

TEXT 2 (26 marks)

Read Text 2 and answer questions 15-27.

15. How old is Billy?

(He is) twelve / 12 (years old.)

16. Read paragraphs 1-2 and decide if the following statements are **True (T)**, **False (F)**, or the information is **Not Given (NG)**. Blacken the correct circle. (3 marks)

	T	F	NG
i) Billy is older than Peter.	☒	☐	☐
ii) Peter held his birthday party in his house.	☐	☐	☒
iii) Billy enjoyed the 'Musical Chairs'.	☐	☒	☐

17. What does the expression 'just a piece of cake' (line 5) mean?

It means the game of 'Musical Chairs' was easy for Billy.

18. What happened to Billy as a result of tying his feet with strings?

He fell on the floor (for three times) and lost the game.

19. Why didn't the kids use pins in the 'Pin the Tail on the Donkey' game?

It was dangerous (for kids to use pins.)

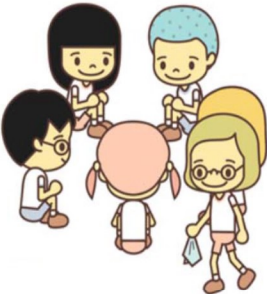
20. What does 'they' (line 12) refer to?

the kids

21. Arrange the following events in the correct order (1 – 4). Put a 'X' in the box for the event that **did not** take place. (4 marks)

- (e.g.) 1 played 'Musical Chairs'
- 4 blew out birthday candles
- 3 sang the birthday song
- X made the birthday wish
- 2 played 'Pin the Tail on the Donkey'

22. In which game did Billy fall on the floor? Put a '✓' in the correct box.

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23. Billy is telling his classmate about the birthday party. Fill in the blanks with **ONE** word. The word **MAY** or **MAY NOT** appear in the text. (5 marks)



Billy

'I went to my cousin's birthday party last Saturday
 (a) afternoon. All his (b) friends were younger than
 me. I played two (c) games in the party but I didn't
 enjoy them. I (d) ate too much and I was sick when I
 got home. I won't (e) forget such a party!'

Answer the following questions in complete sentences.

*24. How old is Peter?

He is nine / 9 years old. (1 mark)

*25. How many friends did Peter invite to the party?

He invited twelve / 12 friends to the party.

*26. Did Billy enjoy the party? Give **ONE** reason from the text to support your answer. (2 marks)

No, he didn't. (1 mark)

He had to tie his feet with strings for the 'Musical Chairs'. /He fell on the floor in the game.

He found the 'Pin the Tail on the Donkey' annoying./

Peter's friends were too noisy. /

He ate too much and he was sick. (One of the above) (reason: 1 mark) → Total: 2 marks

*27. If you were invited to Peter's party, would you enjoy it? Give **ONE** reason to support your answer.
(2 marks)

Choice (1 mark); reason x 1 (1 marks) → Total: 2 marks

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End of Questions for Text 2

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