



PROPOSTA DE ACOMPANHAMENTO DA APRENDIZAGEM

Língua Inglesa: 2º Bimestre

Name: _____

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Text 1 for questions 1-3.

Flood relief: Bengaluru students donate pocket money, teachers their salary

BENGALURU: Students and lecturers from Bengaluru colleges are taking the lead in contributing their mite to flood-hit Kerala and Kodagu.

Students of IIIT-B (International Institute of Information Technology, Bangalore) and CMR Institute of Technology donated their pocket money to arrange for relief material, while RV College of Engineering students and faculty transported a truckload of material to Kerala on Sunday.

[...]

GYANESH, Aditi. Flood relief: Bengaluru students donate pocket money, teachers their salary. **The Times of India**, 20 ago. 2018. Disponível em: <<https://timesofindia.indiatimes.com/city/bengaluru/flood-relief-bengaluru-students-donate-pocket-money-teachers-their-salary/articleshow/65466526.cms>>. Acesso em: 30 ago. 2018.

GLOSSARY

mite: pequena soma de dinheiro

1. Read the title of **Text 1**. What is this news article probably about?
 - a) Donations from students to supplement their teachers' salary.
 - b) Donations from students and teachers to help flood victims.
 - c) Students and teachers affected by a massive flood in Kerala.
 - d) Students contributing to a teachers' strike for better salaries.

2. Read some different meanings of the word *faculty* in the alternatives below. Mark the one that corresponds to the meaning of *faculty* in **Text 1**.
 - a) "An inherent power or ability."
 - b) "All of the members of a learned profession."
 - c) "One of the divisions of a college or university".
 - d) "The teachers and instructors of a school or college [...]."

THE FREE DICTIONARY. **Faculty**. 2003-2018. Disponível em: <www.thefreedictionary.com/faculty>. Acesso em: 30 ago. 2018.

3. Answer according to **Text 1**.

a) Where did the flood happen?

b) Where are the students and teachers from?

c) Which colleges were involved in the action?

Texts 2-5 for question 4.

“Montreal weather: A bit wet __ the morning”

“August was hot in CNY, and that was mostly __ night”

“While much of Earth baked __ July, Nebraska stayed cool”

“[...] Possibility for thunderstorms __ Monday”

MONTREAL GAZETTE, Montreal Weather: A bit wet in the morning.

22 ago. 2018. Disponível em: <<https://montrealgazette.com/news/local-news/montreal-weather-a-bit-wet-in-the-morning>>; COIN, Glenn. August Was Hot in CNY, and That Was Mostly at Night. **Syracuse.com**, 31 ago. 2018. Disponível em:

<www.syracuse.com/weather/index.ssf/2018/08/august_was_hotter_than_normal_in_cny_and_mostly_at_night.html>; GAARDER, Nancy. While Much of Earth Baked in July, Nebraska Stayed cool.

Omaha World-Herald, 27 ago. 2018. Disponível em: <www.omaha.com/weather/while-much-of-earth-baked-in-july-nebraska-stayed-cool/article_3c9a3cae-116f-5b00-b583-093d535c53cc.html>; **KNWA.COM**. Weather Blog: Possibility for thunderstorms on Monday. 20 ago. 2018. Disponível em: <www.nwahomepage.com/weather/weather-talk/weather-blog-possibility-for-thunderstorms-on-monday/1382810071>. Acessos em: 5 nov. 2018.

4. The prepositions that complete the headlines appropriately are ...

- a) in, at, on, on
- b) at, at, in, on
- c) on, at, in, on
- d) in, at, in, on

Text 6 for question 5.

Bobby Fischer



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Stamp printed by Cambodia, shows Bobby Fischer, circa 1996.

In 1958, at age 15, Bobby Fischer _____ the youngest chess player in history to be named grandmaster, the highest title possible. He had begun to attract international attention two years earlier when he _____ victorious in what _____ known as the “Game of the Century” between him and Donald Byrne. He continued to gather awards and

winnings until the mid-1970s, when he _____ into seclusion, only to reemerge in 1992 to play one highly publicized game versus his former opponent Boris Spassky.

BLUMBERG, Naomi. 6 Teenagers Who Made History. *Encyclopaedia Britannica*. 2018. Disponível em: <www.britannica.com/list/6-teenagers-who-made-history>. Acesso em: 5 nov. 2018.

