SCHOOLWORK Name: _____ Class: _____ Date: ___/___/_____

8° ano e 9° ano | Reading comprehension (interpretação) | EF09LI06 | EF09LI07

Reading: redes sociais e bicicletas

1 Social media

Read the text and choose the correct answer.

Teens online

Many teenagers today spend hours on social media. While it is a way to stay connected with friends, experts warn that excessive use can lead to anxiety and low self-esteem. Finding a balance is important for mental health.

1. According to the text, what is the main problem with using social media too much?

( ) **a)** It helps students improve their grades.
( ) **b)** It can cause anxiety and low self-esteem.
( ) **c)** It makes teenagers more popular.
( ) **d)** It improves mental health.

2. According to the text, why do teenagers use social media?

( ) **a)** To stay connected with friends
( ) **b)** To do their homework
( ) **c)** To find jobs

3. What is important for mental health, according to the text?

( ) **a)** Stopping all use of the internet
( ) **b)** Spending more hours online
( ) **c)** Making new friends online
( ) **d)** Finding a balance

2 Bicycles

Read the text and choose the correct answer.

On two wheels

In many cities, bicycles are becoming a popular means of transportation. They are cheap, do not pollute the air, and help people stay fit. Governments are building more bike lanes to encourage their use.

1. What is one reason why bicycles are considered a good option for transportation?

( ) **a)** They are expensive and pollute less.

( ) **b)** They help people stay fit and do not pollute.

( ) **c)** They are faster than airplanes.

( ) **d)** They reduce internet use.

2. What are governments doing to encourage the use of bicycles?

( ) **a)** Selling cheap bicycles

( ) **b)** Building more bike lanes

( ) **c)** Banning cars

3. In the text, the word "cheap" means:

( ) **a)** caro ( ) **b)** rápido ( ) **c)** barato

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3 Fact or opinion?

Is the sentence a fact or an opinion?

1. Many cities are building bike lanes.

( ) Fact ( ) Opinion

2. Bicycles are the best thing ever invented.

( ) Fact ( ) Opinion

3. Social media is boring.

( ) Fact ( ) Opinion

4. Bicycles do not pollute the air.

( ) Fact ( ) Opinion

5. I think teenagers should use their phones less.

( ) Fact ( ) Opinion

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1. Social media

1. b) It can cause anxiety and low self-esteem.
2. a) To stay connected with friends
3. d) Finding a balance

2. Bicycles

1. b) They help people stay fit and do not pollute.
2. b) Building more bike lanes
3. c) barato

3. Fact or opinion?

1. Fact
2. Opinion
3. Opinion
4. Fact
5. Opinion