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Vocabulary

1 Complete the free time activities with the verbs in the box.

chat do go go out learn play

- My friends _____ voluntary work. They visit old people at the weekend.
- I often _____ to the cinema. I love science fictions films.
- We often _____ for a meal with our parents.
- In the evenings, I often _____ computer games.
- I also like to _____ online with my friends in different countries.
- It think it's really important to _____ a language so that you can communicate when you travel to other countries.

Score /6

2 Complete the sentences with the correct the correct **-ed** or **-ing** adjective form of the verbs in brackets.

- I was _____ because the film was so long. (bore)
- The match was really _____. The final score was 3-3! (excite)
- My parents were _____ because my sister was late. (worry)
- The journey was very long and _____. (tire)
- My brother thinks spiders are _____. (frighten)
- The teacher was _____ because we were late for class. (annoy)
- I saw a very _____ programme on TV yesterday. (interest)
- I was _____ when I passed the exam because the questions were very difficult. (surprise)

Score /8

3 Complete the sentences with the words in the box.

fireman policewoman politician postman researcher scientist

- My sister is working as a _____. She collects information from people and uses it to write statistical reports.
- My father works in a laboratory. He's a famous _____.
- I'm very interested in politics and when I finish school, I'd like to be a _____.
- The _____ usually brings two or three letters. If we receive a parcel he knocks on the door.
- The _____ caught someone stealing mobile phones from the shop.
- My uncle is a _____. His job is very dangerous and sometimes he has to enter buildings which are on fire.

Score /6

Grammar

4 Complete the sentences with the words in brackets.

- 1 They _____ to the sports centre in the evening. (go + often)
- 2 My sister _____ tired because she works very hard. (be + often)
- 3 She _____ shopping. She thinks it's boring. (go + never)
- 4 They _____ their homework after school. (do + always)
- 5 They _____ late for school. (be + sometimes)

Score_/5

5 Complete the sentences. Use the present simple or the present continuous form of the verbs in brackets.

- 1 They _____ to school every day. (go)
- 2 My friends _____ computer games right now. (play)
- 3 My sister _____ an e-mail at the moment. (write)
- 4 She _____ e-mails every evening. (write)
- 5 We _____ sport every weekend. (do)

Score_/5

6 Complete the questions with the gerund form of the verbs.

- 1 I really enjoy I _____ to music.
- 2 We are very interested in I _____ another language.
- 3 What things do you like d _____ in your free time?
- 4 Do your parents enjoy v _____ ancient monuments?
- 5 What kind of films do you like w _____?

Score_/5

7 Complete the sentences. Use the past simple or the past continuous form of the verbs in brackets.

- 1 Where _____ you yesterday? (be)
- 2 My friends _____ football in the park yesterday afternoon. (play)
- 3 What time _____ you _____ breakfast this morning? (have)
- 4 I _____ a lot of e-mails yesterday. (write)
- 5 While I _____ home, it started to rain. (walk)
- 6 I was watching television when my friends _____. (arrive)
- 7 When I saw him, he _____ to the teacher. (talk)
- 8 At 6 o'clock yesterday I _____ my homework. (do)

Score_/8

8 Complete the sentences with the correct form of the verbs in the box.

buy go go look not smile wear wear

- 1 I _____ for my passport at the moment.
- 2 He always _____ a suit to work.
- 3 She _____ a new dress in a shop in town on Saturday morning.
- 4 She _____ her new dress when I saw her at the party.
- 5 The teacher _____ today.
- 6 They _____ swimming three times a week.
- 7 They _____ to the beach on Sunday and had a really good time there.

Score_/7

Reading

9 Read the text and choose the correct answers

It was four o'clock in the afternoon one Friday. Charlie was walking home from school. He was very happy because it was Friday and the weekend was starting. He was walking quite slowly because he was tired after a week at school. He went through the park and then across a busy road. He was walking along the river bank when he saw a green bag on the ground. He picked it up and looked inside. There were some papers in the bag, a mobile phone and a wallet with a lot of money inside. Charlie didn't know what to do. He looked in his pockets and found his mobile phone. Then he phoned his father.

'Dad', said Charlie. 'I was walking home from school when I found a bag. There's some money in the bag. What should I do?'

Charlie's father was very surprised. 'Quickly take it to the police station,' he said. 'Tell the police you found the bag by the river'.

Charlie took the bag and started walking towards the police station. The police station was on the busy road near the park. He went inside. A policewoman was talking to a man.

'I lost a very important bag this morning,' the man said to the policewoman. 'I lost it somewhere near the river'.

