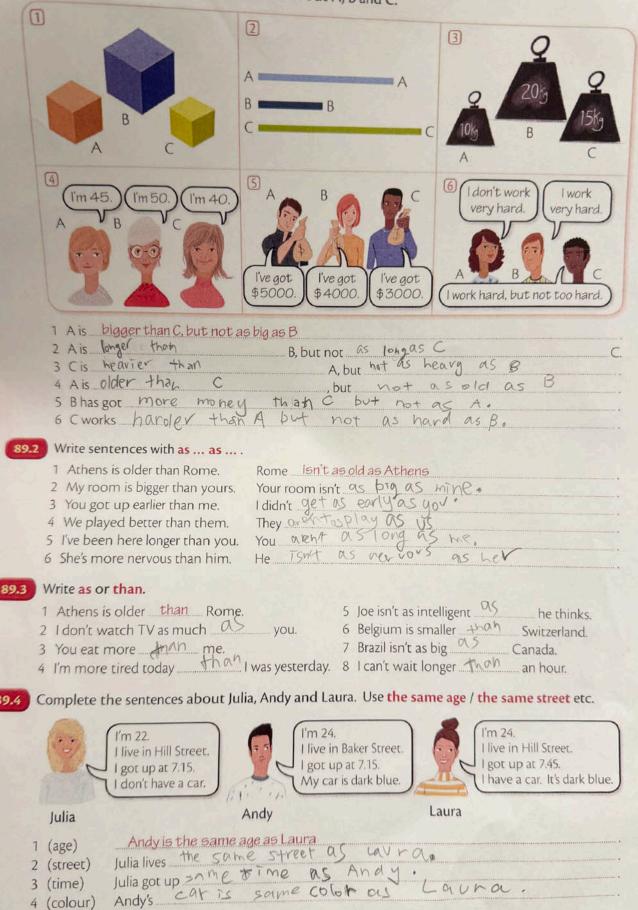
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Reading Passage

Read the passage. Number each paragraph with the correct main idea or purpose.

- 1. Opinions of modern art
- 2. What modern art looked like
- 3. Why modern art began
- 4. Where art comes from

Modern Art

Art comes from the imagination. In the 19th century, some painters imagined new ways to paint. They inspired a new kind of art-modern art.

3 Modern art began when some painters were tired of painting the same way. Most people thought paintings should look real. However, these painters made people and other things look odd.

How did the painters do this? Some used odd colors. Others threw paint on canvases.

Later, one even painted things like soup cans.

At first, people did not like this kind of art. They thought art should look formal. Then, things changed. Many people began to understand and like modern art.



Note-taking

Complete the summary notes by filling in the blanks.

Modern Art Topic:

Art comes from the <u>imagination</u> Introduction:

In the 19" century painters imagine

Painters were _______ of painting the same way. Beginnings:

Most thought paintings should look real

Painters made people and things look odd

Some used odd _colors Painting styles:

Others threw paint on canvases. Others painted things like CAN ases.

People's thoughts: At first, people __draret__ like this kind of art. Then, people began to under stand like modern art.

TOEFL Questions

Choose the correct answers.

- The word shimmer in the passage is closest in meaning to
- (A) shine

- (B) age
- 2. The word they in the passage refers to
 - (A) people who looked at the paintings
 - (B) people in the paintings
- 3. According to the passage, which of the following is true about the people in Seurat's paintings?
 - The people all knew each other.
 - (B) The people were doing normal things.
 - 4. According to the passage, which of the following is NOT true about Seurat's painting style?
 - (A) He used only pure paint colors.
 - He used normal brush strokes.

TOEFL Vocabulary Practice

D. Fill in the blanks with the correct words.

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	rat did not have pe	ople		paintings.
 Some artists Georges Seu 	rat liked to paint pic	ctures of people de	oing nd	
 Many muse. Many artists 	ums offer lessons to have their own		painting.	

TO EFL Questions

- E. Choose the correct answers.
- 1. According to the passage, which is true of art?
 - (A) Art comes from the imagination.
 - (B) All art is modern.
- 2. According to the passage, modern art began because
 - (A) people were tired of looking at the same paintings
 - (B) some painters were tired of painting in the same ways
- 3. According to the passage which of the following is NOT true of modern art?
 - Painters started it in the 19th century.
 - (B) People said it was too formal.
- 4. The author's description of modern art mentions all of the following EXCEPT
 - (A) at first, people loved it
 - (B) modern art made people and other things look odd
 - (C) some modern artists threw paint on canvases

TOEFL Vocabulary Practice

Fill in the blanks with the correct words.

	century	inspire	imagine	odd	formal
			imagine a	art education	
	Many famous painters				
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	The works of famous artists today.				[armd]
5.	Some people think the	k			