

ENGLISH

KEY STAGE 2 2004

WRITING  
and  
SPELLING

LEVELS  
**3-5**

# Writing Test *Shorter Task* and Spelling Test

**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.

First Name

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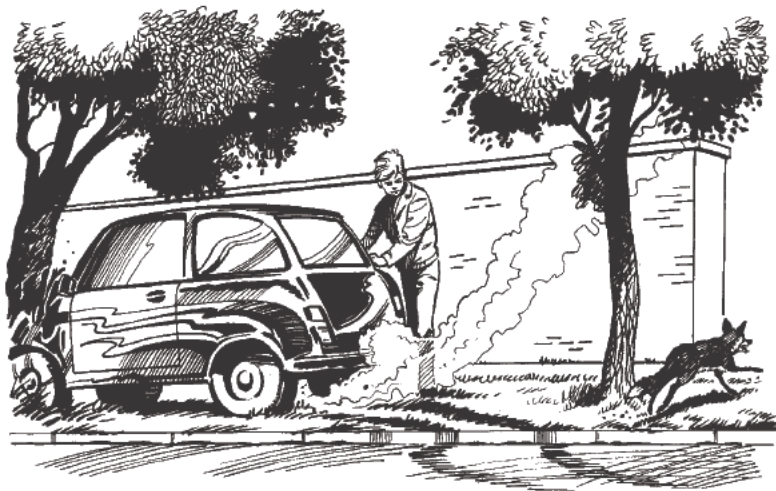
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# Eyewitness

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Imagine you were walking home from school. You saw a car driver swerve suddenly to avoid a fox. The car went into a tree but the driver was not hurt and neither was the fox.

You were the only person who saw the accident, so you have been asked to write a detailed account of what happened.



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**Your task is to complete the accident form.**

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Before you start, make some notes about what you saw.

Words and phrases about:

- the car
- the driver
- the fox



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# Spelling Test

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

# Olympic Games

Every four years thousands of athletes come together to take part in the Olympic Games. It is one of the \_\_\_\_\_ sporting events in the world.

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The Games are based on competitions held in Ancient Greece. All \_\_\_\_\_, across the Greek world, \_\_\_\_\_ during the Games. These were part of a religious \_\_\_\_\_ held to honour the Greek god, Zeus. The ancient Greeks thought it was very important for people to exercise their minds, as well as their \_\_\_\_\_.

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The first recorded Games took place \_\_\_\_\_ two and a half thousand years ago. In the nineteenth century the modern Olympics were developed to \_\_\_\_\_ young athletes and to promote peace between different countries.

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The opening of the Games is \_\_\_\_\_ impressive. The Greek athletes lead the procession into the stadium, as a reminder of the \_\_\_\_\_ Olympics. The other teams \_\_\_\_\_ in alphabetical order.

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The Games are officially declared open with the \_\_\_\_\_ of the Olympic flag. Doves are released into the air as a \_\_\_\_\_ of peace.

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A \_\_\_\_\_ significant moment is the lighting of the Olympic Flame, which remains alight \_\_\_\_\_ the Games.

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Several events in the Olympics today, such as running, boxing and \_\_\_\_\_, were also popular in the ancient Games. Some aspects of the Olympics have been \_\_\_\_\_ by changes in technology.

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For example, events can now be \_\_\_\_\_ with greater \_\_\_\_\_ because of sophisticated measuring equipment.

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An \_\_\_\_\_ of many millions watches on television, enjoying the \_\_\_\_\_ ceremonies and many exciting competitions.

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Total

Spelling mark

<b>WRITING</b>	
<b>Shorter Task</b>	<b>Marks</b>
Sentence structure, punctuation and text organisation (4)	
Composition and effect (8)	
<b>Shorter Task, total marks (12)</b>	
<b>SPELLING TEST</b>	
<b>Number of correct words</b>	<b>Marks</b>
0	0
1 – 3	1
4 – 6	2
7 – 9	3
10 – 12	4
13 – 15	5
16 – 18	6
19 – 20	7
<b>Shorter Task and Spelling Test, total marks (19)</b>	

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