'Excuse me,' said Charlie. 'I think this is your bag. I found it just now while I was walking along the river bank'. The man was very happy. He opened the wallet and gave Charlie 50 pounds for finding his bag.

- 1 Charlie was walking_____.
a) to school b) home
- 2 It was_____.
a) Friday afternoon. b) Friday morning
- 3 He found _____ in the park.
a) a mobile phone b) a bag
- 4 What was in the wallet?
a) a photograph b) some money
- 5 Who did he phone?
a) his mother b) his father
- 6 His father was _____ .
a) worried b) surprised
- 7 Charlie took the bag_____.
a) to the park b) to the police station

Score_/7

10 Read the text again and answer the questions.

- 1 Why was Charlie happy?
_____?
- 2 Why was he walking slowly?
_____?
- 3 Where did the man lose his bag?
_____?

Score_/3

Writing

11 Write your personal profile for an internet blog. Use *so*, *because* and *although* to join your ideas. Include the following information:

- Your name, age and where you come from
- What you like and don't like doing
 at school
 in the evenings
 at weekends
 during the summer holidays
- What you are interested in
- What you are good at

Score_/10

Name: _____

Result: /100

Vocabulary**1 Complete the sentences with the words in the box.**

ruins	cathedral	pyramid	temple	coastline	lighthouse
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- Colombia has an Atlantic and a Pacific _____.
- The function of a _____ is to protect ships from dangerous rocks.
- The largest _____ in the world is at Giza in Egypt.
- The Parthenon is an ancient Greek _____ in Athens.
- The ancient city of Pompeii is full of Roman _____.
- St Paul's is a famous _____ in London.

Score /6

2 Complete the sentences with *make* or *do*.

- My friends _____ a lot of exercise every day.
- I know the test is difficult but you must _____ your best.
- My parents _____ a lot of charity work. They visit old people at weekends and cook for them.
- Our teacher is really funny. She always tries to _____ us laugh.
- I often _____ a lot of mistakes in my maths homework.
- Can you _____ me a favour?
- At weekends, we like to relax at home and _____ nothing.

Score /7

3 Complete the sentences with the words in the box.

amazing	awful	delighted	enormous	exhausted	freezing	terrifying
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- I saw an _____ film yesterday. The special effects were incredible!
- It's really cold today. I'm _____!
- The journey was very long and we were _____ when we arrived home.
- I was _____ with the presents I got from my friends.
- My sister hates flying. She thinks it's _____.
- I always go to that restaurant when I'm hungry. The meals there are _____!
- The match was _____. It was 0-0, it rained the whole time and we were really bored.

Score /7

Grammar**4 Complete the sentences with the correct form of the words in brackets.**

- London is _____ than Paris. (big)
- Everest is _____ mountain in the world. (high)
- English is _____ than Chinese. (easy)
- Chinese is _____ than English. (difficult)
- For many people, maths is _____ subject at school. (important)

Score /5

5 Choose the correct words.

- Manchester is not **as big as** / **as big than** London.
- In winter, the weather in London is almost **as cold as** / **not as cold as** the weather in New York.
- She can't buy that dress because it's **too** / **enough** expensive.
- I couldn't buy the computer because I didn't **have** / **had** enough money.
- She can't drive a car because she **isn't old enough** / **isn't too old**.

Score_/5

6 Complete the sentences with the present perfect form of the verbs in brackets.

- 1 She _____ her homework. (finish)
- 2 _____ you _____ the newspaper yet? (read)
- 3 My brother _____ his room. (not tidy)
- 4 Where _____ your parents ...? (go)
- 5 She _____ to Paris. She wants to go next summer. (not be)

Score_/5

7 Complete the sentences with *for* or *since*.

- 1 I haven't had anything to eat _____ five hours so I'm very hungry.
- 2 My best friend has lived in the same house _____ she was a child.
- 3 We have been in this classroom _____ half past nine.
- 4 My parents have been in London _____ Tuesday.
- 5 I have had this new mobile phone _____ five weeks.

Score_/5

8 Complete the sentences with the present perfect or past simple form of the verbs in the box.

be get up go know live

- 1 _____ you _____ to Italy?
- 2 Yes, I have. I _____ there two years ago.
- 3 My uncle _____ in Canada for ten years. He really likes it there.
- 4 I _____ my best friend since we were at primary school together.
- 5 What time _____ you _____ this morning?

Score_/5

9 Complete the sentences with the words in the box.

a lot of any many much some

- 1 We saw _____ interesting things when we visited Morocco.
- 2 I went to the beach with _____ friends.
- 3 How _____ food is there in the fridge?
- 4 How _____ people came to the party?
- 5 I can't buy that shirt because I haven't got _____ money.

