

Part A (Tenses) (14 marks)

Fill in each blank with the correct tense of the verbs in brackets.

It was a beautiful morning. The birds ¹_____ (sing) in the garden and the morning sun ²_____ (shine) brightly at this time. James Tam ³_____ (get) out of bed slowly. He ⁴_____ (know) that it was not a public holiday and that he ⁵_____ (need) to go to school.

'James, ⁶_____ (look) at the clock! What time is it now? ⁷_____ (get) up quickly!' ⁸_____ (yell) his mother.

'It ⁹_____ (be) only seven fifteen,' James ¹⁰_____ (reply) while he ¹¹_____ (listen) to the radio.

'It is late already! I ¹²_____ (wake) up early this morning and ¹³_____ (make) breakfast for you. The breakfast is now on the table. Get out of bed quickly,' his mother ¹⁴_____ (roar).

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Part B (Prepositions) (10 marks)

Choose the best answer: **at / on / out / for / back / from / into / after**

James rose ¹_____ of bed slowly. Then he went ²_____ the bathroom and took a bath. He felt much better ³_____ the hot bath. Then he went ⁴_____ to his bedroom and got dressed. He put ⁵_____ his shirt and trousers. It was a school day but James did not really want to go to school. He just wished to run away ⁶_____ reality by staying ⁷_____ home. Slowly, he walked ⁸_____ of his bedroom and went into the living-room. His mother was already waiting ⁹_____ him. Even the breakfast was ready ¹⁰_____ him.

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