

## Class Passage

## Name:

Read the text through the following passages and complete the missing words with the right form.

### Post Office

At quarter past nine early in January, a woman entered the Post Office at Martin Place and looked off one of the clerks if a letter was awaiting her. It was \_\_\_\_\_ that in so many days, Charles \_\_\_\_\_ the clerk was able to \_\_\_\_\_ her.

He looked her in \_\_\_\_\_ which she opened immediately. Wrapping, both together \_\_\_\_\_ she \_\_\_\_\_ looked to see the name of the sender being inserted \_\_\_\_\_ the letter in that \_\_\_\_\_ with an air of strong conviction \_\_\_\_\_.

Although the day was warm and sunny, she was \_\_\_\_\_ entirely by black \_\_\_\_\_ spread out off the window, pulled off her \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ eyes. Her name was Marie Hamilton, she was known as an \_\_\_\_\_ of the country \_\_\_\_\_ a great risk to the security of the \_\_\_\_\_.

### Multicultural Australia

Australia is a multicultural country. It is a country where many people belong to different cultures and often speak many languages.

The \_\_\_\_\_ cultures in Australia are the result of migration. \_\_\_\_\_ migrants come to Australia, they bring \_\_\_\_\_ customs and traditions. Often their culture is very \_\_\_\_\_ to the culture they find in \_\_\_\_\_.

When people of different cultural \_\_\_\_\_ live and work together, the community \_\_\_\_\_ in many ways. The cultural mix \_\_\_\_\_ new knowledge and skills to the workplace. It also introduces \_\_\_\_\_ foods, festivals and forms of recreation and \_\_\_\_\_ to the community.

In the 2011 census, 40 \_\_\_\_\_ of Australia's 23 million people were \_\_\_\_\_ from overseas, an increase from 36 per cent \_\_\_\_\_ years.