Score_/5

Reading

10 Read the text and choose the correct answers.

An amazing swimmer

Martin Strel was born in October 1954, in Slovenia. He is a famous marathon swimmer and has broken world records for swimming the world's longest rivers, including the Danube, the longest river in Europe, the Mississippi, the longest river in North America, the Yangtze, the longest river in Asia, and the Amazon, which many people say is the longest river in the world. When Strel swims these rivers he only sleeps for five hours each night. He prepares for each swim for more than a year and it takes him half a year to recover after the swim. In 2000, Strel swam the entire length of the River Danube, from Germany to Romania, a distance of 2,860 kilometres. In July 2001, he broke the world record for non-stop swimming. He swam an amazing 504 km in

just 84 hours. In 2002, he swam the Mississippi, a distance of 3,885 km. He completed the swim in just 68 days. In 2004, he swam the Yangtze river in China, swimming 4000 km in only 40 days. Then, in 2007, Strel began his most difficult and his most dangerous journey – the Amazon, a river full of snakes, fish and dangerous currents. He swam the river from its source on the border between Colombia and Brazil to its mouth on the Atlantic Ocean, a distance of 5,268 kilometres. The swim took 66 days and Strel was completely exhausted when he finished his swim on the eastern coast of Brazil. And his next swim? Strel says he is not planning to swim the River Nile in Africa because it is too easy!

- 1 Martin Strel is from
a) Slovakia b) Slovenia
- 2 The longest river in Asia is
a) the Yangtze b) the Danube
- 3 How long does Strel sleep each night during his swims?
a) five hours b) eight hours
- 4 How long does it take him to prepare for a swim?
a) half a year b) more than a year
- 5 When did he break the world record for non-stop swimming??
a) 2001 b) 2002
- 6 How long was his Mississippi swim?
a) almost 4,000 km b) more than 4,000 km
- 7 How long did it take him to swim the Mississippi?
a) 66 days b) 68 days

Score_/7

11 Read the text again and answer the questions.

- 1 What was his most difficult and dangerous swim?

- 2 Why was it difficult and dangerous?

- 3 How did he feel when he finished his swim?

Score_/3

Writing

12 Write a description of a journey for an online travel blog. Remember to use linkers like *first*, *next*, *then* and *finally*. Include some or all of the information below.

- where did you go?
- where did you buy the ticket?
- how did you travel?
- how long did the journey take?
- what was good or bad about the journey?
- how did you feel when you arrived?
- what did you do there?
- did you have a good time

Score_/10

Name: _____

Result: /100

Vocabulary**1 Complete the sentences with the correct noun form of the verbs in brackets.**

- 1 I hate watching _____ on TV. They are so boring! (advertise)
- 2 _____ about the future are usually wrong. (predict)
- 3 I get a lot of _____ from reading travel books about different countries. (enjoy)
- 4 At Christmas people often put up _____ in their houses. (decorate)
- 5 There is a lot of _____ (compete) for some university courses. You have to get top grades in your exams.
- 6 When was the last time you had a really big _____ with someone? (argue)

Score /6

2 Complete the sentences with the correct form of the verb and noun collocations in the box.

give advice give presents have an argument have fun
 receive presents spend money spend time tell lies

- 1 I don't like him very much. He often _____, you can't believe what he says.
- 2 They _____ a lot of _____ on clothes at the shops yesterday.
- 3 We _____ at the party on Saturday. It was great!
- 4 How much _____ do you _____ online every day?
- 5 She _____ an _____ with her boyfriend yesterday. That's why she's so miserable today.
- 6 I _____ some amazing _____ from my father. He gave me an MP3 player and a digital camera!
- 7 Can I _____ you some _____? Don't wear those shoes, they aren't good for your feet.
- 8 We always _____ each other _____ at Christmas. We give each other clues to make sure we get something we like!

Score /8

3 Choose the correct words and complete the sentences with their negative form.

- 1 She's very _____ **reliable** / **patient** / **legal**. She never wants to wait for anything.
- 2 He is always late and he never does what he promises to do. He's really _____ **happy** / **reliable** / **patient**.
- 3 Taking things from shops without paying for them is _____ **friendly** / **legal** / **patient**.
- 4 Don't tell him any secrets. He's _____ **adventurous** / **perfect** / **trustworthy**.
- 5 This painting looks exactly like another painting I saw last week. It's really _____ **perfect** / **happy** / **original**.
- 6 I usually understand maths very well but this is completely _____ **logical** / **supportive** / **reliable**.