5. Read **Text 6**. The verbs that complete it appropriately are ...

- a) became, were, became, were.
- b) becomed, was, becomed, went.
- c) become, was, become, went.
- d) became, was, became, went.

Text 7 for questions 6-9.

Environmental Activist Xiuhtezcatl Martinez: A Teen on the Front Lines

[...]

For hip-hop artist and environmental activist Xiuhtezcatl Martinez, the next 12 months will be nothing short of game changing. Not only is the landmark climate lawsuit he helped bring against the federal government scheduled to be heard in open court in February 2018, but *Break Free*, his solo record debut, is set for a September release. And his book, *We Rise*, what he calls a “tool kit” for grassroots mobilizing, is also due this fall.

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Martinez [...] has addressed the United Nations multiple times, including in 2015 when his rousing speech in English, Spanish and the Nahuatl language of his Aztec forebears electrified members of the General Assembly.

2

[...] Not bad for a guy who just turned 17.

3

But he knows he’s facing a tough fight.

4

A recent survey shows that only 13 percent of Americans know there is scientific consensus on climate change. [...] “The most important thing we can do is change that

statistic,” he tells *Rolling Stone*. [...]

MCPHERSON, Coco. Environmental Activist Xiuhtezcatl Martinez: A Teen on the Front Lines. *Rolling Stone*, 19 jul. 2017. Disponível em: <www.rollingstone.com/culture/culture-features/environmental-activist-xiuhtezcatl-martinez-a-teen-on-the-front-lines-197672/>. Acesso em: 5 set. 2018.

GLOSSARY

nothing short of game changing: expressão idiomática usada como referência a situações decisivas, em que tudo pode mudar

landmark (adj.): decisivo, histórico

lawsuit: ação judicial, processo

scheduled: agendado

due: previsto, esperado

address to: dirigir-se a

forebear: ancestral

6. Mark the alternative that matches the paragraphs with their main ideas.

Paragraph	Main idea
1	[] Martinez knows that informing the population can make a big difference.
2	[] Martinez is expecting many transformations in his life in the near future.
3/4	[] Martinez made a great impression on an international audience.

- a) 1 – 2 – 3/4
- b) 1 – 3/4 – 2
- c) 3/4 – 1 – 2
- d) 3/4 – 2 – 1

7. Based on the main idea of each paragraph, what is the theme of the text?

- a) Americans' poor familiarity with environmental problems.
- b) Martinez's environmental activism through art and action.
- c) The environmental activism among young hip-hop artists.
- d) The United Nations' encouragement of Martinez's activism.

8. Read **Text 7** again and mark the true statement about Xiuhtezcatl Martinez.

- a) He alone is fighting the government.
- b) He can speak at least three languages.
- c) He has released several music albums.
- d) He is proud of his Maya roots.

9. Rewrite the sentence from **Text 7** changing the verbs into the simple past.

A recent survey shows that only 13 percent of Americans know there is scientific consensus on climate change.

Text 8 for question 10.

These Kids Are Suing the Federal Government to Demand Climate Action. [...]

By JUSTIN WORLAND / EUGENE

November 10, 2016

[...]

The case rests on the legal argument that climate change threatens the plaintiffs' fundamental constitutional right to life and liberty. Julia Olson, a lawyer for the plaintiffs [a group of 21 young Americans who range in age from 9 to 20] and executive director of Our Children's Trust, argued in court that the federal government has understood the threat of climate change for decades and knowingly put the lives of future generations in danger. The current measures in place to reduce greenhouse gas emissions are insufficient and not aligned with current science, she argued.

[...]

WORLAND, Justin. *These Kids Are Suing the Federal Government to Demand Climate Action. They Just Won an Important Victory*. *Time*, Eugene, 10 nov. 2016. Disponível em: <<http://time.com/4567012/federal-government-lawsuit-climate-change/>>. Acesso em: 26 out. 2018.

GLOSSARY

sue: processar

rest: apoiar-se

threat (v.): ameaçar

threat (noun): ameaça

plaintiff: autor da ação judicial

10. Read **Text 8** to know a little more about Xiuhtezcatl Martinez and 20 other young people's lawsuit against the American federal government and reflect. Imagine there's a similar situation in Brazil. Imagine you are part of a group who's suing the Brazilian government for causing (or for not stopping) an environmental problem. Write (1) what problem is it? (2) why is it important that our government takes action?
