

7th grade Test

- I- Fill in the blanks with the appropriate tenses: Present Simple, Present Progressive or Past Simple. (25x2=50)

September 2nd , 2006

Dear Ilan,

I _____ (write) now to tell you about my first day at school. When I _____ (wake) up yesterday morning, I _____ (not, want) to go to school. I _____ (tell) my mother that I _____ (be) sick. Of course, she _____ (not, believe) me. She _____ (give) me a big kiss and _____ (help) me get ready for school. After I _____ (have) breakfast and _____ (drink) some orange juice, my father _____ (drive) me to school.

I thought it would be difficult to make new friends but when I _____ (go) to class yesterday morning, I _____ (find) out that my new classmates _____ (be) very friendly. They _____ (make) me feel welcome right away. Ron , who _____ (not, live) far from me, _____ (invite) me to his house yesterday afternoon and we _____ (do) homework together.

Part 2

CAROL

Answer the following questions about the story. Write full answers, and pay attention to your handwriting, spelling and grammar. (25x2=50)

Write on every second line.

1. How did Carol feel about her report card? How did she expect her mother to react? How did her mother react? Do you think that the fact she washed the dishes helped? Why?
2. Will Carol improve in her studies from now on? Why? Explain your answer.

Next week we will go to the cinema with his friends. They usually
_____ (meet) near the school. I
_____ (be) sure it will be fun.

Now I _____ (be) happy here. I
_____ (not, be) scared anymore. Ron is
a great friend and he always _____ (try)
very hard to cheer me up.

How _____ (be) the end of the year
cycling trip? _____ (you, enjoy) it? Please
tell me about it in your next letter.

I miss you. You know, I really believe what the old proverb says:

Make new friends but keep the old. One is silver and the other gold.

Hope to see you soon,

Mike