# Year 6 Reading Assessment

The Telephone Box Answer Booklet

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English  
KS2  
2016
1. Which **two** other tourist symbols of Great Britain is the red telephone box compared to?

2. Why is the public telephone box not as useful to people anymore?

3. Name **one** of the famous landmarks worked on by Sir Giles Gilbert Scott.

4. Order the events, showing some of the major events in the history of the telephone box. The first one has been done for you.

   - Production of K6 design ended
   - Famous K6 design first introduced
   - Some phone boxes turned into libraries and other uses
   - First standard kiosk introduced
   - Adopt a Kiosk scheme introduced
5. According to the section ‘A Modern Redesign’, which of these have become a new use for a disused telephone box? Tick **two**.

- Post Office box
- Art Gallery
- Coffee Shop
- Power Station

6. How does the author seem pleased and make it seem like a positive idea that the phone boxes are being given new uses?

7. Look at the diagram.

Write the correct letter in each box to match this key:

- A Illuminated signs
- B Domed roof
- C 8x3 window panes
- D Blank back panel
Look at the newspaper article.

8. The headline is: ‘Novel idea for Village Phone Box’. Write down **two** meanings of the word ‘novel’.

1. __________________________________________________________________________

2. __________________________________________________________________________

9. Find and copy **two** words from the article which mean ‘very small’.

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10. How do you think local residents feel about the phone box being turned into a library? Give evidence from the text to support your answer.

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11. Tick **True** or **False** in the following table about the Smallisden village telephone box that was turned into a library.

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12. **a)** Where else does the Parish Councillor hope that tourists to the area will visit?

**b)** Why do you think he is happy that they are coming to the area?

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End of questions about *The Telephone Box*

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**END OF TEST**