

TEST V2

I Read the text. Are the statements true (T) or false (F)?

Rosa Parks

December 1, 1955 started as a normal day in Montgomery, Alabama. After work, Rosa Parks got on a bus in the downtown area. First she paid her ten-cent fare. Then, as usual, she went to the section for black passengers. In those days, the buses and other public places in several southern states in the USA were segregated. Only white people were allowed to sit in the front section of the bus. Rosa was mixed race: part African-American, part Native American and part Scots-Irish, but under the law she was black.

After a few stops, a white man got on. The bus was full and he couldn't find a seat. Rosa and three other passengers were sitting at the front of the "coloured" section, and the driver, James Blake, told them to give up the seats and stand at the back. The other three passengers stood up, but Rosa refused to move. The police came. They said that they would arrest her if she didn't move. Rosa told them that she wouldn't give up her seat and she was arrested.

Four days later, she was found guilty of breaking the law. The judge told her that she would have to pay a fine of 14 dollars. While she was appearing in court, however, civil rights leaders organized a boycott of the buses. For 381 days the 42,000 black people of Montgomery said that they wouldn't use the buses. There were demonstrations in the streets, too. A young preacher, called Martin Luther King, led many of these. Finally, just over a year later, the judges of the US Supreme Court said that the segregation was illegal.

That wasn't the end of the story. It took a long time for things to change. In 1957, Rosa and her husband moved to Detroit after some people in Montgomery said that they were going to kill her. Over the next few years, hundreds of people died in demonstrations, and in 1968 Martin Luther King himself was shot. However, Rosa's "No" started a revolution that slowly changed American Society. In 2008, Barack Obama became the first black person to be elected president of the USA. Unfortunately, Rosa herself didn't live to see it. She died in 2005 at the age of 92.

1. Rosa Parks got on a train. _____
2. Rosa went to the section for white passengers _____
3. Alabama is one of southern states. _____
4. Rosa didn't want to give up the seat and stand at the back. _____
5. The other three passengers didn't want to give up the seats and stand at the back as well. _____
6. Martin Luther King led a lot of demonstrations. _____
7. Martin Luther King was killed in 1968. _____
8. Rosa moved to Detroit because she was scared. _____
9. Rosa became the US president. _____
10. Rosa died when she was 29. _____

II Put the words in the correct order.

1/ Johnny / time / I / long / a / for / seen / have / not

2/ her / for / was / necklace / Jenny / looking

3/ with / were / you / who / tennis / playing/ ?

4/ the / wasn't / expensive / hotel / very

5/ week / running / twice / go / they / a /

III Complete the sentence with the correct form.

1/If they the job, I would take it.

a) offered b) offer c)would offer d)will offer

2/Iyou If I know the answer.

a)tell b) will tell c) told d) would tell

3/Tom can't run,..... ?

a) can he b)can't he c)does he d)doesn't he

4/He came with a friendwaited outside.

a)which b)whose c)where d)who

5/ The lake is too deep. Youswim there!

a)don't have to b) must c)mustn't d)can

6/Hemany interesting people last night.

a) has met b)met c)meets c)will meet

7/ Itso I took umbrella.

a) was raining b)rain c)rains d)will rain

8/ Did you findpencil you were looking for?

a) a b)an c)the d) –

9/ The catby a small blue car.

a) was hit b)hits c)were hit d)hit

10/ I only knowpeople in this city.

a)little b)a few c)many d)much

IV Complete the sentences with the correct preposition.

- 1/ What are you doing Christmas Day?
- 2/ I am tired. I am going bed.
- 3/ I am starting my new job the 27th August.
- 4/ I finished my project midnight.
- 5/ There is a beautiful house the end of the street.

V Are the following sentences correct or incorrect?

- 1/ I didn't watched television yesterday.
a) correct b) incorrect
- 2/ Why were he late this morning?
a) correct b) incorrect
- 3/ Last year I spent my holiday in Ireland.
a) correct b) incorrect
- 4/ John often plays the saxophone.
a) correct b) incorrect
- 5/ They sit in a meeting at the moment.
a) correct b) incorrect

VI Write the Past Simple and the past participle forms of the verbs.

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| 1/ write | | |
| 2/ swim | | |
| 3/ break | | |
| 4/ come | | |
| 5/ leave | | |

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