# Placement — Writing Correction Key

# Responses

Answers to the sample questions are written in **bold**.

# A1. 1. Technology

- 2. Science
- 3. Physical Education
- 4. Music
- 5. Home Economics
- 6. Metalwork
- 7. Mathematics
- 8. Geography
- 9. English
- 10. History

#### A2. (i) THE LIBRARY

Our sch**ool** has a b**ig** new lib**rary**. It h<u>as</u> lots of very inter<u>esting</u> books. We <u>go</u> to <u>the</u> library to bor<u>row</u> books. These stud<u>ents</u> are loo<u>king</u> at some hist<u>ory</u> books. They wa<u>nt</u> to kn<u>ow</u> what life w<u>as</u> like long ago. Their tea<u>cher</u> told th<u>em</u> to re<u>ad</u> about <u>it</u> first. Then they ha<u>ve</u> to write an essay for home<u>work</u>.

## A2. (ii) (Possible response:)

## SAM'S BUSY DAY

- 1. Yesterday morning, Sam came to school by bus.
- 2. At school he studied hard in English class.
- 3. Then he painted a picture in art.
- 4. At lunch time he ate a sandwich and drank some water.
- 5. After lunch he had biology and he used a microscope.
- 6. Then he played basketball in P.E.
- 7. After school he went home and did his homework.

<u>20th May 2009</u>

Dear Una,

My name is Max and I am fourteen years old. I am in second year at Riverside Community School. I have one younger sister, called Eva, who is ten. We came to I reland with our parents last year. We really like living here, but sometimes we miss our cousins and our old friends a little. My grandparents and all the rest of my family live in Poland. We will go to visit them in the summer holidays.

<u>The thing I like best is football. I'm good at it and</u> <u>I play for our school team. We practice every Thursday</u> <u>after school and we have a big match next week so we need</u> to train hard. I like other sports too, especially basketball and running. I think that sport is good because it keeps you healthy. You can also make new friends if you play in a team. I like listening to music as well because it can make you feel happy. My favourite kind of music is rap. Write to me soon and tell me about the things you like.

> Write back soon, <u>Max.</u>