open	<input type="checkbox"/>
B	always close gates	<input type="checkbox"/>
C	leave gates as you find them	<input type="checkbox"/>
D	not use any gates	<input type="checkbox"/>

(Total for Question 6 = 1 mark)

7 Write your answers on the lines below.

According to Text D2, list **two** things which could cause a danger to farm animals.

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(Total for Question 7 = 2 marks)

8 Write your answer on the line below.

According to Text D2, why would a farmer leave a gate open for the animals?

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(Total for Question 8 = 1 mark)

9 Put a tick ☒ in the correct box.

According to Text D2, when walking in the countryside you should only climb over:

A	stiles	<input type="checkbox"/>
B	hedges	<input type="checkbox"/>
C	fences	<input type="checkbox"/>
D	walls	<input type="checkbox"/>

(Total for Question 9 = 1 mark)