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You have found a leaflet for a swap event. Read the leaflet.

Text 2 Leaflet



Keep calm and swap on!

Date: Saturday, 10 September

Time: 12 noon to 5 p.m.

Venue: West Kowloon Waterfront Promenade

Entry: \$80 per person (Free if you donate three or more items!)

① Had enough of digging around your chaotic closet? Do you have too many clothes that you don't wear but are almost like brand new? Or are you moving house and need to get rid of some stuff? If that's you, bring your used items to Conscious Community between 1 and 7 September. Join Hong Kong's largest swap party at West Kowloon Waterfront Promenade the following Saturday!

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2 Fashion, art, lifestyle goods, reference books, cookware ... you name it!

Don't be surprised if you score yourself a hip turntable record player, a signed novel by your favourite author or a pair of limited edition designer jeans. The possibilities are endless and certainly different. You won't find the boring items you
15 see in conventional shops at the shopping centre. Things don't just stop there. We've already collected branded kitchenware, retro furniture, brand new on-trend clothing and vintage custom-made jewellery. Explore the different 'shops' like the boutique, jeweller's and antique shop. Nothing is alike. There's bound to be something for you!

3 Enjoy yourself and join the fun

A party won't be complete without tasty food and electrifying music that gets you moving! Experience an explosion of flavours from food and drinks made from unwanted kitchen scraps by Chris Goodall, the best eco-chef in town. (Just don't forget to bring your own cups, plates and cutlery. We hope to produce the least
25 waste possible.) Then dance the night away to your favourite tunes remixed by DJ King, the most sought-after DJ in town. For the kids, they'll have a blast inside the four-metre high bouncy castle!

4 Swap for change

We follow the 'waste not, want not' philosophy. We
30 passionately believe that we can reduce unnecessary waste and lengthen the lifespan of valuable goods by sharing with others. Our goal is to redistribute resources sustainably and inspire the people in our community to be more aware of how they consume.

35 **5** Come to the swap party and make a positive impact on the environment!



Further simplified reading and comprehension

Unit 1

Name: _____ () Class: _____ Date: _____

Comprehension 2 *Your friend wants to know more about the swap event. Answer her questions using information from the leaflet. For multiple-choice questions, choose the best answer and blacken ONE circle only.*

- 1 i) Who can go to the swap party for free?

- ii) What is the name of the organization?

- iii) When is the donation period?

- 2 Find a word in paragraph 1 that means 'untidy'.

- 3 What is the writer's opinion about the second-hand items that have been collected?

- 4 Which of the following is NOT mentioned in paragraph 2? Tick the box.


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- 5 Which of the following is an example of exaggeration in paragraph 3?

- ☐ A tasty food
- ☐ B an explosion of flavours
- ☐ C dance the night away
- ☐ D the four-metre high bouncy castle

- 6 Complete the sentence.

The food and drinks served at the swap party are made from _____

_____.

- 7 Why did the writer ask participants to bring their own cutlery?

- ☐ A because the organizer does not want to produce waste from the event
- ☐ B because there will be a cutting competition
- ☐ C because there is not enough cutlery at the moment
- ☐ D because the organizer does not want to have too many things to wash after the event

- 8 Find a word in paragraph 3 that is opposite in meaning to 'unpopular'.

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9 According to paragraph 4, what are the TWO advantages of swapping?

- i) _____
ii) _____

10 Are the following statements **True (T)**, **False (F)** or **Not Given (NG)**? Write the correct letter(s) in the boxes.

Statements

- i) This is the organization's first swap party.
ii) The organization is a charity.
iii) The swap party is open to public.

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11 Complete the following advert for the swap party using information from the leaflet. Use ONE word to complete each blank.

Come to the (i) _____ swap party in Hong Kong!

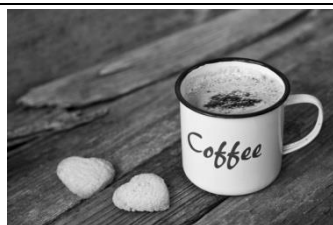
Donate your unwanted items and join the party on (ii) _____, 10 September at the (iii) _____.

The entrance fee is \$80 per person, and FREE if you donate (iv) _____ or more items! You're (v) _____ to find something you like!

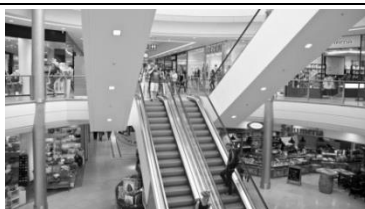
That's not all! Enjoy special food made by (vi) _____ Chris Goodall and move to the (vii) _____ by DJ King!

What are you waiting for? Round up your friends, join the fun and make a positive (viii) _____ on the environment!

12 Complete the following photo captions using the correct form of words or phrases from Text 2.



I (i) _____
(bought) this cute coffee mug at a flea market yesterday. (paragraph 2)



Another (ii) _____
(traditional) shopping centre opened nearby. (paragraph 2)



My friends and I (iii) _____
(had a great time) at the theme park! We rode the roller coaster five times! (paragraph 3)