Score /6

Grammar**4 Complete the sentences with the correct form of *will* and the words in brackets.**

- 1 We are not sure what time our friends _____ (arrive).
- 2 I'm afraid I _____ (not see) Peter next weekend. He's got to work all weekend.
- 3 _____ you _____ (be) at the party tomorrow?
- 4 I'm sorry, but I _____ (probably not be) at the party. I have a lot of homework to finish.
- 5 I _____ (definitely be) late for school today. I've set my alarm clock an hour earlier.

Score /5

5 Order the words to make sentences.

- 1 What during the holidays summer going to do you are?

- 2 It's at home all weekend raining but I am not to stay going.

- 3 If that new I'll computer I enough buy money game have.

- 4 What you if is do at the weekend will the weather bad?

- 5 If is the weather we go to bad the cinema will.

Score_/5

6 Complete the sentences with the correct form of *must / mustn't* or *have to / don't have to* and the verbs in the box.

buy do go have take

- 1 We _____ to school today because it's Sunday!
- 2 You _____ food or drink into the classroom.
- 3 You _____ a ticket before you get on the train!
- 4 I _____ my homework this evening because I finished it all yesterday.
- 5 You _____ a passport to travel abroad.

Score_/5

7 Complete the sentences with the correct form of the verbs in brackets.

- 1 If I _____ (have) the time and the money, I would travel around the world.
- 2 If the weather was better, we _____ (go) to the beach.
- 3 If she tried harder, she _____ (win) the race.
- 4 If we _____ (not have to) go to school today, we would go swimming. It's so hot!
- 5 I wouldn't be late for school if I _____ (have) a car! I always miss the bus.

Score_/5

8 Write the sentences with the present simple passive or past simple passive.

- 1 Their new film / finished / three months ago

- 2 The internet / use / hundreds of millions of people / every day

- 3 How many / films / download / every day?

- 4 When / television / invent?

- 5 The band / form / in 1998.

Score_/5

9 Complete the text with the correct form of the verbs in brackets.

When I was 14 years old, I (1) _____ (receive) a fantastic birthday present. My parents (2) _____ (give) me an electronic keyboard. Two years later, I formed a band with three of my friends. We (3) _____ (be) together now for nearly four years. At the moment, we (4) _____ (write) songs for our second album. We (5) _____ (probably finish) the album next month and then we will go on holiday!

Score_/5

Reading

10 Read the text and choose the correct answers.

A lifetime in films

Elizabeth Taylor was an American film actress who appeared in more than 80 films during her long career. She was born in London in 1932, while her American parents were living and working in England. Her father was an art dealer and her mother was an actress. The family returned to the United States in 1939, just before the start of the Second World War. They moved to Los Angeles, California, where her father opened an art gallery. The visitors to the gallery included famous actors and actresses and one of them suggested to Elizabeth's mother that Elizabeth should try acting in a film. She made her first film when she was only ten years old. In 1944, she appeared in the film *National Velvet*. It was very successful and Elizabeth became a film star at the just 12-years-of-age. The film earned four million dollars, which was an enormous amount of money at the time. MGM studios immediately offered Elizabeth a long-term contract. During her long career, she received three Academy Awards (Oscars), including two for best actress, for her roles in *Cleopatra* and *Who's Afraid of Virginia Woolf*. She was also nominated another three times for Academy Awards. Away from the world of films, Elizabeth did a lot of charity work, especially for AIDS charities, and helped to raise millions of dollars for charity. She had an interesting private life, too. She was married eight times! Her most famous husband was the British actor Richard Burton, who appeared with her in *Cleopatra*. Elizabeth made her last film in 2001, and died in Los Angeles in March 2011 at the age of 79

- 1 Elizabeth Taylor was _____.
a) British b) American
- 2 Her mother was _____.
a) an art dealer b) an actress
- 3 How many films did she appear in?
a) almost 80 b) more than 80
- 4 How old was she when she made her first film?
a) ten b) twelve
- 5 When did she become a star?
a) when she was ten b) when she was twelve
- 6 How many Academy Awards did she win?
a) two b) three
- 7 How old was she when she died?
a) 79 b) 89

Score_/7

11 Read the text again and answer the questions.

- 1 How many times was Elizabeth Taylor married?
- 2 _____
- 3 In which film did she appear with Richard Burton?

Score_/3

Writing

- 12 Write a formal letter of application to do voluntary work for the charity, Oxfam. Include

the words *and*,
although,
however, *in*
addition and

