

**Instructions:** Read the text below and answer the questions. You have 7 minutes.




11th Annual

Saturday & Sunday  
August 9 & 10  
2014

11am - 5pm



11th ANNUAL  
NEW WESTMINSTER CULTURAL CRAWL

August 9 & 10, 2014 marks the launch of New Westminster's 11th Annual Cultural Crawl, with a two day city-wide Arts & Cultural experience. Meet local artists and artisans, discover our heritage, and prepare to be delighted by our unique cultural footprint.

Each August arts and cultural enthusiasts travel to New West from throughout the lower mainland to visit artists, studios, galleries, live music venues, restaurants, theatres and historical locations throughout the city, exploring the "new" New Westminster and discovering upcoming and professional talent. The Royal City represents a largely undiscovered arts and cultural community that ranges from emerging artists to several Federation of Canadian Artists members with local and international acclaim.

The City of New Westminster has long committed to being a creative and vibrant city and its residents have put the Royal City on the cultural map by creating galleries, theatres and historical venues that invite residents and visitors alike to discover our unique history and locally-created works of art.

This year's crawl will include two days jam-packed full of open studios and local artists featuring their work, and culture and heritage destinations in New Westminster.

1. What is the purpose of this text?
  - a. It is an announcement about a community event.
  - b. It is a review of a community event.
  - c. It is a proposal for a new community event.

2. Where might you find this text?

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3. Who is the intended audience for this text? (circle all that apply)

- a. Artists and art enthusiasts.
- b. People who live on Vancouver Island.
- c. All members of the community.
- d. Families with children.
- e. Families without children.

4. Why is this event held in the summer?

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5. What is the writer's tone?

- a. Excited, but somewhat formal.
- b. Happy and very casual.
- c. Distant and cold.

6. If after reading this text, you decided that you wanted to attend the event, what information would you need? How would you find that information?

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7. Would you want to attend this event? Why or why not?

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