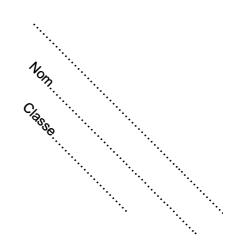
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English Exam Grade 5 - 60 minutes June 2012



A Day in the Life of a Firefighter

Firefighters in the US and the UK work 24 hours and then have 48 hours <u>off</u>. Firefighter Jim Roberts tells us about his routine.

- 07:45: I arrive at the station.
- 8:07: The captain calls our names.
- **8:15**: I work with a colleague like Doug. First, we <u>check</u> our equipment.
- **9:30**: The fire station is our home for 24 hours. We do the housework and <u>tidy</u> the rooms. We clean the station, make our beds, clean the floors and showers, wash our uniforms and empty the rubbish bins. We've got 5 rubbish bins in the station.
- **10:10**: We do exercises in the gym.
- 11:50: We get ready for lunch. I don't cook but I go shopping with Doug. The fire station pays for the food!
- 12:35: We have lunch.
- 1:20: We do different things in the afternoon. I give first aid classes. Doug visits schools and talks about fire safety.
- **5:00**: Doug arrives at the station and we check the equipment again. Then we prepare the dinner.
- **5:55**: We have dinner and then we do the dishes, read or watch TV. Doug plays chess in the evening.
- **12:00**: We go to bed and when we wake up, we go home.

This is a normal day without emergency calls, fires or accidents.

- 1- Read the text. (5 minutes)
- **2- Explain the 6 underlined words or phrases according to their meaning in the text.** (7 minutes) 3 points

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- b- Routine:
- c- Check:

	d-	Hdy:
	e-	Different:
	f-	Go to bed:
3-	Wr	ite True or False and justify from the text. (8 minutes) 6 points
	a-	Jim Roberts describes a day at his workplace.
	b-	Jim leaves home at 7:45.
	C-	The firefighters sleep at the station all the week.
	d-	All the firefighters are responsible for the cleaning of the station.
	e-	Not everybody has to do sports.
	f-	They check the equipment two times a day.
4-	Δn	swer in complete sentences and in your own words. (8 minutes) 7 points
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	a-	Is the fire station the only home of all firefighters? 2 points
	b-	Do all the firefighters cook? Give examples. 2 points
	C-	Have all firefighters got the same timetable and the same activities? Explain. 3 points
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5-		write the following hours in the British way and the American way. (10 minutes) 8 points
		07:45:
		08:07:
		09:30:
		11:50:

	12:	35:						
	05:	05:00:						
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	12:00:							
b-	Change the following sentences into the negative form. (5 minutes) 6 points							
~	-	Jim Roberts tells us about his routine.						
	-	I arrive at the station.						
	-	We do the housework.						
	-	We've got 5 rubbish bins in the station.						
	-	We have lunch.						
	-	This is a normal day.						
C-		ange the following sentences into the interrogative form. And give the 2 short answers for ch question. (10 minutes) 10 points						
	-	Firefighters work 24 hours.						
		Interrogative:						
		Affirmative short answer:						
		Negative short answer:						
	-	Firefighters have 48 hours off.						
		Interrogative:						
		Affirmative short answer:						
		Negative short answer:						

-	The fire station is our home.
	Interrogative:
	Affirmative short answer:
	Negative short answer:
-	We've got 5 rubbish bins.
	Interrogative:
	Affirmative short answer:
	Negative short answer:
-	The fire station pays for the food.
	Interrogative:
	Affirmative short answer:
	Negative short answer: