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## Reading

- 1 a) **RNE** Read the text. For statements 1-7, choose A, B, C or D to complete each statement correctly. Circle the answer you choose.

My parents always said I was born to be a sportsman. They said that even when I was in nappies, I wasn't happy unless I was kicking or throwing a ball. My first memory is of Dad and me playing football in our back garden. I recall

- 5 my mum sitting on the grass under the summer sun, cheering me on as I clumsily kicked a football into the net my dad was 'defending'. The sense of achievement I felt when I scored my first goal stuck with me, and my life has revolved around football ever since.
- 10 As I grew up, I dreamed of becoming a football player. In class, I tried to stay focused on my studies, I knew that few people became professional sportsmen and it was crucial to get a good education. But I devoted every spare second to my passion. At break times, I could be found in
- 15 the playground practising ball skills, and almost as soon as the bell rang at the end of the school day, I was playing five-a-side games at the local playing fields. I knew that if I wanted to become a success, I would have to put all my energy into the game.

- 20 My big break came when I was 18. Leicester City FC offered me a place in their squad. It was there that I learned the true value of teamwork. I played with a fantastic group of guys and we worked toward one common goal – to win! I learned that every person has their own individual talents,
- 25 and a great team brings these talents together.

We enjoyed great success at Leicester, and I was lucky enough to become one of the UK's top scorers! I was transferred to Everton and, while I was sad to leave my teammates, I was excited about working with new people

30 and making new friends. My time at Everton was an outstanding experience. While I was there, I scored 38 goals in 52 games. It wasn't long until I was on a new journey, this time across the sea to Spain to play for FC Barcelona. I was nervous at first, but it turned out that

35 there was no reason to panic.

- I felt great pride when I stepped out into the stadium and onto the pitch in Barcelona. Many footballers dream of playing for such a glorious team! It was a wonderful time for me. Not only did we beat our arch rivals, Real Madrid, but
- 40 we also fought our way through to the UEFA finals where we defeated Sampdoria and became European Champions. As you can imagine, the proudest I ever felt was when I played for my country, England, in the World Cup. The



tournament raises the level of competitiveness of every player. Not only do you have to be mentally prepared, you

45 have to be at the peak of physical fitness. So, as you can imagine, it didn't help matters that I had to play the tournament with my left arm heavily strapped up! But I was determined not to let one injury stop me and played anyway! Because we were a strong team, we got to the quarter finals.

50 I scored six goals during the competition and won the 'Golden Boot' award!

Football has taken me around the world, from England to Spain to Japan. I have become fluent in two other languages and have experienced other cultures. Since

55 retiring, I have worked as a sports commentator and as a writer. I've even done some TV advertisements, but I'm not quite an Oscar winner! I've become quite the all-round sportsman – I've even played for Leicester Cricket Club. My career has provided me with many happy memories

60 that I wouldn't change for the world. Plus, I've played many fun games of footy!

### 1 The writer's first memory was

- A throwing a ball with his father.
- B running around his garden in his nappy.
- C scoring his first goal.
- D sitting in the garden with his mother.

### 2 The writer's attitude towards his education was that

- A it was important to get a good education.
- B it was difficult concentrating on his studies.
- C it interfered with his football practice.
- D it was a waste of his time and energy.



**3 At Leicester City FC the writer learned**

- A** that the only thing that matters is to win.
- B** the importance of working as part of a team.
- C** how to show people his individual talents.
- D** what good players his team mates were.

**4 When the writer was at Everton**

- A** he was sad and missed his old team mates.
- B** he felt nervous when he was playing.
- C** he found it to be a wonderful experience.
- D** he would have preferred to play for Barcelona.

**5 The writer uses the phrase 'glorious team' (line 38) to refer to**

- A** Real Madrid.
- B** Barcelona.
- C** Sampdoria.
- D** England.

**6 The two things required of a World Cup player are**

- A** competitiveness and physical fitness.
- B** determination and physical fitness.
- C** determination and mental fitness.
- D** physical and mental fitness.

**7 The impression the writer gives of his acting skills is that**

- A** he thinks they are good enough to win an Oscar.
- B** he doesn't think they are very good.
- C** he expects them to improve in the future.
- D** he would like to develop them further.

**b) Translate lines 10-25 from the text into Russian.**

## Vocabulary

**2 Choose the correct word to complete the sentences. Then translate the sentences into Russian.**

- 1 She felt a great ..... of achievement when she qualified for the national championships.  
**A** sensation    **B** spirit    **C** sense    **D** feeling
- 2 Can you ..... when you scored your first goal in a match?  
**A** remind    **B** memorise    **C** consider    **D** recall
- 3 The veteran figure skater said her whole life had ..... around the ice rink.  
**A** turned    **B** revolved    **C** evolved    **D** circled
- 4 David Beckham's father ..... of becoming a football star when he was young.  
**A** wished    **B** hoped    **C** dreamed    **D** fancied
- 5 A successful athlete needs to ..... a lot of time to training.  
**A** devote    **B** concentrate    **C** use    **D** invest
- 6 It's not easy to ..... a success in the world of sports.  
**A** develop    **B** become    **C** turn    **D** have
- 7 Professional footballers have to ..... all their energy into their job.  
**A** give    **B** spend    **C** provide    **D** put
- 8 A good chess player knows how to stay ..... on the game.  
**A** alerted    **B** focused    **C** trained    **D** attentive
- 9 Travelling gave her the opportunity to ..... other cultures.  
**A** learn    **B** acquaint    **C** experiment    **D** experience
- 10 He has dedicated his whole life to rugby and he wouldn't ..... it for the world.  
**A** adjust    **B** exchange    **C** change    **D** vary


**3 Fill in: commentator, competitors, rival, referee, runner-up, spectators, trainer, umpire.**

- 1 More than 30,000 ..... took part in this year's London marathon.
- 2 The safety of .... should be the top priority at all sports events.
- 3 J. Norman was ..... in three events and took home three silver medals.
- 4 Manchester United and Liverpool are two well-known ..... teams.
- 5 Some tennis players tend to argue with the ..... during matches.
- 6 The ..... shouted into the microphone with joy as the whistle blew and England took the cup.
- 7 The ..... was criticised for allowing an off-side goal during last night's match.
- 8 France's ..... has promised to make major changes to the team for next week's match.

**4 Fill in: break, playing, physical, true, score, sports, happy, win.**

- |                  |                     |
|------------------|---------------------|
| 1 ..... a goal   | 5 ..... a record    |
| 2 ..... an award | 6 ..... commentator |
| 3 ..... memories | 7 ..... value       |
| 4 ..... fitness  | 8 ..... fields      |

- Multiple matching


**1 RNE**  You will hear six different speakers talking about what they do in their free time. Match the speakers (1-6) to sentences A-G. Use each sentence only once. There is one extra sentence which you do not need to use. Write your answers in the table.

- A** I need to forget the more difficult things in life.
- B** I am addicted to it.
- C** I do it to keep mentally active.
- D** I can't explain why I like it so much.
- E** I see it as a form of relaxation.
- F** I see it as a social event.
- G** I had never expected to like it so much.

Speaker	1	2	3	4	5	6



- Multiple choice

**2 RNE**  You will hear an interview with the famous European footballer Ryan McClair. For statements 1-7 choose A, B or C to complete each statement correctly. Circle the answer you choose.

- 1** Ryan wants to promote football in the US because
  - A** it has become a very popular game there.
  - B** there is not much interest in the game there.
  - C** he can encourage the growing interest in the game.
- 2** Ryan feels that the criticism he has received
  - A** may damage his career.
  - B** can be upsetting.
  - C** is amusing.
- 3** Ryan thinks that the difference between football in Europe and the US is that
  - A** Europeans have become bored of football.
  - B** the US has a fresher approach to football.
  - C** football is a more athletic game in the US.
- 4** Ryan says the amount of travelling he will do won't be a problem because
  - A** he'll be travelling less often than he used to.
  - B** he doesn't get tired easily.
  - C** he is used to travelling and is very fit.
- 5** Regarding his recent injuries, Ryan says that
  - A** he is worried about it happening again.
  - B** he is confident that he has fully recovered.
  - C** he will do what the doctor says is necessary.
- 6** Ryan thinks the move will
  - A** be a good opportunity for his son.
  - B** be upsetting for his son.
  - C** be an exciting holiday for his son.
- 7** Ryan expects his new team mates
  - A** to welcome him warmly.
  - B** to respect him as a star.
  - C** to treat him the same as other team members.





## Task 1 (3 – 3.5 minutes)

Give a talk on **the role of leisure activities in people's lives**.

**Remember** to discuss:

- why having a hobby or playing a sport is healthy
- the importance of finding time to relax and socialise with others
- how an interest/hobby, such as playing a musical instrument or reading books, can be educational
- what leisure activities you enjoy doing and why

You will have to talk for **1.5 – 2 minutes**. The examiner will listen until you have finished. Then he/she will ask you some questions.

**Extra questions:**

- What role does music play in people's lives?
- Why is going to the cinema a popular activity?
- Should sport be compulsory at school? Why/Why not?
- Can mass entertainment be educational?
- If you had more free time what would be the best thing to do with it?
- Do you have enough free time these days? Why/Why not?

## Task 2 (3 – 4 minutes)

You and your friend have been asked to help choose a special event for the Arts Festival being held at your school this week. You can choose from:

- a classical music concert
- a talk on the history of art
- a night of showing films
- an exhibition of student's photographs

**Remember** to:

- discuss all the options
- be polite
- take an active part in the conversation
- come up with ideas
- give good reasons
- find out about your friend's opinions and take them into account
- invite your friend to come up with suggestions
- come to an agreement



## Reading

- 1 Match the headings (A-H) to extracts 1-7. Use each heading only once. There is one extra heading you do not need to use.

- A Ignoring advice
- B A biker's joy
- C No need to move
- D Bike security
- E Disadvantages of living abroad
- F Limited car use
- G Some helpful tips
- H Abandoned car

## Vocabulary

- 2 Fill in: save, life, proud, foreign, securely, spirit, public, scientist, traffic, frequent. Make your own sentences using the phrases.

- |                    |                   |
|--------------------|-------------------|
| 1 ..... air travel | 6 heavy .....     |
| 2 research .....   | 7 ..... transport |
| 3 ..... time       | 8 ..... locked    |
| 4 ..... country    | 9 ..... owner     |
| 5 quality of ..... | 10 free .....     |

## The Way to Work...

1 David Mulcahy is a high-powered stock broker with a beautiful home in London's exclusive Notting Hill area. David has little to complain of in his life but one thing that does exasperate him is the problems caused by heavy traffic in the capital. He says he would prefer to drive to work but it just isn't possible. The traffic moves too slowly, he has to pay a congestion charge to enter the centre, and then also pay for parking. So, for David, it's much cheaper to buy a travel card to use on the tube, London's metro system. The only time he gets to show off in his brand new Mercedes convertible is at the weekends.

2 When Judy Childress was offered the post of director of a large multinational organisation whose headquarters are in Paris, she considered moving to the other side of the channel. But in the end she decided against it as she didn't want to disrupt the lives of her two young children who were happily settled in their school. Instead, she decided to commute to Paris on the Channel Tunnel train. According to Judy, she gets to work faster than her friends who commute into London from the suburbs, because the journey on the super-fast Eurostar train only takes 2 hours and 15 min.

3 Benjamin Goldstein started his job as a naval architect just after leaving university. His work requires him to travel to many parts of the world to oversee projects he is responsible for. He says that in the beginning he found it very tiring and often suffered from jet lag. However, he has learned how to cope over the years. He suggest that anyone who does a lot of long haul flying should drink plenty of fluids and rest as much as possible before and during the flights to combat some of the problems caused by frequent air travel.

4 Rachel Kettering had always wanted to experience life in a foreign country and last year she moved to Athens, Greece to work as an English teacher. She loves the climate and the way of life but admits that the pollution caused by traffic congestion in the centre is one downside to living there. She would like to see more people abandon their cars and use public transport. She claims that people would save time and money and the quality of life for everyone in the city would improve immensely.





**3 Fill in:** journey, trip, travel, cruise, tour, voyage, flight.

- 1 He went on a two-day ..... to his village.
- 2 The ..... from England to China was long and tiring.
- 3 They went by ship to Australia. The ..... took almost a month.
- 4 Aeroflot ..... 508 from Moscow to London will be taking off in fifteen minutes.
- 5 The band went on a three-month ..... of Europe.
- 6 They went on a two-week ..... round the Mediterranean.
- 7 If you want more information on ..... in Australia, contact our agent.

**5** Anne Kavanagh is a research scientist at St John's College, Cambridge. She lives with her family just outside the town in the village of Cherry Hinton. To get to the lab in the mornings, Anne uses pedal power and rides her bike to work. She points out that it's a really good way to keep fit and it's also very environmentally friendly as it causes no pollution at all. She says that the only thing you have to watch out for in Cambridge is bicycle thieves and she always keeps her bike securely locked when she's not using it.

**6** Mike Hudson runs a DIY store in the centre of Manchester and is the proud owner of a 1950's Royal Enfield Bullet motorbike. Mike says that his favourite part of the day is riding to work in the mornings whatever the weather is like. He claims that it's such a beautiful old machine that just the sound of the engine running puts a smile on his face in the morning. He also says he feels like a free spirit whenever he rides his bike, and that it's a great way to beat the traffic jams and much more economical to run than a car.

**7** As far as Norman Hadley is concerned, there's no better way to travel than on foot. He is the manager of the local post office in the small town of Garstang, Lancashire. Norman always walks the three miles to work in the morning, even if it's snowing. He says that in the five years since he stopped using his car (because the cost of running it was so high) he hasn't had even one day of illness. Norman says it's not just the fact that walking keeps him fit, but that it gives him time to himself just to think about life.

**4 Choose the correct word. Then translate the sentences into Russian.**

- 1 I have to get my summer clothes out of the wardrobe, **pack/load** my suitcase and then I'll be ready to go on holiday!
- 2 All **passengers/riders** are kindly reminded to fasten their seat belts before takeoff.
- 3 Due to a **traffic congestion/traffic jam** on the road, I'm going to be late with my delivery.
- 4 The police set up a checkpoint on the **runway/motorway**.
- 5 Going on safari was a fantastic idea – this truly is the **adventure/outing** of a lifetime.
- 6 I find this the best way to **journey/commute** to work – although there are lots of people, it's cheap and reliable.
- 7 We had an overnight sea crossing, so we decided to book a **cabin/carriage**.
- 8 Could I have a **boarding card/return ticket** for the Piccadilly Line, please?
- 9 We've just booked a **package deal/special offer** to the Costa Del Sol.
- 10 Before we began the **passage/voyage**, our bags had to be checked by Customs officials.

**5 Complete the sentences with the verbs in the list in the correct form.**

accelerate	cause	have
make	oversee	run

- 1 My uncle Steve's a civil engineer, and he has to ..... a lot of building projects.
- 2 Formula 1 cars can ..... to speeds of over 300 kmh.
- 3 I think Jane ..... a big move by going to work abroad.
- 4 The shoe factory closed down because it wasn't ..... efficiently.
- 5 The planners contacted us early because they ..... an interesting proposal.
- 6 The noise pollution around my hotel yesterday really ..... me a lot of bother.

**6 Translate texts 4 and 7 into Russian.**



## Reading

- 1 a) **RNE** You are going to read an article about a famous pop band. Read the text and choose the correct parts of sentences (A-G) to complete gaps 1-6. There is one extra part of a sentence you do not need to use.

## GREAT ENTERTAINERS



The Beatles were an English pop band from Liverpool whose members were John Lennon, Paul McCartney, George Harrison and Ringo Starr. They are one of the most commercially successful and critically acclaimed bands in the history of popular music. In fact, they revolutionised the music industry and touched the lives of all who heard them.

The Beatles are the greatest musical act of all time in the United States of America. They charted 20 Number One singles in the US, a number even greater than Elvis Presley, **1**. In the United Kingdom, The Beatles released more than 40 different singles and albums that reached Number One. This commercial success was repeated in many other countries, and it is estimated that by 1995, they had sold over 1 billion records worldwide. Their song "Yesterday" is the most covered song in history, appearing in the *Guinness Book of World Records* with over 3000 recorded versions. It is also the most played song in the history of international radio.

In the mid-1960s, The Beatles led what is known as the "British Invasion" into the United States, **2**. Their extreme worldwide popularity led to the coining of the term "Beatlemania", describing the fan frenzy of young teenage girls towards the band. During live concerts, their music was often inaudible **3**. Consequently, the band stopped touring in 1966 for reasons ranging from safety concerns to frustration that no one could hear or was listening to their music.

The Beatles' influence was not only limited to music though. Young people began to imitate the band's style of dress, donning Nehru jackets and psychedelic prints. But the first example of their influence was probably their haircuts. In 1964, men and boys in the US simply did not wear their hair long, and comparatively speaking, the Beatles' hair was scandalously long. Nevertheless, many teenagers began to emulate the Beatles' style by growing their hair long – **4**.

The Beatles' clothes and style made them leading trendsetters in the world of fashion. Ironically, the Beatles did not start any of these fashion trends, but their unparalleled popularity allowed them to reach a vast audience.

Sadly, the group broke up on April 10, 1970, **5**. Throughout the 1970s, the group members pursued solo careers.

Fans, during this period, were hoping that the band would eventually reunite, although these hopes were destroyed by the murder of John Lennon in New York City in December 1980.

The Beatles were inducted into the American Rock and Roll Hall of Fame as a band during their first year of eligibility in 1988. Then, they made it into the UK Music Hall of Fame in 2004. The three surviving members of the group sang together again in 1994 and were all involved in the creation of the Beatles' anthology in 1995. Queen Elizabeth knighted Paul McCartney in March 1997. He dedicated his knighthood to fellow Beatles George Harrison, Ringo Starr and John Lennon, and the people of Liverpool. For almost 50 years, The Beatles have influenced music, culture, politics, and society; **6**. They were one of a kind and richly deserve their place in music history.



- A which is why they are said to be the best-selling rock band ever
- B which often got them into trouble
- C which proves their popularity is well-founded
- D which paved the way for other British bands to cross the Atlantic
- E which made little difference to the lives of those around them
- F when Paul McCartney announced his departure
- G due to the deafening screams of fans.

b) Translate the first two paragraphs of the text into Russian.

## Vocabulary

- 2 Complete the sentences with the verbs in the list in the correct form.

release	pave	achieve
emulate	reunite	dedicate
influence	revolutionise	

- 1 Many of today's great artists claim to have been greatly ..... by their predecessors.
- 2 He could not have ..... fame without the support of his family.
- 3 Before he began to sing the love song on stage, he ..... it to his wife.
- 4 The band's record was ..... three weeks late, but it received rave reviews.
- 5 The advent of television ..... news coverage.
- 6 Through their hard work and perseverance, the anti-smoking lobby is slowly but surely ..... the way to a ban on smoking in movies.
- 7 The members of the former rock and roll band announced that they are ..... for one night only for a benefit concert.
- 8 He is ..... his father's success as a footballer, something he has been striving to do since he was a child.

- 3 Choose the correct word to complete the sentences. Then translate the sentences into Russian.

- 1 The environmental group could not sway the politicians to help, so it decided to focus its efforts on the film .....  
A business B industry C actors D releases
- 2 The film was successful because it appealed to a wide ..... of viewers.  
A range B extent C span D group
- 3 His decision to sing only sad or depressing songs has had a very negative ..... on his album sales.  
A impression B burden C impact D result
- 4 He thought that just because he was famous, he couldn't get into ..... for breaking the law.  
A hardship B problems C trouble D difficulties
- 5 The reign of even the greatest of entertainers eventually comes to a(n) .....  
A end B finish C close D stop
- 6 Even though he no longer plays in public, he is still ..... as the greatest violinist of all time by his peers.  
A judged B regarded C believed D held
- 7 The group were at the height of their .....  
A approval B recognition C popularity D favour
- 8 When he told his parents that he wanted to ..... a career in acting, they were very distraught.  
A pursue B hunt C chase D track
- 9 They wanted to ..... a performance by the opera singer, but tickets were not available.  
A visit B frequent C appear D attend
- 10 He couldn't believe his brother's film ..... No. 1 at the box office.  
A attained B achieved C got D reached

- 4 Fill in the blanks with the corresponding words.

fashion band safety style kind industry  
audience success popular world

Make your own sentences using the phrases.

- |                    |                    |
|--------------------|--------------------|
| 1 one of a .....   | 6 ..... trends     |
| 2 ..... of dress   | 7 vast .....       |
| 3 music .....      | 8 pop .....        |
| 4 commercial ..... | 9 ..... of fashion |
| 5 ..... concerns   | 10 ..... music     |

- Multiple choice

- 1 **RNE** Read the text. For gaps 1-7, choose A, B, C or D to complete each gap correctly. Circle the answer you choose.

## A cut above

**T**im Burton's modern classic has finally made its way onto the stage! Theatre producer, Michael Bourne, brings us an adaptation that is guaranteed to 1) ..... your breath away! Combining contemporary dance, spectacular scenery and a heart-warming storyline, this comic fantasy is a real treat for the imagination.

The part of Edward Scissorhands is 2) ..... by Sam Archer. Edward has been 3) ..... by a lonely inventor to keep him company. But sadly, the inventor dies before he has completed Edward. But then Edward decides he doesn't want to be lonely all his

life, so he steps out into his local community. What follows is a sweet and gentle story with a hidden depth — the struggle to 4) ..... past people's physical appearance and focus on their inner beauty.

Bourne's latest production has been well received by the critics with some even claiming it's his best work 5) ..... date. Many originally questioned Bourne's plans to 6) ..... Burton's

masterpiece into a dance production. However, he has managed to bring together a brilliant cast of 7) ..... unknown performers, who use modern dance to breathe new life into this gothic fairy tale.

1 A catch	B grab	C take	D pull
2 A staged	B played	C shown	D presented
3 A created	B devised	C established	D produced
4 A observe	B spot	C see	D watch
5 A at	B to	C of	D in
6 A spin	B turn	C alter	D twist
7 A earlier	B prior	C previously	D already

- Key word transformations

- 2 Complete the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the first sentence using the word given. Do not change the word given. You must use between two and five words including the word given. There is an example (0).

- 0 Promise me that you won't be long and I'll wait for you.

**LONG** I'll wait for you *as long as you promise* not to be long.

- 1 You are bound to be tired after the run.

**DOUBT** There's .....  
.....  
tired after the run.

- 2 Lauren was the only one who didn't swim well.

**APART** Everyone .....  
..... Lauren.

- 3 She wants to stay in instead of visiting her cousin.

**RATHER** She .....  
.....  
visit her cousin.

- 4 It was unfair that he told Steve off.

**DESERVE** Steve .....  
..... told off.

- 5 It was hard to find a job in London.

**DIFFICULTY** He .....  
.....  
a job in London.

- 6 It's John's duty to deal with this.

**RESPONSIBLE** John .....  
.....  
with this.

- 7 There probably won't be any trains today.

**UNLIKELY** It is .....  
.....  
any trains today.

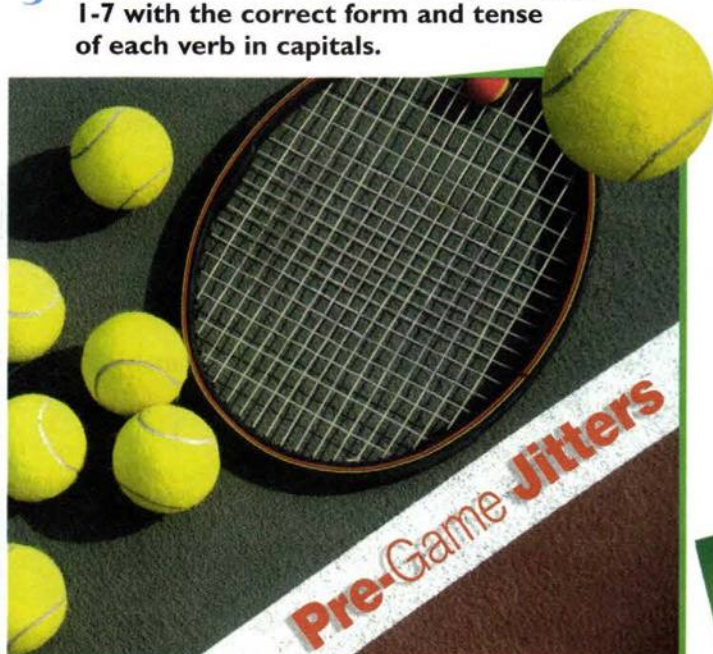
- 8 Mike drove us into town.

**DRIVEN** We .....  
..... Mike.



- Tense formation

- 3 **RNE** Read the text and complete gaps 1-7 with the correct form and tense of each verb in capitals.



The weather was perfect for a tennis tournament. It 1) ..... everyday for weeks before the sun had finally come out. The bad spell was finally over and it was sunny and warm again.

Paul was feeling a little nervous because he 2) ..... his biggest rival, Fred, who had a great serve and excellent timing.

"Hey, Paul," called his coach 3) ..... at him worriedly. "Bring your gear over here and have a seat."

"Sure, coach," said Paul, "whatever you say." 4) ..... (you) last night like I told you?" asked his coach.

"I did," answered Paul, "but I had a bad dream. I 5) ..... by a huge tennis ball when I woke up in a sweat."

His coach laughed and said, "Listen, Paul. You 6) ..... a long way since the last time you played Fred, so don't worry."

"You're right, coach," decided Paul, "I 7) ..... it my best shot and maybe, just maybe, I might beat him this time."

RAIN

FACE

LOOK

NOT REST

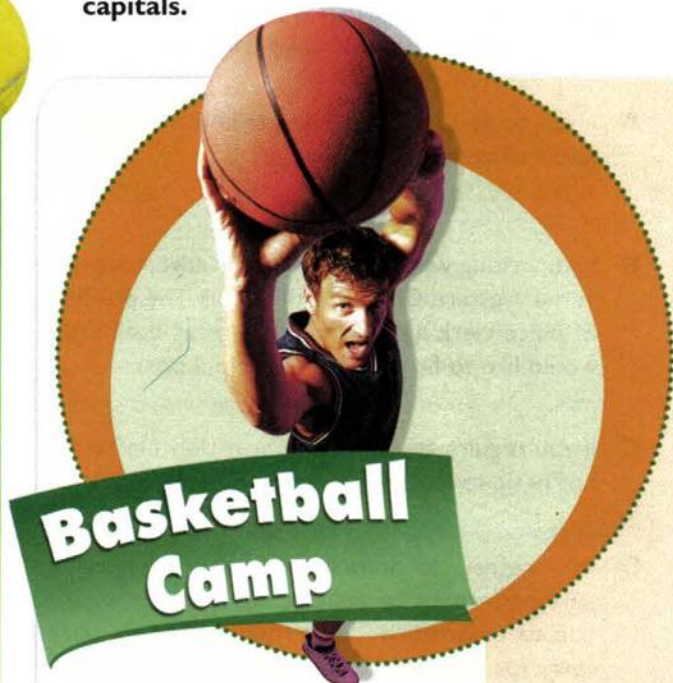
CHASE

COME

GIVE

- Word formation

- 4 **RNE** Read the text and complete gaps 1-6 with the correct derivative of each word in capitals.



NBC Camps is the largest basketball camp in the world. The organisation offers intensive training in 19 1) ..... throughout America and Europe. The camp isn't only for advanced players. The course is also 2) ..... for newcomers to the sport. Campers are divided into leagues according to their age and skill. But it's not just about playing. The camps are just as much about personal 3) ..... as they are about improving athletic skills. Campers are taught that when playing a 4) ..... sport it is important to work together as a team.

The camp is an extremely 5) ..... environment for the young people who want to learn more about this exciting sport. The trainers are experienced sportsmen and women who provide the youngsters with the 6) ..... they need. The camps are a fantastic opportunity for the kids to develop as people and athletes.

LOCATE

BENEFIT

DEVELOP

COMPETE

SUPPORT

ENCOURAGE



1 The following extracts (A-F) are beginnings or endings of emails or letters. In each case:

- identify the type of letter/email (e.g. application, invitation, giving news)
- say whether the letter/email is formal or informal

A I have to go to my music lesson now but do let me know what you decide to do.

B I am writing with regards to your advertisement in the Western Chronicle this week. The position of office clerk appeals to me a great deal, and I would like to be considered for the post.

C If you require any further information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

D We regret to inform you that Saturday's performance of *La Bohème* has been cancelled due to unforeseen circumstances. We are very sorry for the inconvenience this will cause you.

E Thanks for the letter inviting us to your birthday celebration.

F It's such a shame. Next time, let me know in advance! Until then, take care.

2 Suggest opening and closing remarks for the letters (A-E) below. An example is given.

A Tell your friend all about an activity holiday you've just been on.

B Write to a shop manager to complain about the bad service you experienced.

C Write to ask your friend for some advice about taking a gap year.

D Write to your local college to inquire about a course.

E Thank your friend for his/her advice on sightseeing in Rome.

e.g. A **Opening remarks:** *Hi there! I thought I'd write and tell you all about the fantastic activity holiday I've just been on!*

**Closing remarks:** *I hope I can go again next year. Maybe you could come too! Write soon.*

3 Look at the emails below. One is formal and one is informal. Choose from the pairs of phrases A-I to complete each email correctly.

- A The venue will be/It's being held in
- B some important announcements/some important things
- C promptly/on time
- D will be providing/will be giving out
- E to inform you/to let you know
- F regarding the new/about the new
- G something to write with/writing materials
- H there will be/we will be holding
- I Make sure/Please ensure
- J everybody/all members of staff

**A**

New Message

Dear Mr Jameson,

I am writing 1) ..... that 2) ..... a staff meeting this Friday at noon.

The IT Department have 3) ..... to make 4) ..... office software and it is imperative that 5) ..... attend.

6) ..... the staff room on floor two.

7) ..... that you arrive 8) ..... and that you bring 9) ..... with you, although we 10) ..... handouts.

Thank you in advance for your cooperation. If you have any queries, please contact Jane Donnelly on 662 8879.

Kind regards,

Donald Peterson

**B**

New Message

Dear Paul,

I just wanted 1) ..... that 2) ..... a staff meeting this Friday at noon. The IT Department have 3) ..... to tell us 4) ..... office software and it's important that 5) ..... attends.

6) ..... the staff room on the second floor.

7) ..... you arrive 8) ..... and that you bring 9) ..... , although they 10) ..... handouts.

If you have any questions, you can call Jane Donnelly on 662 8879.

Thanks,

Donald



- 4 Read the extracts from the letters and say why each is written in the wrong style. Replace the words/phrases in bold with more suitable ones from the lists.

• enjoy my studies very much • saw your advertisement • I would like to apply for the position • Dear • I am in my final year at school • in Thursday's edition of 'Student Today'

1) Hi, Mrs Bryan,

2) read your ad for the job of summer camp activity coordinator 3) in a magazine last Thursday and 4) I really want to get the job.

I am seventeen years old and 5) I'm leaving school this year. I 6) really love school and...

• Love • Let me know if you're around! • I'd love to drop in and see you • Can't wait to hear from you • hang out with

I'm coming to Newtown to visit my grandmother next week. 7) I would really like to come to your house and visit you. Maybe we could 8) arrange to meet all our old friends, too. 9) Please confirm whether you will be available. 10) I look forward to hearing from you.

11) Yours sincerely,

Angie

- 5 Match the opening and closing remarks. What type of letter are they from and what style are they written in? What is the tone of each remark – mild or strong?

#### Opening remarks

- 1 ☐ I am writing with regard to a disappointing flight I had with your airline.
- 2 ☐ I am writing to complain about the appalling treatment I received at your restaurant last week.
- 3 ☐ I am writing to express my extreme dissatisfaction with a camera I recently ordered from your website.

#### Closing remarks

- A I demand an immediate refund for the item, or I will be forced to take the matter further.
- B Therefore, I must insist on a written apology from the manager.
- C I look forward to your reply explaining the reasons for such poor service.

- 6 a) Read the letter and fill in the gaps with the phrases. Is the tone of the letter mild or strong? Which phrases show this?

• I hope to hear from you • Contrary to the information in your brochure • I feel that I am entitled to • I am writing to complain about • I was quite disappointed with • She didn't offer an explanation • Moreover

Dear Sir/Madam,

1) ..... the package holiday which I have just returned from.

First of all, 2) ..... some of the facilities and services at the hotel. 3) ..... the hotel was not luxurious. For one thing, the swimming pool at the hotel was still under construction and the rooms were also much smaller than I had expected.

4) ....., although the brochure described the tour reps as helpful and friendly, I found our rep to be rather rude and unhelpful at times. Not only was she very late meeting us at the airport but she also failed to find out some information about a local attraction that we had asked her for. 5) ..... or apologise for either of these things.

6) ..... an explanation for these problems, as well as an apology. 7) ..... as soon as possible.

Yours faithfully,

Matthew Riddle

- b) What is the writer complaining about? What examples/reasons does the writer give?

- 7 Fill in the gaps with the words/phrases from the list to make clauses of concession.

• In spite of the fact • but • Nevertheless • Despite

- 1 ..... calling to speak to the manager three times, each time he has failed to return my call.
- 2 I ordered the tickets three weeks before the concert. ...., by the morning of the concert, they had still not arrived.
- 3 The information on the box said that batteries were included, ..... when I opened it there were none there.
- 4 ..... the brochure said that all rooms had a nice view, our room looked onto a car park.



## Vocabulary

### 1 Choose the correct item.

- 1 Many thousands of people took ..... in the charity event.  
**A** after                      **C** part  
**B** place                      **D** up
- 2 Winning the European Cup was our greatest .....  
**A** attempt                      **C** act  
**B** effort                      **D** achievement
- 3 It is believed that sports help us to .....  
**A** relax                      **C** rest  
**B** calm                      **D** ease
- 4 People under the age of 18 won't be ..... to the club.  
**A** agreed                      **C** let  
**B** admitted                      **D** permitted
- 5 It was a great ..... that we didn't get to the finals, but at least we can say we did our best.  
**A** failure                      **C** regret  
**B** disappointment                      **D** dissatisfaction
- 6 Americans spend more than 100 hours ..... to work each year, according to research.  
**A** attaining                      **C** reaching  
**B** moving                      **D** commuting
- 7 They are going on a(n) ..... of Europe, starting in France and ending in Latvia.  
**A** expedition                      **C** tour  
**B** travel                      **D** journey
- 8 Get plenty of sleep because we're going to set ..... early in the morning.  
**A** off                      **C** in  
**B** on                      **D** up
- 9 I wish the seats on aeroplanes were more ..... — I'm getting backache.  
**A** restful                      **C** convenient  
**B** comfortable                      **D** relaxing
- 10 If you get ..... at the next stop, you'll see the museum on your right.  
**A** in                      **C** off  
**B** up                      **D** on
- 11 The film is being shot on ..... in Tijuana, Mexico.  
**A** location                      **C** position  
**B** destination                      **D** place
- 12 Cate Blanchett's ..... of Queen Elizabeth in 'The Golden Age' was outstanding.  
**A** character                      **C** role  
**B** image                      **D** portrayal
- 13 Some of Britain's most successful actors will be ..... in the play.  
**A** producing                      **C** performing  
**B** directing                      **D** staging
- 14 The magician obviously has a lot of ....., but I think he needs some new tricks!  
**A** genius                      **C** talent  
**B** brilliance                      **D** gift
- 15 The team were expecting a lot of ..... for their last game of the season.  
**A** viewers                      **C** audiences  
**B** spectators                      **D** onlookers
- 16 The new leisure centre has excellent sports .....  
**A** appliances                      **C** conveniences  
**B** resources                      **D** facilities
- 17 The game will be ..... for an hour because the other team is stuck in traffic.  
**A** postponed                      **C** transferred  
**B** cancelled                      **D** suspended
- 18 You need to have lots of ..... and be able to take criticism if you want to become a top sportsman.  
**A** conduct                      **C** attitude  
**B** discipline                      **D** manner
- 19 Could you tell me what time the plane to Nicosia ....., please?  
**A** goes up                      **C** takes up  
**B** goes off                      **D** takes off
- 20 I preferred the first ..... of this film rather than the remake.  
**A** variation                      **C** type  
**B** interpretation                      **D** version

## Grammar

### 2 Choose the correct item.

- 1 She isn't as ..... Jenny.  
**A** faster than                      **C** fast as  
**B** fast like                          **D** fastest of
- 2 I'm sorry, but the manager ..... to another customer right now. Is there anything I can help you with?  
**A** is talking                      **C** has talked  
**B** talks                              **D** has been talking
- 3 I'm going on a month-long holiday to the Caribbean!  
.....? I bet you're so excited!  
**A** Can you really                  **C** Are you really  
**B** Did you really                  **D** Have you really
- 4 "I'm very confident ..... our chances of getting the cup considering our recent performances!" said Sir Alex.  
**A** for                                  **C** about  
**B** with                                **D** on
- 5 He got off the tube at Waterloo Station ..... his cousin was waiting for him.  
**A** who                                **C** which  
**B** where                              **D** why
- 6 We ..... the movie when, suddenly, there was a power cut at the most exciting moment.  
**A** watched                          **C** had watched  
**B** were watching                  **D** had been watching
- 7 Eric and Dan ..... two tickets for the rock festival yesterday.  
**A** had been buying                  **C** were buying  
**B** had bought                      **D** bought
- 8 It's far ..... to travel by bus than it is by car.  
**A** as expensive                      **C** least expensive  
**B** most expensive                  **D** less expensive
- 9 Chris ..... playing for two hours now, he needs a rest!  
**A** had been                          **C** is  
**B** has been                          **D** will have been
- 10 When you arrive at the Pyramids, you will be met by a local guide ..... will show you around the site.  
**A** who                                **C** which  
**B** whose                              **D** where
- 11 I'm sorry, sir, you're too late. The bus ..... twenty minutes ago.  
**A** was leaving                      **C** had left  
**B** had been left                      **D** left
- 12 I think it's ..... to read a book than watch a movie.  
**A** good                                **C** well  
**B** better                               **D** best
- 13 Jane is tired because she ..... on her computer all morning.  
**A** has worked                      **C** is working  
**B** has been working                  **D** works
- 14 They ..... to meet up with old friends next weekend.  
**A** going                               **C** are going  
**B** go                                   **D** have gone
- 15 Jimmy doesn't like sailing at all!  
I can see that. He ..... he's going to be sick!  
**A** looking like                      **C** is looking as if  
**B** look like                          **D** looks as if
- 16 To be honest, I'm not ..... on documentaries. I prefer comedies!  
**A** keen                                **C** eager  
**B** good                                **D** enthusiastic
- 17 It's 46 °C today. This is ..... weather we've ever experienced.  
**A** hot                                  **C** the hottest  
**B** hotter                               **D** hottest
- 18 Ann and Peter ..... of the hotel when a man approached them.  
**A** were checking out                  **C** will check out  
**B** are checking out                  **D** have checked out
- 19 Katie ..... every time we play a game of badminton.  
**A** wins                                **C** won  
**B** is winning                          **D** has been winning
- 20 She's obsessed ..... Johnny Depp – she has posters of him all over her walls!  
**A** to                                   **C** with  
**B** for                                   **D** at



## Reading

- 1 a) **RNE** Read the article about a health problem. For statements 1-7, choose A, B, C or D to complete each statement correctly. Circle the answer you choose.



## Finding a Healthy Balance



As a growing boy, I don't think anyone would have called me health conscious. I was typical of my peer group - the odd fizzy drink and trips to meet friends at the local fast food restaurant.

5 However, I was lucky to have a mother who made sure I ate well. She enjoyed cooking and all our meals were varied and delicious!

At the age of eighteen, I moved to a university far from home and suddenly had to look after myself. I really missed my

10 mum's home-cooked meals. She had sent me away armed with recipes, but I never wanted to cook when I got back to the flat after a hard day of lectures. For this reason, it wasn't long before my friends and I discovered our local hamburger bar, just two roads from our home. It was so easy to get our

15 dinner there and, compared to our few attempts in the kitchen, the food tasted great. Stopping by on the way back from classes became a regular habit.

After a couple of months, I started to notice some changes in myself; I was getting acne and my clothes were becoming tight

20 and uncomfortable. I was also very lethargic and friends complained that I would get irritable, often for no good reason. At first, I didn't pay too much attention to it all, I wasn't surprised that the stress of university was taking its toll. However, over the weeks that followed, I started getting colds and headaches

25 on a regular basis. My health seemed to be **deteriorating**, but everyone else appeared to be **coping**. I began to question if I was cut out for university.

I decided to listen to friends' suggestions to visit a doctor. I went along and, after a five-minute discussion of my unhealthy

30 eating habits, she **referred** me to a nutritionist. I have to admit I was a little sceptical; I could accept that my acne and weight gain might result from the foods I ate, but the moods,

headaches, colds - surely diet couldn't cause these too?

Nonetheless, I made the appointment and soon found I had **underestimated** the importance of diet. I was told that the 35 food I ate was high in fat but low in goodness. The lack of fruit, vegetables, and other food groups meant my diet wasn't **balanced** and my body was struggling to keep up with the demands I was putting on it. She explained that if I continued to eat so unhealthily, I would be at risk of obesity and 40 diabetes. Apparently, obesity was now an epidemic in America, and England was following suit. Fast food seemed to be a serious health hazard.

Some simple blood tests **revealed** that I had an iron deficiency. In order to **combat** this and to improve my generally rundown 45 system, the nutritionist made me a personalised plan of nutritious meals to prepare and listed the vitamins I needed to **supplement** my diet with. She was very stern when giving me the advice. She told me not to expect it to be easy, since it is now believed that the body becomes addicted to a junk food 50 diet. I'd never heard this claim before and was completely taken aback. There was a lot to do to get back on track.

After four weeks, I could really see a difference. The headaches and colds had completely disappeared and the acne and weight gain were well on the way to being **rectified**. 55 A few relieved friends were also pleased to have their happy flat mate back! It took time to learn about food and how to prepare decent meals. But it soon became a habit, just like my unhealthy lifestyle had. My energy levels were really high and maintaining my grades was no longer a massive struggle. I'm 60 not saying that everyone should **abstain** from fast food completely, but we should all be health conscious. Once you experience the benefits of a healthy lifestyle, you won't want to see another hamburger again!

- 1 When the writer says he was not 'health conscious' he means that
- A he wasn't interested in food.
  - B he regularly ate lots of unhealthy food.
  - C he didn't understand some foods were unhealthy.
  - D it was normal for people his age to eat fast food.

- 2 The writer started to eat fast food meals at university because
- A it was easy and convenient.
  - B the restaurant was close to his flat.
  - C he could meet his friends at the burger bar.
  - D his flatmate didn't want to cook at home.



3 As time progressed, the writer's friends commented that

- A he was wearing tight fitting clothes.
- B his skin was covered in spots.
- C he was moody and bad tempered.
- D his health was getting worse.

4 The writer wasn't enthusiastic about seeing a nutritionist because

- A his friends had forced him into it.
- B didn't think it would help him lose weight.
- C he felt the doctor had made her decision too quickly.
- D he doubted that diet could be the cause of all his symptoms.

5 The writer uses the term 'health hazard' in line 43 because

- A diabetes has become an epidemic.
- B obesity is an infectious disease.
- C too much fast food is bad for you.
- D fast food has spread in England.

6 On visiting the nutritionist, the writer was surprised

- A by her stern manner when giving advice.
- B to learn that fast food can be addictive.
- C that his body wasn't getting enough iron.
- D at the effort it would take to get better.

7 The writer found the new eating plan was

- A good at first, but he developed bad habits.
- B only suitable for some people.
- C a little difficult, but worth the effort.
- D not as effective as he had hoped.

b) Translate lines 1-17 from the text into Russian.

## Vocabulary

2 Choose the correct word to complete the sentences. Then translate the sentences into Russian.

- 1 She is a terrible junk food addict; she never goes anywhere unless she is ..... with sweets and crisps.  
A armed      B charged      C filled      D covered
- 2 Your doctor can ..... some medicine to ease the pain.  
A offer      B order      C give      D prescribe
- 3 Junk food has very little ..... value.  
A nutritional      B dietary      C healthy      D medical
- 4 Children need to be encouraged to brush their teeth until it becomes a ..... habit.  
A customary      B normal      C regular      D typical
- 5 Anorexia nervosa has both psychological and physical .....  
A signs      B markers      C symptoms      D symbols
- 6 Some people meditate to ..... their stress levels.  
A lessen      B reduce      C help      D lighten
- 7 Dan keeps in ..... by exercising on a regular basis.  
A form      B shape      C condition      D health
- 8 Not everybody realises that you can become ..... to common substances such as coffee.  
A captivated      B addicted      C bound      D obliged
- 9 Scurvy is a disease that is caused by a ..... of vitamin C in the diet.  
A weakness      B shortage      C flaw      D lack
- 10 It was such a hot summer that ice-cream vendors found it hard to keep up with .....  
A request      B demand      C appeal      D charge


3 Complete the sentences with the verbs in the list in the correct form.

deteriorate   cope   refer   underestimate   balance  
reveal   combat   supplement   rectify   abstain

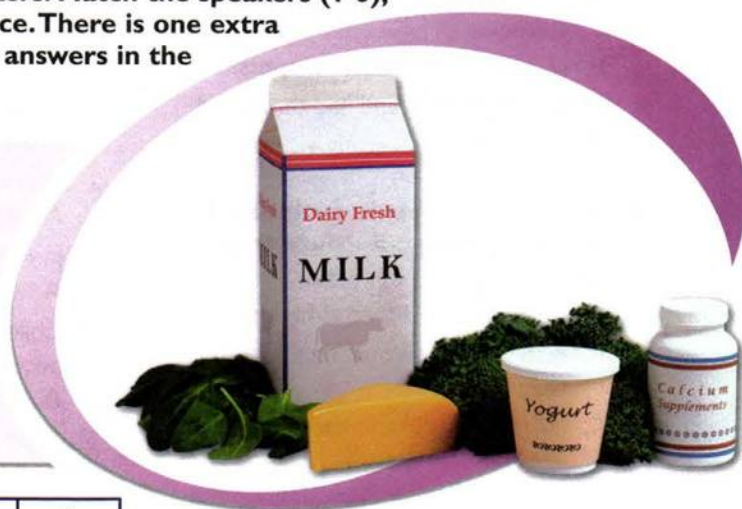
- 1 Because she does not eat any animal products at all, her doctor has advised her to ..... her diet with iron tablets.
- 2 An x-ray examination ..... that he had cracked two of his ribs.
- 3 When her doctor saw how much her condition had ....., he sent her to hospital immediately.
- 4 He has ..... from eating cheese ever since he discovered he was allergic to it.
- 5 Doctors claimed that the government ..... the seriousness of the flu outbreak.
- 6 Scientists are constantly searching for new ways to ..... disease.
- 7 My father was ..... to a skin specialist when he developed a black mark on his neck.
- 8 You need to eat a wide variety of foods to have a ..... diet.
- 9 Although he still cannot walk because of his broken leg, he is ..... well with the situation.
- 10 In order to ..... the situation, he needed to find out how much damage had been done.



- Multiple matching

**1 RNE**  You will hear six different speakers. Match the speakers (1-6), to sentences A-G. Use each sentence only once. There is one extra sentence you do not need to use. Write your answers in the table.

- A I had an allergic reaction while at a friend's house.
- B I was astonished by my allergy.
- C I became ill while at a family member's home.
- D I have to avoid eating something I like.
- E I have a friend who got food poisoning.
- F I was surprised a particular food didn't make me ill.
- G I was shocked at the type of food that I had a reaction to.

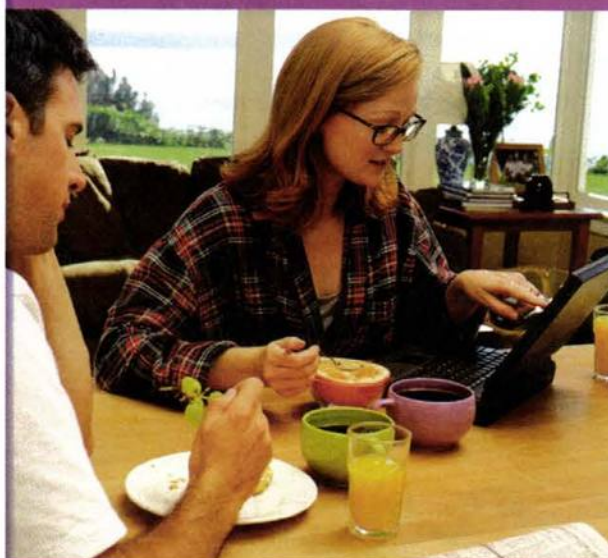


Speaker	1	2	3	4	5	6

- True, False, Not stated


**2 RNE**  You will hear a person talking about a group for people with diabetes. For statements 1-7, decide if each statement is True, False or Not stated.

- 1 The group was set up over a year ago.  
A True      B False      C Not stated
- 2 The local town hall holds other meetings during the week.  
A True      B False      C Not stated
- 3 Dr Michaels decides on the topic of each meeting.  
A True      B False      C Not stated
- 4 There is a meeting about diet every four weeks.  
A True      B False      C Not stated
- 5 The meetings give information in a friendly way.  
A True      B False      C Not stated
- 6 Children are not allowed at the meetings.  
A True      B False      C Not stated
- 7 The group put up posters together.  
A True      B False      C Not stated





- Multiple choice

**3 RNE**  You will hear a businessman being interviewed by a local radio station. For statements 1-7, choose A, B or C to complete each statement correctly. Circle the answer you choose.

- Mr Jacobs opened his shop
  - to sell a limited variety of organic produce.
  - to make as much money as possible.
  - to provide a high quality service at a low cost.
- When Mr Jacobs moved to London
  - he stopped eating good food.
  - he realised getting very fresh food was difficult.
  - he started buying prepackaged food.
- Mr Jacobs says that London's speciality shops
  - don't sell enough organic produce.
  - don't appeal to ordinary people.
  - don't sell fresh products.
- Mr Jacobs thinks that organic produce is expensive because
  - it is very popular.
  - it is farmed without any fertilisers.
  - it is a new method of farming.
- When Mr Jacobs first talked to his parents about organic farming
  - they were very enthusiastic about it.
  - they thought it would be too much work.
  - they soon agreed to try it.
- Mr Jacobs would like people to
  - know his business is family-run.
  - stop going to supermarkets.
  - meet their friends in his shop.
- In the future, Mr Jacobs wants to
  - open shops all over the country.
  - lower the prices of his produce.
  - offer more types of produce.



**RNE**

### Task 1 (3 – 3.5 minutes)

Give a talk on **eating habits in your country**.

**Remember** to discuss:

- what kinds of food people eat in your country
- whether most people have a healthy diet, why/why not
- whether you prefer eating at home or eating out, why
- what food you eat on special occasions, why

You will have to talk for **1.5 – 2 minutes**. The examiner will listen until you have finished. Then he/she will ask you some questions.

**Extra questions:**

- What do you usually have for breakfast/lunch/dinner?
- Do you think you need to improve your diet? Why/Why not?
- Should students learn how to cook at school? Why/Why not?
- Does your family eat meals together? Why/Why not?

### Task 2 (3 – 4 minutes)

You and a classmate have been asked to help choose a special event for Health and Safety Week at your school. You can choose from:

- a day of first aid instruction
- a talk on road safety
- a demonstration of safe cooking methods
- a workshop on exercising safely.

**Remember** to:

- discuss all the options
- be polite
- take an active part in the conversation
- come up with ideas
- give good reasons
- find out about your friend's opinions and take them into account
- invite your friend to come up with suggestions
- come to an agreement



## Reading

- 1 a) **RNE** Read the article about a woman's experience on a cooking holiday in South East Asia. Choose the correct parts of sentences A-G to complete gaps 1-6. There is one extra part of a sentence you do not need to use.

- |  |   |
|--|---|
| <b>A</b> but there was far too much liquid                               | <b>D</b> who would be in charge of the course               |
| <b>B</b> but it certainly didn't feel like it at the time                | <b>E</b> which filled the kitchen and made our mouths water |
| <b>C</b> which was one of the most exciting things about the entire trip | <b>F</b> when it was time for a new experience              |
|  | <b>G</b> which we purchased for use in the lesson           |

- b) Translate the first two paragraphs of the text into Russian.

## Exotic cooking

I have loved cooking ever since I was a young girl, and so I was very excited when, last year, my husband treated me to a cooking holiday in Thailand.

We flew out to Bangkok in early July, ready to sample the delights Thailand had to offer. After a few hours spent recovering from the journey, we were invited to meet the chef **1**. He tried to give us an introduction, but it was hard to concentrate on what he was saying as a team of waiters kept bringing us more Thai specialities to try. Every dish was full of fresh, exotic flavours, especially to an English palate used to a very different cuisine. As we savoured the food, the chef told us that the following day we would make an early start in order to visit the local food markets.

Promptly at 7am the following morning, we met and headed off. I was amazed at the markets. There were tiny, red and green chillies in profusion **2**. We then went in search of more seasonings. As we followed the chef among the stalls, we were met with a heady mix of aromas. I was familiar with things like garlic and coriander as I had used them in England, but others were native to Thailand and I was eager to start cooking with these novel ingredients.

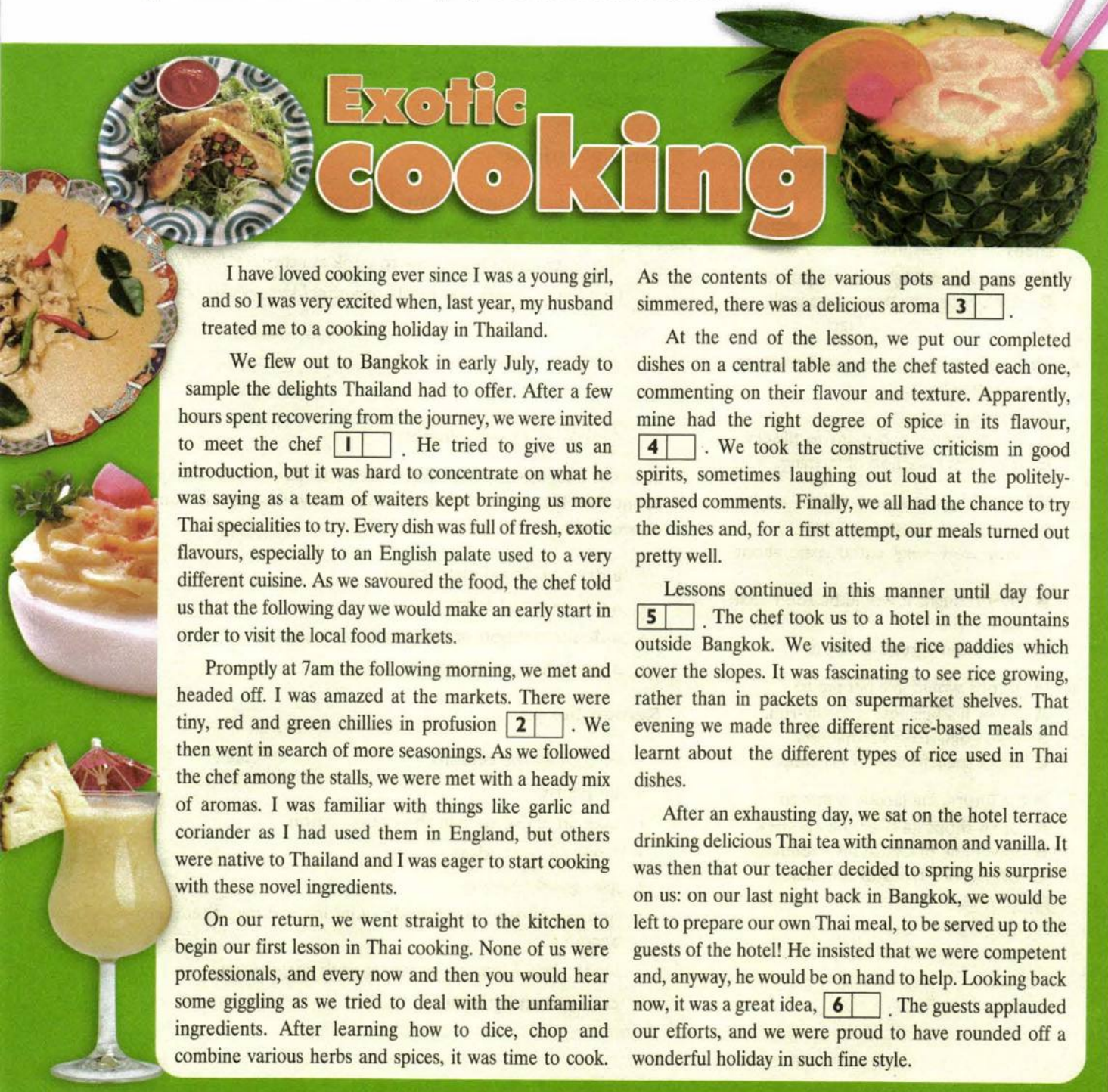
On our return, we went straight to the kitchen to begin our first lesson in Thai cooking. None of us were professionals, and every now and then you would hear some giggling as we tried to deal with the unfamiliar ingredients. After learning how to dice, chop and combine various herbs and spices, it was time to cook.

As the contents of the various pots and pans gently simmered, there was a delicious aroma **3**.

At the end of the lesson, we put our completed dishes on a central table and the chef tasted each one, commenting on their flavour and texture. Apparently, mine had the right degree of spice in its flavour, **4**. We took the constructive criticism in good spirits, sometimes laughing out loud at the politely-phrased comments. Finally, we all had the chance to try the dishes and, for a first attempt, our meals turned out pretty well.

Lessons continued in this manner until day four **5**. The chef took us to a hotel in the mountains outside Bangkok. We visited the rice paddies which cover the slopes. It was fascinating to see rice growing, rather than in packets on supermarket shelves. That evening we made three different rice-based meals and learnt about the different types of rice used in Thai dishes.

After an exhausting day, we sat on the hotel terrace drinking delicious Thai tea with cinnamon and vanilla. It was then that our teacher decided to spring his surprise on us: on our last night back in Bangkok, we would be left to prepare our own Thai meal, to be served up to the guests of the hotel! He insisted that we were competent and, anyway, he would be on hand to help. Looking back now, it was a great idea, **6**. The guests applauded our efforts, and we were proud to have rounded off a wonderful holiday in such fine style.





## Vocabulary

### 2 Complete the sentences with the words in the list.

flavour spices ingredients stall course  
dish dessert snack bill tip

- 1 We were surprised to be offered cheese and biscuits as a first ..... – we are more used to eating it at the end of a meal!
- 2 The secret of good cooking is to use the freshest ..... you can find.
- 3 We were astonished when we got the ..... because we had expected to pay a lot more.
- 4 Indian food is famous for the large number of ..... that are used in its preparation.
- 5 Many office workers today just have a ..... at lunchtime.
- 6 The waiter looked very offended when we did not leave him a ....., but the service had been awful.
- 7 This herb has a wonderful ..... that goes well with salads.
- 8 It is easy to produce a tasty ..... using fresh fruit and cream.
- 9 We found a ..... selling delicious sandwiches and pastries at the country fair.
- 10 Grilled fish with a fresh salad has to be my favourite ..... for a hot summer day.

### 3 Complete the sentences with the verbs in the list in the correct form.

simmer boil fry chop peel  
grill roast slice bake stew

- 1 You don't have to ..... new potatoes, just wash them and cook them in their skins.
- 2 He cut his finger while he was ..... the bread.
- 3 My mother ..... a delicious cake for us last night.
- 4 She ..... the onions in oil until they were a lovely golden colour.
- 5 We ..... the fish we had caught over a glowing fire.
- 6 Make sure the water is ..... before you pour it over the tea.
- 7 You will need a sharp knife to ..... the vegetables into small pieces.
- 8 When you see small bubbles rising to the surface, put the prawns into the water and ..... for a few minutes.
- 9 We decided to ..... the meat with carrots and onions.
- 10 The smell of the meat ..... in the oven was absolutely delicious.

### 4 Choose the correct word to complete the sentences. Then translate the sentences into Russian.

- 1 A delicious aroma of baking bread ..... the kitchen.  
A covered C packed  
B enclosed D filled
- 2 The sight of so many delicious cakes made my mouth .....  
A drool C water  
B run D salivate
- 3 Although we tried some interesting dishes when we were on holiday, I found myself ..... my mother's cooking!  
A craving C dreaming  
B pleading D starving
- 4 After the demonstration, we were invited to ..... the dishes the chefs had produced.  
A experience C savour  
B sample D appreciate
- 5 Ginger, a plant that is ..... to south-east Asia, is used in many different dishes.  
A native C local  
B usual D resident
- 6 The waiter quickly took our ....., but it was ages before any food appeared!  
A demand C request  
B order D command
- 7 I had such a sore throat that I found it impossible to ..... any solid food.  
A chew C swallow  
B gulp D sip
- 8 You should rest after a heavy meal to allow your body to ..... the food.  
A digest C convert  
B absorb D process
- 9 We watched the birds ..... on the nuts we had put out for them.  
A eating C feeding  
B pecking D chewing
- 10 Doctors are concerned that people are ..... too much salt these days.  
A devouring C swallowing  
B cooking D consuming



## Reading

- 1 a) Match the headings (A-H) to extracts 1-7. Use each heading only once. There is one extra heading you do not need to use.

- A Waiting for promotion
- B A rise in youthful customers
- C Mainly one kind of customer
- D Starting at the bottom
- E Reservations are advised
- F Needs to work late
- G Booking required for weekends
- H Happy to work late

- b) Translate texts 4 and 7 into Russian.

## Vocabulary

- 2 Choose the correct word.
- 1 Ready meals are designed to **face/meet** the needs of people with busy lifestyles.
  - 2 It took us ages to get a table because the restaurant was **stuffed/filled** with people.
  - 3 Any complaints concerning **staff/crew** behaviour should be sent to the manager.
  - 4 The city is **renowned/accepted** for its restaurants selling delicious seafood.
  - 5 We were offered a constant **amount/supply** of snacks at the reception.
  - 6 We try to avoid **preheated/prepackaged** food and concentrate on fresh fruit and salads.



1 James Barton owns Recharge, a small coffee bar which serves takeaway beverages and a selection of convenient prepackaged snacks for people on the go. When asked about the typical clientele he caters for, James doesn't hesitate. "Office workers", he replies. "They seem to need a constant supply of caffeine! Lunchtimes are particularly hectic as the queue stretches right out the door!" So James and his team are developing an office delivery service to meet the needs of workers throughout the day.

2 When she's not studying hard, Sarah Fox is behind the counter at the local fast food restaurant *Supersize*. Although it isn't everyone's ideal job, it allows her to work antisocial hours which don't clash with her university timetable. "We tend to get a lot of teenagers in here who want a cheap bite to eat and shoppers who come in to take a breather from the high street," she told us. Her only complaint is that as she works the evening shift she doesn't have much of a social life.



3 Luke Tomlinson works as a waiter at *Whitely Manor*, a restaurant well-known for its fine cuisine. Luke says that the restaurant's reputation for great food and its picturesque riverside location mean that it is constantly filled with people, so he rarely has a quiet moment at work. But he believes the hard work is worth it as he hopes to progress to a supervisory position through the company's career-building scheme.

4 Greg Phillips has been working for *Fast Pizza* for just over a year. When he first joined he used to deliver the pizzas all over town on a moped but he found it really stressful and now he stays in the shop to take the telephone orders. "We are open from four in the afternoon till midnight," he says, "and while there's a steady flow of orders all evening it's from ten onwards that we are really rushed off our feet." Greg adds that he doesn't really mind because he's not the one who has to make all the pizzas!



**3 Complete the sentences with the verbs in the list in the correct form.**

own	serve	cater	clash
deliver	rush	develop	progress

- When I was a student, I earned some extra money ..... pizzas to people's homes.
- The waiters were ..... off their feet last night because a large coach party arrived unexpectedly.
- Our restaurant ..... for vegetarians; we don't serve any meat dishes.
- Today, many food companies are ..... new products with less salt in them as a result of recent health concerns.
- I felt that the colour of the table cloths ..... with the general décor of the restaurant.
- My brother ..... the new restaurant in Brook Street.
- Breakfast is ..... from 7 am to 9.30 am.
- He started in the business as a kitchen porter, but he eventually ..... to becoming a top chef.

**5** Lisa Brady works as a kitchen porter in the restaurant of the *Marsdale Hotel*. Her duties include keeping the kitchen clean and making sure all foodstuffs are stored away properly. She told us she was teased a lot by the other staff when she started because not many women work in kitchens. "It didn't take me long to earn their respect, though, when they saw what a hard worker I am." Although being a kitchen porter is the lowest rung of the ladder in a professional kitchen, Lisa says she loves working in the catering trade and is thinking of making a career out of it.

**6** Hilda Bowman is semi-retired and works part-time as the manager of *Aunt Maud's*, an old fashioned teashop. "Most of our patrons are of the older generation, who appreciate proper tea with good cream cakes and fresh pastries," she told us, "but, lately, we've been getting more and more young people coming in. I think taking afternoon tea has become quite fashionable again." Hilda says she enjoys the job because the hours of work suit her and she gets to meet some very charming people.

**7** Anup Khan has been the head chef at *The Moghul*, a renowned Indian restaurant, since it opened ten years ago. "Unlike most Indian restaurants, *The Moghul* doesn't do takeaways and customers are very lucky to get a table without booking first," he points out. "It can get very frantic in the kitchen at the weekends when we're very busy, but I thrive on the hustle and bustle of a professional kitchen," he adds proudly. Considering the popularity of Indian food in Britain, Anup is likely to be busy for many more years to come.

**4 Choose the correct word to complete the sentences. Then translate the sentences into Russian.**

- I prefer to work the late ..... because I hate getting up early in the morning.  
A phase C shift  
B term D period
- One disadvantage of working in the restaurant business is that you have to work antisocial .....  
A hours C stages  
B times D seasons
- We stopped at a café to get a quick ..... to eat.  
A piece C bite  
B taste D food
- We weren't very busy, but there was a steady ..... of orders most of the evening.  
A rush C run  
B number D flow
- The restaurant has built up a regular ..... of bankers, lawyers and other professionals.  
A clientele C traffic  
B trade D custom
- They have a ..... for fast, friendly service.  
A status C respect  
B reputation D position
- At lunchtime, the queue for this popular restaurant ..... out of the door.  
A spreads C lengthens  
B trails D stretches
- He is always on the ..... and never seems to have time to sit down.  
A rush C charge  
B go D gallop
- My new job ..... me perfectly as I can listen to my favourite music as I work.  
A matches C fits  
B suits D pleases
- After the rush, we were glad to take a short ..... and relax a little.  
A interval C breather  
B stop D halt



- Multiple choice

- 1 **RNE** Read the text. For gaps 1-7, choose A, B, C or D to complete each gap correctly. Circle the answer you choose.

## Pick Your own



Have you ever passed a farm displaying the sign, "Pick your own", and been tempted to try it? Tessa Simon became intrigued after seeing such a sign outside a local farm five years ago, and went to 1) ..... She soon became an enthusiast of the delights of spending a day in the fields picking her own fresh produce to take home.

Tessa 2) ..... her first visit during the month of June when her favourite fruit, the strawberry, was in season. She 3) ..... the hundreds of other people, including small children with their parents, in 4) ..... of the ripest, juiciest strawberries. In her enthusiasm, she quickly picked 5) ..... than she could

carry, succeeding in filling five carrier bags! When she went to get the bags weighed in the farm shop, she was charged less than any supermarket would charge.

Nowadays, Tessa is 6) ..... skilled at picking her own fruit and vegetables. It is possible to buy freshly picked goods from the farm shop, but Tessa enjoys the satisfaction of picking out the products herself 7) ..... taking them home to make some lovely home-cooked dishes!

- |             |          |               |            |
|-------------|----------|---------------|------------|
| 1 A examine | B study  | C investigate | D inspect  |
| 2 A did     | B made   | C formed      | D achieved |
| 3 A joined  | B united | C connected   | D attached |
| 4 A look    | B search | C hunt        | D chase    |
| 5 A more    | B over   | C further     | D above    |
| 6 A very    | B much   | C so          | D too      |
| 7 A later   | B soon   | C after       | D before   |

- Key word transformations

- 2 Complete the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the first sentence using the word given. Do not change the word given. You must use between two and five words including the word given. There is an example (0).

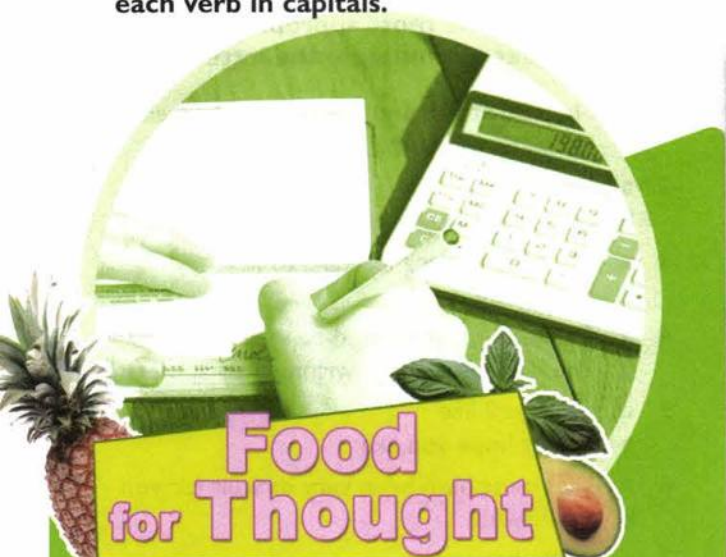
- 0 You have to work hard to become a doctor.  
**INVOLVED** There is a lot of work *involved in becoming* a doctor.
- 1 Waitressing looks like a tiring job.  
**SEEMS** Waitressing ..... tiring job.
- 2 I won't give you any dessert unless you eat your greens.  
**IF** I won't give you any dessert ..... eat your greens.
- 3 Fiona made the appointment.  
**WAS** The appointment ..... Fiona.
- 4 Pupils are banned from drinking fizzy drinks at my school.  
**ALLOWED** Pupils are ..... fizzy drinks at my school.

- 5 Jane wasn't used to French cuisine.  
**UNFAMILIAR** Jane ..... French cuisine.
- 6 Norman became a vegetarian five years ago.  
**HAS** Norman ..... five years.
- 7 I find taking medicine unpleasant.  
**LIKE** I ..... medicine.
- 8 I'm so tired, I really should get some sleep.  
**OUGHT** I'm so tired, I really ..... some sleep.



- Tense formation

3 **RNE** Read the text and complete gaps 1-7 with the correct form and tense of each verb in capitals.



When Mrs Walker entered the classroom, everyone gasped in surprise. 1) ..... her were a team of assistants carrying boxes of grocery items.

Tony, a student sitting at the back of the room, stood up and called out, "Gee thanks, Mrs Walker, but we 2) ..... (already) lunch."

A roar of laughter 3) ..... as Tony returned to his seat.

"All right class, settle down," said Mrs Walker. She went on to explain that the lesson 4) ..... about the food that she had brought, but about keeping to a healthy diet on a tight budget.

"This time next year, most of you 5) ..... university and living on your own," said Mrs Walker.

While she was talking, her assistants 6) ..... food items on some shelves at the front of the room.

"Let's suppose you have a weekly food budget of £50," said Mrs Walker. "What 7) ..... (you) your money on? Tony you get to go first." The class burst into laughter at her comment.

FOLLOW

HAVE

HEAR

NOT BE

ATTEND

ARRANGE

SPEND

- Word formation

4 **RNE** Read the text and complete gaps 1-6 with the correct derivative of each word in capitals.



It has been reported that around one in ten people in the UK suffer from illnesses because of eating bad food. They are caused by microscopic organisms that are 1) ..... to the human eye, and which enter the body when people eat food that has not been stored or prepared correctly. The issue of food 2) ..... is an important one, so being aware of what precautions to take is a must. Food storage is the first thing to consider. When you buy food products, check the 3) ..... on the packaging. Products vary in the way they can be kept, for how long and at what temperatures. It is common 4) ..... that raw meat will not keep for long at room temperature, but are you confident you know how to store other products? Get it right, or you might be providing bacteria with just the conditions they need to breed 5) .....

When it comes to food preparation, hygiene is the key. It is important to wash and dry hands thoroughly before handling food because bacteria thrive in warm, damp conditions. Keep utensils clean and dry also.

If we all incorporate these 6) ..... into our daily routines, the risk of our getting food poisoning will be dramatically reduced.

VISIBLE

SAFE

INSTRUCT

KNOW

SUCCESS

RECOMMEND



### 1 In what style (informal, semi-formal, formal) would you write the following:

- 1 a letter to express sympathy to your cousin after they failed to achieve something .....
- 2 an email apologising to your teacher for not doing something .....
- 3 a thank-you letter to a company for the quality of a service they provided .....
- 4 an email congratulating a friend on an achievement .....

### 2 Read the beginnings and endings of the letters/emails (A-D) below and match them to the letters/emails (1-4) in Ex. 1.

**A** ☐ Hi, Josh!

*Sorry I haven't written for a while!*

*I just heard that all your hard work paid off and you got your chef's diploma. Well done!*

*Well, that's all for now. Enjoy your well-earned rest and hope to see you soon!*

*Best Wishes,*

*Amy*

**B** ☐ Dear Sir,

*I am writing to express my gratitude for the excellent catering service which you provided for my birthday party.*

*Once again, I am very grateful for the extremely high standard of service you provided. I would gladly recommend your company to others.*

*Yours sincerely,*

*Jackie Simpson*

**C** ☐ Dear Mrs Bradbury,

*I'd like to apologise for not coming to my music lesson on Thursday. I'm afraid I was ill and unfortunately I forgot to let you know.*

*Sorry once again. I will be at the lesson as usual this Thursday.*

*Regards,*

*James Fisher*

**D** ☐ Dear Holly,

*How are you? I'm fine but I can't wait for the end of term!*

*What a shame that you didn't get the summer job in the restaurant! I'm really sorry.*

*Anyway, don't worry about the job. I bet you'll get the next one you apply for! Write and tell me all your other news.*

*Love,*

*Angie*

### 3 a) Read the letter. Who is it: to? from? What is its purpose? What style should it be written in?

#### b) Choose the most appropriate words/phrases to complete the letter.

- 1 a I hope that you and Uncle John are well.  
b How are you both?
- 2 a Guess what?!  
b I'm really happy because
- 3 a I'm really looking forward to it.  
b I can't wait!
- 4 a Anyway, I really wanted to say sorry  
b The main reason I'm writing is to apologise
- 5 a Hope you like  
b I really hope you like
- 6 a That must have been very difficult for you.  
b How awful!
- 7 a Write back soon.  
b I hope to hear from you soon.

Dear Aunt Polly,

1)..... I'm very well. 2)..... I'm going on a beach holiday to Spain with my friends next week. 3).....

4)..... for not coming to your anniversary celebration meal – it was my best friend's eighteenth birthday party on the same evening and I was helping to organise it.

5)..... the gift I have sent with this letter.

I heard that your lovely dog Benji passed away last week. 6).....

How old was Benji? Had you had him since he was a puppy? Do you think you will get another dog?

7).....

Best Wishes,

Andrea





4 Read the prompts and expand them into full sentences, as in the example. Use semi-formal style. What kind of letter is/are each (of the) sentence(s) from?

- 1

Once again/thank you very much/let me stay/your house – had wonderful time

*Once again, thank you very much for letting me stay at your house. I had a wonderful time.*
- 2

Congratulations/your new job – must be/really pleased
- 3

Unfortunately/not able to help you/prepare food for party/Saturday – hope you understand
- 4

so sorry/hear/restaurant you work at/closing down – hope get new job soon
- 5

like to apologise/forget birthday – hope can forgive me
- 6

can't thank you enough/come to school/to give talk about health – students really enjoyed it & information very useful

5 Match tasks 1-4 to the appropriate sentences (A-H) from a letter/email.

letter/email	Appropriate sentences
<div><div>1</div><div>You have been invited to a wedding but are unable to attend because of other commitments. Write a letter/email apologising and explaining why you will not be able to attend.</div></div>	<div><div>A</div><div>I'm sure the other members of the Athletics team are just as disappointed as you are.</div></div> <div><div>B</div><div>I'm glad to hear that all the hard work you have done this year has paid off.</div></div> <div><div>C</div><div>I do not think I would have managed without your support.</div></div> <div><div>D</div><div>I hope you're back on your feet and back to training soon.</div></div> <div><div>E</div><div>As much as I would like to be there, I am afraid it just isn't possible for a number of reasons.</div></div> <div><div>F</div><div>I wish I could have been there when they announced your name.</div></div> <div><div>G</div><div>Once again, I would like to say that I am very grateful for your assistance.</div></div> <div><div>H</div><div>I hope you have a marvellous day and I look forward to hearing about it soon.</div></div>
<div><div>2</div><div>A friend has had an accident that has prevented them from taking part in an inter-school sports day. Write a letter/email to express sympathy.</div></div>	
<div><div>3</div><div>One of your teachers has given you extra help in a subject you were having difficulties with. Write a thank-you letter/email.</div></div>	
<div><div>4</div><div>Your cousin has just won an award from their school for being an outstanding student. Write a letter/email congratulating them.</div></div>	

6 Choose one of the tasks above and write an appropriate letter/email. Include the appropriate sentences.

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## Vocabulary

### 1 Choose the correct item.

- 1 Mountain rescue is a(n) ..... service that offers help to climbers.  
**A** emergency                      **C** medical  
**B** disaster                         **D** crisis
- 2 You will have to make a(n) ..... to see the doctor.  
**A** meeting                         **C** arrangement  
**B** appointment                 **D** date
- 3 Noodles are a common ingredient in Chinese .....  
**A** cuisine                         **C** eating  
**B** diet                               **D** nutrition
- 4 John needed ..... to remove his appendix.  
**A** help                               **C** medication  
**B** attention                       **D** surgery
- 5 A balanced diet is ..... for you.  
**A** nice                               **C** right  
**B** good                              **D** fine
- 6 Damien is a very ..... chef.  
**A** practised                       **C** specialist  
**B** qualified                        **D** talented
- 7 Smoking is a ..... hazard.  
**A** medical                         **C** health  
**B** lifestyle                         **D** dangerous
- 8 You should have a flu ..... as soon as possible.  
**A** vaccination                   **C** immunisation  
**B** therapy                         **D** preparation
- 9 Antonio doesn't have a sweet tooth. He prefers ..... food.  
**A** bland                              **C** savoury  
**B** rich                                **D** bitter
- 10 Green tea is said to help the body ..... calories.  
**A** light                               **C** ignite  
**B** burn                               **D** toast
- 11 Rachel has a cavity in her tooth and needs to have a .....  
**A** filling                              **C** packing  
**B** stuffing                         **D** padding
- 12 There were so many ..... of tea that I couldn't decide what to order!  
**A** options                         **C** alternatives  
**B** varieties                        **D** selections
- 13 Exercise is an important part of a ..... lifestyle.  
**A** balanced                         **C** healthy  
**B** good                               **D** fit
- 14 If you have an iron ....., you become anaemic.  
**A** depletion                       **C** deficiency  
**B** reduction                       **D** lacking
- 15 Grapefruit is ..... in vitamin C.  
**A** full                                 **C** packed  
**B** heavy                              **D** rich
- 16 Some people prefer alternative therapies to ..... medicine.  
**A** typical                         **C** conventional  
**B** usual                               **D** conformist
- 17 We need calcium to help ..... strong bones.  
**A** maintain                         **C** generate  
**B** keep                                **D** support
- 18 Fiona loves food with a spicy .....  
**A** texture                           **C** feel  
**B** flavour                           **D** odour
- 19 The psychologist ..... her with depression.  
**A** suggested                       **C** confirmed  
**B** analysed                         **D** diagnosed
- 20 It is ..... that we drink eight glasses of water a day.  
**A** recommended               **C** insisted  
**B** ordered                         **D** directed



## Grammar

### 2 Choose the correct item.

- 1 Meg has a nasty cold, she is feeling very run .....  
**A** through                      **C** down  
**B** out                              **D** over
- 2 Geoff enjoys Mediterranean food, so he ..... love the food when he goes to Italy this summer.  
**A** would                      **C** will be  
**B** could                      **D** will
- 3 I ..... to be a doctor at the moment.  
**A** was training              **C** were training  
**B** am training              **D** would be training
- 4 After an operation, it is important to rest in order ..... up your strength.  
**A** build                      **C** built  
**B** to build                      **D** building
- 5 Elliot ..... feeling very well today.  
**A** didn't                      **C** doesn't  
**B** isn't                      **D** won't
- 6 Sarah ..... too much salt in her diet these days.  
**A** had                      **C** has had  
**B** has                      **D** was having
- 7 William has ..... to drive me to the dentist tonight.  
**A** promises                      **C** promised  
**B** promising                      **D** promise
- 8 I drink far too ..... coffee.  
**A** many                      **C** lot  
**B** much                      **D** more
- 9 I'm very familiar ..... African food.  
**A** with                      **C** for  
**B** about                      **D** around
- 10 He's ..... biting his nails!  
**A** sometimes                      **C** eternally  
**B** always                      **D** regular
- 11 Perhaps Jenny ..... to go to the doctor's.  
**A** should                      **C** ought  
**B** must                      **D** need
- 12 Felicity felt sick after drinking some milk that had ..... off.  
**A** been                      **C** remained  
**B** gone                      **D** left
- 13 Mark ..... ten years' experience working as a paramedic.  
**A** is having                      **C** have  
**B** has had                      **D** was having
- 14 Health professionals advise that we should eat five portions of fruit or vegetables ..... day.  
**A** every                      **C** some  
**B** most                      **D** all
- 15 Getting an early ..... helped her fight the disease.  
**A** diagnosis                      **C** diagnosed  
**B** diagnosing                      **D** diagnose
- 16 In Britain, you ..... to train for three years to become a qualified nurse.  
**A** must                      **C** have  
**B** will                      **D** should
- 17 My mother worked ..... to get the meal finished in time.  
**A** hardly                      **C** harder  
**B** hard                      **D** hardest
- 18 It is nice when families ..... together to eat a meal.  
**A** do                      **C** went  
**B** get                      **D** have
- 19 Our ..... grocer sells organic produce.  
**A** local                      **C** locally  
**B** near                      **D** nearer
- 20 Jim was ..... a lot of stress at work.  
**A** over                      **C** before  
**B** between                      **D** under



## Reading

- 1 a) **RNE** Read the extract from a novel about a man remembering strange dreams from his childhood. For statements 1-7, choose A, B, C or D to complete each statement correctly. Circle the answer you choose.

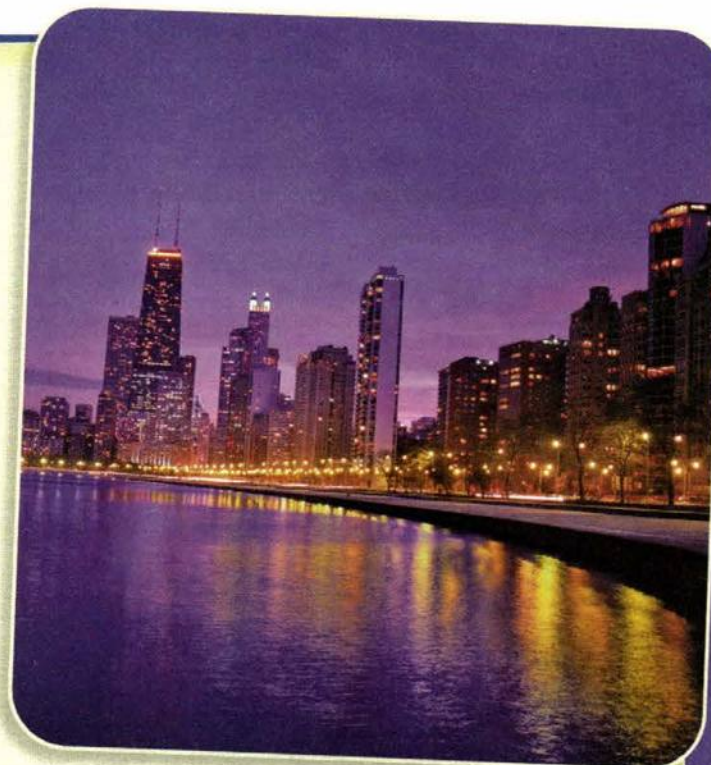
When I was quite small, I would sometimes dream of a city. This was strange because it began before I even knew what a city was, but this city, clustered on a curve of a big blue bay, would come into my mind. I could see the streets, and the buildings that lined them, the waterfront, even boats in the harbour; yet, on waking, I had never seen the sea, or a boat ... and the buildings were quite unlike any I knew. The traffic in the streets was strange, carts running with no horses to pull them; and sometimes there were things in the sky, shiny fish-shaped things that were certainly not birds.

Most often, I would see this wonderful place by daylight, but occasionally it was by night when the lights lay like strings of glow-worms along the shore, and a few of them seemed to be sparks drifting on the water, or in the air. It was a beautiful, fascinating place, and once, when I was still young enough to know no better, I asked my eldest sister, Mary, where this lovely city could be.

She shook her head, and told me that there was no such place — not now. But perhaps, she suggested, I could somehow be dreaming about times long ago. Dreams were funny things, and there was no accounting for them; so it might be that what I was seeing was a bit of the world as it had been once upon a time — the wonderful world that the Old People had lived in; as it had been before the trouble.

But after that she went on to warn me very seriously not to mention it to anyone else; other people, as far as she knew, did not have such pictures in their heads, either sleeping or waking, so it would be unwise to mention them. That was good advice, and luckily I had the sense to take it. People in our district had a very sharp eye for the odd, or the unusual, so that even my left-handedness caused slight disapproval. So, at that time, and for some years afterwards, I did not mention it to anyone — indeed, I almost forgot about it, for as I grew older the dream came less frequently, and then very rarely.

But the advice stuck. Without it I might have mentioned the curious understanding I had with my cousin Rosalind, and that would certainly have led us both into very grave trouble — if anyone had happened to believe me. Neither I nor she, I think, paid much attention to it at that time: we simply had the habit of caution. I certainly did not feel unusual. I was a normal little boy, growing up in a normal



way, taking the ways of the world about me for granted. And I kept on like that until the day I met Sophie. Even then, the difference was not immediate. It is hindsight that enables me to fix that as the day when my first small doubts started to germinate.

That day I had gone off by myself, as I often did. I was, I suppose, nearly 10 years old. My next sister, Sarah, was five years older, and the gap meant that I played a great deal alone. I had made my way down the cart track to the south, along the borders of several fields until I came to the high bank, and then along the top of the bank for quite a way.

The bank was no puzzle to me then: it was far too big for me to think of as a thing that men could have built, nor had it ever occurred to me to connect it with the wondrous doings of the Old People whom I sometimes heard about. It was simply the bank, coming around in a wide curve, and then running straight as an arrow towards the distant hills; just a part of the world, and no more to be wondered at than the river, the sky, or the hills themselves.

### 1 When he was young, the writer dreamt about

- A an unusual place every night.
- B a city with unusual animals.
- C a place he had no knowledge of.
- D a busy seaside resort.

### 2 The city lights at night

- A were arranged in lines.
- B floated in the sea.
- C impressed the writer.
- D appeared in the sky.



3 The writer uses the phrase 'no accounting for them' (line 21) to show that

- A he regretted telling his sister about his dreams.
- B he could find no explanation for his dreams.
- C he believed that his dreams were true.
- D he found his dreams to be very amusing.

4 The writer approved of his sister's advice because

- A it made him forget about his dream immediately.
- B where he lived the people liked to be out of the ordinary.
- C the locals were suspicious of people who were different.
- D it stopped him from having his dream all the time.

5 The writer first began to question his views when

- A he confided in his cousin Rosalind.
- B he and Rosalind did something wrong.
- C a girl called Sophie entered his life.
- D he realised people thought he was lying.

6 The writer went to the bank on his own because

- A he enjoyed his own company.
- B he was old enough to go out alone.
- C he didn't want anyone to go with him.
- D he had no one else to play with.

7 The impression that the writer had of the bank as a child was that

- A it was a very mysterious place.
- B there was nothing remarkable about it.
- C it could only have been man-made.
- D it had to be linked to the Old People.

b) Translate lines 1-17 from the text into Russian.

## Vocabulary

2 Choose the correct word. Then translate the sentences into Russian.

- 1 The footballer's behaviour **caused/produced** a lot of disapproval.
- 2 Many of his views changed as he **turned/grew** older and wiser.
- 3 The farmer knew rain was coming because of the clouds over the **distant/far** hills.
- 4 She often turns to the **older/elder** of her two sisters for help.
- 5 I wish I had **kept/taken** his advice in the first place.
- 6 The police are keeping a **sharp/pointed** eye on the suspect.
- 7 His **habit/custom** of coming in late is very annoying.
- 8 He took it for **certain/granted** that he would be promoted.

3 Complete the sentences with the verbs in the list in the correct form.

• occur • stick • account • line • shake • cluster  
• drift • germinate

- 1 There's no ..... for some people's taste in music.
- 2 Her mother's words of warning ..... with her for the rest of her life.
- 3 It was only later that it ..... to me that I'd been wrong.
- 4 The children ..... round the stall that was selling cream cakes.
- 5 The supermarket shelves were ..... with produce from around the world.
- 6 An idea for a story began to ..... in his mind.
- 7 He slowly ..... his head in response to my question.
- 8 She watched the autumn leaves ..... on the surface of the lake.

4 Complete the sentences with the correct item.

a) **border** **frontier** **boundary**

- 1 The ..... between the two countries is heavily patrolled by the army.
- 2 Is it just *Star Trek* fans who believe space is the final ..... ?
- 3 They went to court to decide where the ..... between their properties lay.

b) **shore** **coast** **beach** **seaside** **bank**


- 1 We lay on the ..... until the sun was too hot to bear.
- 2 We like to take our holidays at the .....
- 3 The south ..... of England is often referred to as the English Riviera.
- 4 We will have to go on ..... to get more supplies for the yacht.
- 5 He likes to sit on the river ..... and read a book.

c) **quay** **bay** **harbour**

- 1 He jumped off the boat onto the ..... and tied the rope to the post.
- 2 The ..... in Sydney is a world famous tourist attraction.
- 3 We had a room with a lovely view of the curving .....



- Multiple matching

**1 RNE**  You will hear six different speakers talking about holiday experiences. Match the speakers (1-6) to sentences A-G. Use each sentence only once. There is one extra sentence you do not need to use. Write your answers in the table.

- A I would like another holiday of this type soon.
- B I was pleasantly surprised.
- C I regret not checking for information.
- D I think it was worth the expense.
- E I wish more activities had been offered.
- F I would like to see more holiday destinations of this type.
- G I feel bad about listening to a friend.



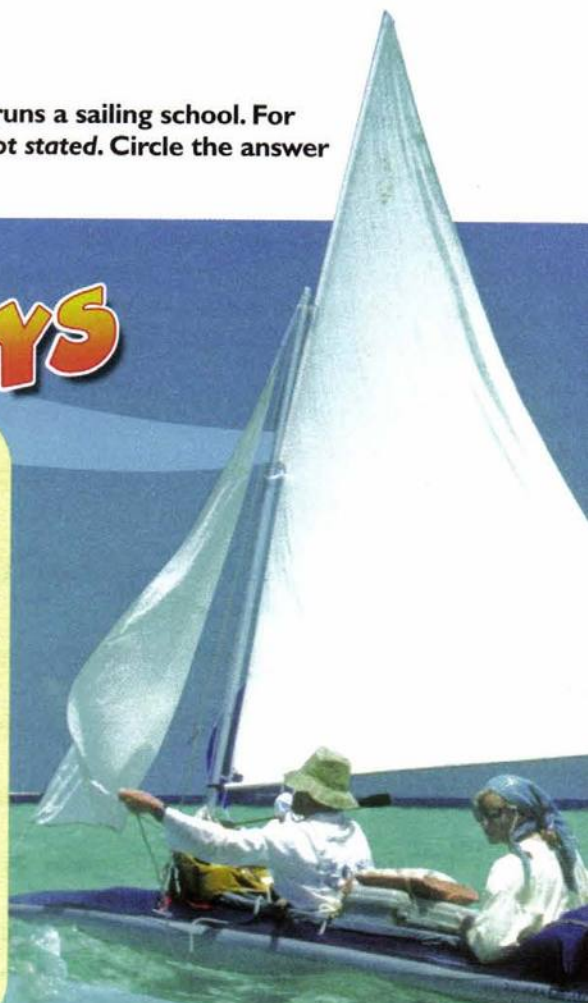
Speaker	1	2	3	4	5	6

- True, False, Not stated

**2 RNE**  You will hear an interview with a man who runs a sailing school. For statements 1-7, decide if each statement is True, False or Not stated. Circle the answer you choose.


## SAILING HOLIDAYS

- 1 The sailing school is open all the year.  
A True      B False      C Not stated
- 2 Students also learn about navigation.  
A True      B False      C Not stated
- 3 Students on the four-week course sail in groups of six.  
A True      B False      C Not stated
- 4 During the course, students learn about local culture.  
A True      B False      C Not stated
- 5 Peter Cowell lived in London.  
A True      B False      C Not stated
- 6 Students learn to work together.  
A True      B False      C Not stated
- 7 There is a test at the end of the course.  
A True      B False      C Not stated





- Multiple choice

**3 RNE**  You will hear an interview with a travel agent talking about alternative forms of tourism. For statements 1-7, choose A, B or C to complete each statement correctly. Circle the answer you choose.

- John's company provides
  - package deals to popular resorts.
  - holidays with independent organisations.
  - environmental holidays in Brazil.
- The overdevelopment of tourist resorts has resulted in
  - tourists no longer spending enough money on holidays.
  - damage to the environment and character of resorts.
  - the loss of the world's most beautiful places.
- According to John, a nature lover would enjoy
  - a walking holiday.
  - a beach holiday.
  - a spa holiday.
- John believes people should pay more for holidays
  - to stop people going on package deals.
  - because everyone can afford to pay more.
  - because they will get a better kind of holiday.
- John reacts to the suggestion that green holidays will never be popular by
  - criticising people's choice of holidays.
  - explaining that attitudes are changing.
  - accusing the interviewer of lying.
- John believes people will continue flying because
  - they don't care about the environment.
  - they don't know it harms the environment.
  - they enjoy holidays in hot countries.
- John hasn't been abroad recently because
  - he hasn't had the time.
  - he believes in promoting green tourism.
  - he prefers to go on holiday in his own country.



RNE

### Task 1 (3 – 3.5 minutes)

Give a talk on **travel**.

**Remember** to discuss:

- why people want to travel
- what means of transport people use to travel long distances, why?
- whether tourism is good for a country or not
- what you like to do during your holidays

You will have to talk for **1.5 – 2 minutes**. The examiner will listen until you have finished. Then he/she will ask you some questions.

**Extra questions:**

- Where would you like to go on holiday? Why?
- Which country would you most like to visit,? Why?
- Would you like to study/work/live in another country? Why/Why not?
- Which places would you recommend to someone visiting your country? Why?

### Task 2 (3 – 4 minutes)

You and a classmate have been asked to help choose the main event for International Week at your school. You can choose from:

- a talk by international students about the culture of their country
- a trip to a museum to see an exhibition about travel
- a visit to a travel agency to hear about unusual travel destinations
- a meal with international cuisine (French, Chinese, Greek, etc)

**Remember** to:

- discuss all the options
- be polite
- take an active part in the conversation
- come up with ideas
- give good reasons
- find out about your friend's opinions and take them into account
- invite your friend to come up with suggestions
- come to an agreement



## Reading

- 1 a) **RNE** Read the text and choose the correct parts of sentences (A-G) to complete gaps 1-6. There is one extra part of a sentence you do not need to use.

- A which reaches up towards South America
- B that are used by the scientists
- C which blows up from the frozen continent below
- D where having a stable, well-built base counts
- E who help to keep them alive
- F which roars through the mountains
- G and even fewer will go farther

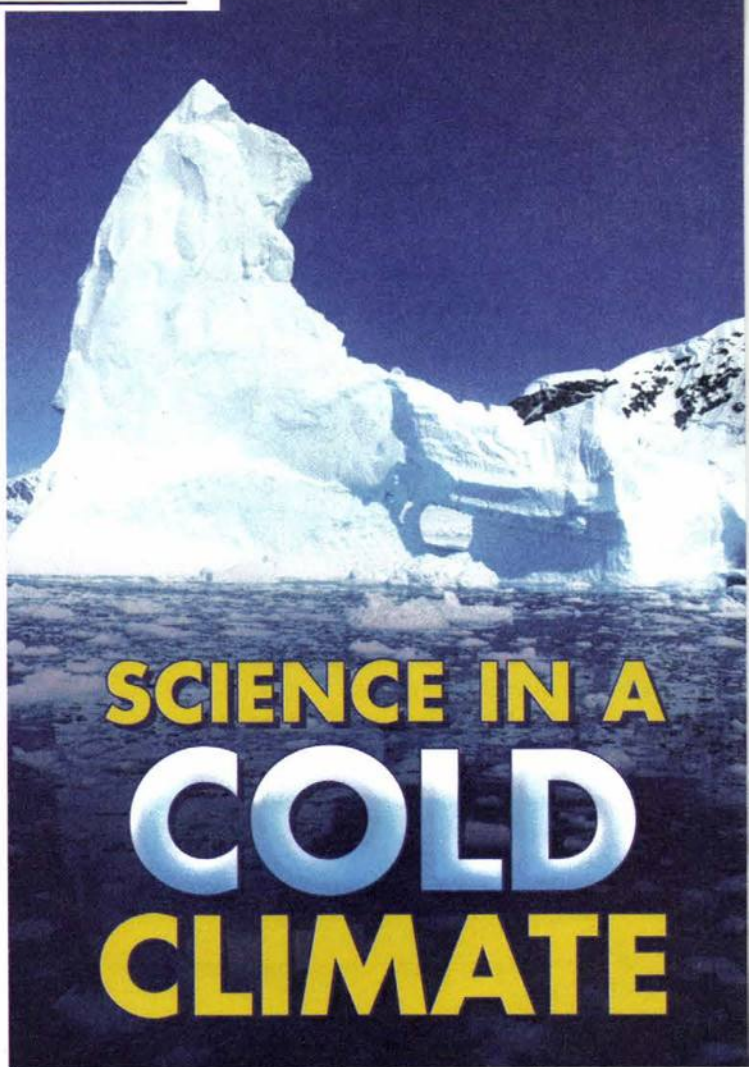
- b) Translate the last three paragraphs of the text into Russian.

## Vocabulary

- 2 Complete the sentences with one of the verbs in the list in the correct form.

pass approach intrude combine  
forecast convert drift slide

- 1 Although they ..... heavy showers, it turned out to be a lovely sunny day.
- 2 We ..... a lot of people out for a walk in the sunshine as we drove through the village.
- 3 They live in an old railway shed which they ..... into a beautiful house several years ago.
- 4 He left as soon as he realised that he ..... on a private conversation.
- 5 As the ship slowly ..... the harbour, we could see the passengers waving to us from the decks.
- 6 The paper boat we had put in the lake ..... away from us, blown by the wind.
- 7 She ..... the flour with a little water to make a paste.
- 8 The snake ..... slowly and silently over the rocks.



- 3 Underline the correct word.

- 1 It came as a bit of a jerk/shock to learn that Peter had lost his job.
- 2 An ability to stay calm in times of crisis is what measures/counts.
- 3 Even with modern technology, it is not easy to give a fully accurate/exact weather forecast.
- 4 The problem with furniture you assemble yourself is that it is not easy to fit/size the pieces together.
- 5 The Empty Quarter in the Arabian Peninsula is one of the most hostile/angry environments on Earth.
- 6 This is questionably/arguably the best book about Antarctica that has ever been written.
- 7 There are some beautiful beaches along this face/side of the peninsula.
- 8 Fortunately, they were able to make/struggle their way to safety.



Seeing an iceberg for the first time may arguably be the experience of a lifetime. As the white flecks begin to appear, you cannot stop yourself from reaching for your camera.

The journey south would be better by boat of course. In the aircraft cabin we cannot feel the chill wind [1]. However, as we approach we hear a shrill bell from the cockpit followed by the announcement: "Ladies and gentlemen, welcome to Antarctica."

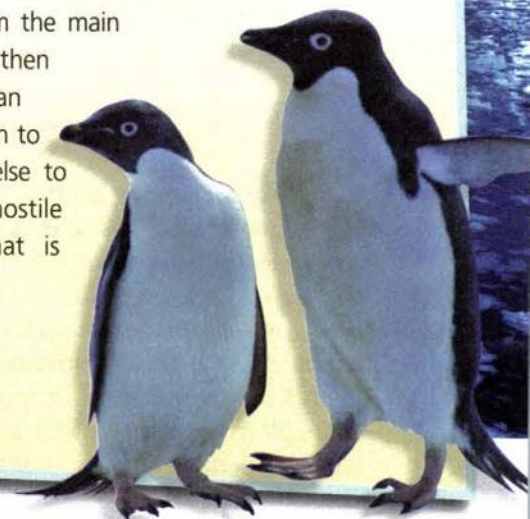
We are on the way to the scientific research station at Rothera. The base is on an island on the western side of the Antarctic peninsula [2]. It is almost on the edge of a massive floating ice sheet, and every year it slides closer to the open water. As the aircraft bursts through the clouds, it feels as if we are somehow intruding.

Our arrival at the research base comes as a shock. The metal prefabricated buildings on the slopes are a triumph of substance over style. The summer research season is in full swing when we arrive. Scientists with impressive qualifications live alongside the carpenters, electricians and mechanics [3]. The base's medical facilities are a fair size and the resident doctor has an office which can be converted into an operating theatre.

It was difficult to know exactly what to expect at Rothera, but it still came as a surprise to find the former, very influential, BBC weatherman, David Lee here. He receives images from the weather satellites that pass overhead and combines these with air pressure system diagrams to come up with weather forecasts [4].

Rothera is a fully active research base, and it is also a staging post for field parties carrying out research in the heart of the continent. Of the very few people who have visited the continent, most have never made it as far south as our present position [5].

The scientists and support workers here live in a very hostile environment [6]. Soon this base will have to be rebuilt before the ice it rests on breaks away from the main continent. Perhaps then the ice will form an iceberg, drifting north to welcome someone else to the spectacular, hostile white continent that is Antarctica.



#### 4 Choose the correct word to complete the sentences. Then translate the sentences into Russian.

- 1 He ..... for the telephone on his desk.  
A stretched    B reached    C extended    D pulled
- 2 The ..... that the factory would close shocked the workers.  
A statement    C broadcast  
B declaration    D announcement
- 3 Squirrels gather and store nuts to keep themselves ..... through the winter.  
A living    B lively    C alive    D live
- 4 Although he is not fully ..... yet, he is making a good recovery.  
A active    B vital    C energetic    D vigorous
- 5 The new railway line will take passengers right into the very ..... of the city.  
A focus    B core    C heart    D hub
- 6 The party was in full ..... when we got there.  
A swerve    B shake    C sway    D swing
- 7 I was so frightened by the sudden noise that I couldn't ..... myself shaking.  
A stop    B halt    C prevent    D avoid
- 8 The cottage ..... on a rocky slope and is surrounded by beautiful old beech trees.  
A resides    B rests    C remains    D reclines

#### 5 Complete the phrases with words from the list. Make your own sentences using the phrases.

medical    aircraft    impressive  
fully    weather    operating  
carrying out    air

- 1 ..... active
- 2 ..... theatre
- 3 ..... qualifications
- 4 ..... satellites
- 5 ..... research
- 6 ..... facilities
- 7 ..... pressure
- 8 ..... cabin



## Reading

- 1 a) You are going to read an article about festivals around the world. Match the headings (A-H) to extracts 1-7. Use each heading only once. There is one extra heading you do not need to use.

- A Call of the Wild
- B Bringing the past to life
- C A tribal gathering
- D Illegal no more
- E New Year's good luck
- F A tradition revived
- G Sporting Success
- H Variety and tradition

# Festivals of the World

1 Every summer, on the last Wednesday of August, thousands flock to Buñol in Spain to take part in the tomato festival. The thrilling climax of the festival is a huge food fight where people throw tons of tomatoes at each other. Legend has it that this strange tradition began in the 1940's when a squabble in the town got out of hand. Although it was outlawed for a number of years, the festival now attracts about thirty thousand visitors.

2 The Oniro Fire Festival is one of the largest fire festivals in Japan. It takes place every year on January 7th. Also known as 'Demon's Night', the purpose of the festival is to cleanse the local Shinto temple of evil spirits. During the festival, which is over 1,500 years old, six giant torches weighing over a ton each are set alight one by one as spectators pray for health and happiness in the coming year.

3 The Hermanus Whale Festival is a four-day festival held in South Africa every September in honour of the annual return of the Southern Right whales to the waters of Walker Bay. Apart from whale watching, the festival also has many concerts, art performances and other attractions for festival-goers to attend. While visitors are enjoying the attractions they don't need to worry about missing out on whale spotting, as Hermanus boasts the world's only 'whale crier' who alerts visitors to the arrival of whales on his kelp horn.

4 The largest medieval festival in England is held over the August bank holiday at Herstmonceux castle in Sussex. It includes a wide range of activities which really bring history to life for the visitors. There are battle reenactments, archery displays and spectacular parades as well as medieval taverns where visitors can sample medieval dishes. Youngsters are also well catered for at the festival and they are sure to enjoy the opportunity to learn more about life in the middle ages.

5 The Venice Carnival is a pre-Lenten festival where for one week the city is transformed into a huge costume party with music, dancing and acrobatic shows. The festival is an old tradition that went into decline in the 19th century but was brought back to life again in the 1970's. The modern carnival is not as rowdy as the original affair but it is still very colourful, with participants wearing fabulously elaborate masks and costumes. The carnival is so popular that the number of people staying in Venice doubles during the week of festivities.



6 The Teuila Festival, named after the national flower of Samoa, is an annual event celebrating the art and culture of the South Pacific islands of Samoa. Visitors to this unspoilt tropical paradise can enjoy a wide range of activities at the festival. There are many displays of traditional carving, weaving and dancing, as well as Samoan cricket tournaments, long boat races and a floral parade. There are flights from many places in the South Pacific to the Samoan capital of Apia, but the most accessible route is to take one of the direct flights that operate from New Zealand.

7 For a truly unique festival experience, come to The Festival of a Thousand Stars held every December in the centre of the Rift Valley in Ethiopia. The event attracts over 50,000 visitors a year, many from remote areas, who come to watch and take part in this festival of indigenous art and music. The main objective of the festival is to bring together the many different tribes of the Rift Valley region and to promote the wealth and diversity of its artistic traditions.

b) Translate texts 5 and 7 into Russian.

## Vocabulary

### 2 Choose the correct word.

- 1 The **origins/basis** of this tradition have been lost.
- 2 According to **legend/history**, King Arthur will return one day.
- 3 They hope to **appeal/attract** more tourists to the area.
- 4 These **unique/single** plants are found only in this part of the world.
- 5 Most of the **audience/spectators** were angry about the result of the match.
- 6 The restaurant has a wide range of **plates/dishes** to choose from.
- 7 We do our best to **supply/cater** for the needs of all our visitors.
- 8 If I was given the **opportunity/luck**, I would travel around the world.

### 3 Complete the sentences with the correct form of the verbs below.

alert	cleanse	boast	regain
flock	sample	outlaw	operate

- 1 The doctor says I must stay off work until I ..... my strength.
- 2 Last summer, record numbers of tourists ..... to the island.
- 3 I do meditation to help me ..... my mind of negative thoughts.
- 4 I really enjoyed ..... the different kinds of cheese at the dairy farm.
- 5 The government ..... some types of hunting already.
- 6 The police were ..... to the gang's activities by an informer.
- 7 The train service ..... from 8 am until midnight.
- 8 Simon couldn't resist ..... about his promotion.

### 4 Choose the correct answer, A, B or C. Then translate the sentences into Russian.

- 1 I had a really ..... dream last night.  
A alien      B strange      C foreign
- 2 It started out as a petty ..... and turned into a huge row.  
A hostility      B squabble      C conflict
- 3 The ..... of the report is to show where improvements can be made.  
A purpose      B reason      C plan
- 4 Some of the beaches are only ..... by boat.  
A available      B accessible      C approachable
- 5 We enjoyed watching the ..... at the carnival.  
A march      B walk      C parade

### 5 Fill in: main, year, bank, party, direct, event, alight, wide.

Make your own sentences using the phrases.

- |                   |                    |
|-------------------|--------------------|
| 1 ..... range     | 5 annual .....     |
| 2 ..... objective | 6 the coming ..... |
| 3 set .....       | 7 ..... flights    |
| 4 ..... holiday   | 8 costume .....    |



### • Multiple choice

- 1 **RNE** Read the text. For gaps 1-7, choose A, B, C or D to complete each gap correctly. Circle the answer you choose.

## DUBAI, THE CITY OF GOLD

Situated on the coast of the Persian Gulf, Dubai is one of the seven countries that today make up the United Arab Emirates. The capital, also named Dubai, was founded at the beginning of the 19th century, and, because of its 1) ..... location, it rapidly became popular with foreign tradesmen.

Today, Dubai is a modern, thriving city attracting an increasing 2) ..... of tourists. If you come here in the summer, however, be warned. The temperature can 3) ..... a high of over 47 degrees Celsius, so remember to drink plenty of water.



Dubai City is where everyone will want to start their sightseeing. Of course, you can visit one of the modern shopping malls, but for a completely different 4) ..... go to a souk – a traditional market that you can find in many parts of Dubai, selling clothes, jewellery, food and sculptures. One thing you will be expected to do is to 5) ..... with the shopkeeper before agreeing on a price. It is not just about 6) ..... a bargain, it is part of the culture.

There is no doubt that Dubai is an exciting place. It has been said that it is the fastest growing city in the world, with 800 people setting up home here every day! It really is a futuristic city that will 7) ..... your breath away.

- |                |              |            |            |
|----------------|--------------|------------|------------|
| 1 A prime      | B first      | C major    | D super    |
| 2 A total      | B number     | C amount   | D sum      |
| 3 A achieve    | B make       | C reach    | D realise  |
| 4 A occurrence | B experience | C event    | D incident |
| 5 A contract   | B bicker     | C quarrel  | D haggle   |
| 6 A selling    | B dealing    | C striking | D trading  |
| 7 A grasp      | B pull       | C snatch   | D take     |

### • Key word transformations

- 2 Complete the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the first sentence using the word given. Do not change the word given. You must use between two and five words including the word given. There is an example (0).

- |  |   |
|--|---|
| <p>0 I'm sure Lynn didn't mean to hurt my feelings.<br/><b>INTENTION</b> I'm sure Lynn <i>had no intention of</i> hurting my feelings.</p> <p>1 You should learn to drive now.<br/><b>TIME</b> It ..... to drive.</p> <p>2 The traffic will be heavy whichever route you take.<br/><b>MATTER</b> It doesn't ....., the traffic will be heavy.</p> <p>3 The Wilsons started learning French five years ago.<br/><b>BEEN</b> The Wilsons ..... five years.</p> <p>4 They all agreed with Mr Smith except for Steve.<br/><b>EXCEPTION</b> With ..... they all agreed.</p> | <p>5 They estimate that the journey will take five hours.<br/><b>ESTIMATED</b> The journey ..... five hours.</p> <p>6 I think you should book a package holiday to save money.<br/><b>WERE</b> If ..... book a package holiday to save money.</p> <p>7 "Did you do any snorkelling in the Bahamas?" she asked.<br/><b>HAD</b> She wanted to ..... any snorkelling in the Bahamas.</p> <p>8 Gary is able to type 90 words per minute.<br/><b>CAPABLE</b> Gary ..... 90 words per minute.</p> |
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- Tense formation

3 **RNE** Read the text and complete gaps 1-7 with the correct form and tense of each verb in capitals.

## Holiday Problems

Jack Preston couldn't believe what he was hearing. He and his family 1) ..... (just) a transatlantic flight only to arrive at their resort to find out there was no record of their reservations.

The clerk smiled nervously at him, as he tried to explain that they 2) ..... into a lower-grade hotel down the road.

"This is an outrage!" Jack shouted. "We spent weeks going through travel brochures before we 3) ..... your resort. Here is my confirmation to prove it."

The clerk examined the document, input something into his computer, looked up and 4) ..... "I'm sorry Mr Preston, but this 5) ..... all morning. In your case, it seems your travel agent mixed you up with another family with the same surname."

"Unbelievable!" said Jack angrily, "6) ..... (you) that this will take long? I mean the kids are exhausted after the 12-hour flight." "Don't worry. It won't take very long. Just a few more minutes and I'll have it all sorted out," said the clerk.

"I 7) ..... by the agent to bring the email confirmation with me as well. Here it is. Will this help?" asked Jack. "Perfect," said the clerk. "It proves that you booked with our hotel."

COMPLETE

BOOK

CHOOSE

SAY

GO ON

THINK

TELL

- Word formation

4 **RNE** Read the text and complete gaps 1-6 with the correct derivative of each word in capitals.

## How about an Eco-Holiday?



Are you tired of lying on the beach all day and baking in the sun? Are you eager to save our planet and meet like-minded people? If so, then one of our eco-tourism packages is the perfect 1) ..... for your upcoming holidays.

There is a wide variety of 2) ..... to choose from. Why not be a part of a group that regularly patrols the grounds of a Kenyan nature reserve? If you are more of a cold weather person, then maybe you can clean up oil spills in Alaska and help protect 3) ..... species.

Wherever you are, you can be certain of 4) ..... with unforgettable views. Whatever your choice, our organisation will 5) ..... that your time spent helping the environment will be a 6) ..... holiday experience.

SOLVE

ACTIVE

DANGER

ACCOMMODATE

SURE

SPECTACLE



### 1 Read the rubrics. Which asks you to:

- describe something?
- narrate an experience?
- respond to an invitation?

- 1 You have received a letter from your English-speaking pen friend, Beatrice, who writes:

... I'm going on a cycling weekend in the Peak District National Park in June with two friends. I know you've done something similar before. Did you enjoy it? Did you hire your bikes or did you take your own? How about coming to visit me that weekend and coming on the cycling trip with us?

I'm busy preparing for a presentation that I have to do at school about a foreign country...

Write a letter to Beatrice. In your letter:

- answer her questions
- ask 3 questions about the school presentation

Write 100-140 words. Remember the rules of letter writing.

- 2 You have just been on a day-trip with friends but unfortunately you had a terrible day. Write your English-speaking pen friend an email telling him/her exactly what happened and why the day was so awful (120-180 words).
- 3 You have just come back from a family holiday in England and unfortunately your mum left an important personal item in the hotel room. Write a letter to the manager of the hotel describing the item and asking him/her if it has been found (120-180 words).

- 2 a) Read the extracts and match them to the rubrics in Ex. 1. What style is each written in? Which uses: *narrative techniques*? *descriptive techniques*?

**A** ... As soon as we had got into the theme park, it started to rain heavily. Everyone began to put up their umbrellas and it became more and more difficult to keep up with my group in the crowd. Suddenly, I realised that my friends were nowhere to be seen. Then, just as I was about to call my best friend on my mobile, a man bumped into me, pushed me to the ground and snatched the phone out of my hand! ...

**B** ... You asked me about the cycling holiday I went on. Well, it was so much fun and the countryside was absolutely beautiful! We cycled through lovely little towns bordering a lake, with majestic snow-capped mountains in the background. We hired our bikes as it's much easier to do that than to transport your own. As for coming with you on your cycling weekend in June, I'd really love to, but unfortunately I can't. In June, I'll be...

**C** ... My mother thinks that she may have left the diary in the bottom drawer of the bedside table on the left of the bed. The diary is medium-sized, dark blue and leather-bound and it has her initials, TBY, engraved on the front in gold lettering. If you find the diary, would it be possible...

- b) Write appropriate beginnings/endings for each extract.

- 3 Read the email below which is written in the wrong style. Replace the formal words/phrases in bold with more suitable, informal ones from the list provided.

• Hi • party • is • start • invite you to • is

1) Dear Amanda,

I am writing to 2) **request your presence** at my birthday 3) **celebration**, which 4) **will take place** this Saturday.

The party 5) **will be held** at my house and celebrations will 6) **commence** at 7 pm.

• great • let me know • Love • can come  
• It would be great to see you • Susan

7) **Your attendance would be greatly welcomed.** If you could 8) **confirm** whether or not you 9) **will be able to attend** that would be 10) **most helpful**.

11) Kind regards,

12) Ms Adams



- 4 a) Read the letter and put the paragraphs in the correct order.



Dear James,

**A** Well, I hope you enjoy the DVD. Write and tell me what you thought!

**B** Where did you go to see the Shakespeare performance you told me about? Which play did you see? Was the acting good?

**C** In the film, Harry (played by Daniel Radcliffe) and Professor Dumbledore believe that Lord Voldemort has returned. So, Harry secretly begins training a small group of students which he calls 'Dumbledore's Army' — with the help of his best friends Hermione Granger and Ron Weasley, of course! It's an action-packed film with fantastic special effects and brilliant, effortless acting. I think it would be a great choice of film for you to watch with your friends!

**D** Thanks for your letter. How about watching *Harry Potter and the Order of the Phoenix* with your friends? It's the fifth in the series and my favourite so far!

Best Wishes,  
David

- b) Which adjectives does the writer use to describe the:

• special effects? • acting? • film?

- 5 a) Which of these adjectives could describe the plot, beginning/ending, characters? List them in the appropriate boxes.

• moving • gripping • original • disappointing  
• well-developed • evil • interesting • thrilling  
• tragic • confusing • excellent • believable  
• weak • surprising • shocking • strong  
• imaginative • complicated • unexpected

Plot	Beginning/ Ending	Characters

- b) Use the words from Ex. 5a to complete the sentences.

- I didn't find the storyline very ..... ; the ending in particular was very far-fetched.
- The plot was very ..... and I couldn't wait to find out how it would end.
- The special effects were good but the amount of blood in the film was a bit .....
- There were so many clues to follow that it was quite ..... and I lost track of the plot.
- The ending of the book was so ..... that it made me cry.
- The villain was such a(n) ..... character that I felt quite scared every time he came on the screen.

What does each sentence refer to:  
a film or a book?

- 6 Which of the sentences give a positive/negative recommendation/opinion?

- The story is totally original — I've never read anything like it before.
- The main character is completely unbelievable.
- This film will keep you entertained from start to finish.
- It was so thrilling, I was on the edge of my seat.
- The film is disappointing and not worth the price of the cinema ticket.

- 7 Think of a book and a film you like and write a recommendation for each.



## Vocabulary

### 1 Choose the correct item.

- 1 Youth hostels are a good ..... of accommodation when travelling on a budget.  
**A** preference                      **C** choice  
**B** pick                                **D** selection
- 2 The ..... across the desert was made impossible by the sandstorm.  
**A** stroll                              **C** trek  
**B** excursion                        **D** outing
- 3 The ..... vegetation in the jungle made it difficult to spot snakes and lizards.  
**A** strong                              **C** thick  
**B** elaborate                        **D** heavy
- 4 Living in an area with a(n) ..... climate, such as the desert, can be difficult.  
**A** arid                                 **C** humid  
**B** barren                              **D** dense
- 5 Most national museums contain ..... works of art.  
**A** worthless                        **C** worthwhile  
**B** costly                               **D** priceless
- 6 Foreign ..... is hard to obtain in some countries.  
**A** current                            **C** currency  
**B** cash                                **D** change
- 7 The mountain ..... illustrated in the brochure is breathtaking.  
**A** scenery                            **C** scene  
**B** set                                  **D** position
- 8 According to the latest news ....., three mountain climbers have been killed in the blizzard.  
**A** notification                      **C** bulletin  
**B** notice                              **D** announcement
- 9 When swimming in the Caribbean, it is not unusual to see ..... of fish in knee-deep water.  
**A** flocks                               **C** shoals  
**B** swarms                            **D** herds
- 10 Temperate climates are best for people who cannot tolerate ..... weather conditions.  
**A** drastic                              **C** extreme  
**B** radical                              **D** strict
- 11 The restaurant had a ..... atmosphere despite its uninviting exterior.  
**A** convenient                       **C** comfortable  
**B** cosy                                **D** confident
- 12 Our tour guide was very knowledgeable and bold so we ventured to places off the beaten .....  
**A** route                                **C** path  
**B** track                                **D** road
- 13 To increase revenues, the Ministry of Tourism has arranged for visitors to be ..... to and from the art exhibition.  
**A** travelled                         **C** moved  
**B** bussed                              **D** commuted
- 14 "You will need a tour guide if you want to make the most of your .....", said the travel agent.  
**A** voyage                              **C** travel  
**B** expedition                        **D** trip
- 15 It is not uncommon for tourists to become victims of ..... theft.  
**A** small                               **C** trivial  
**B** minor                               **D** petty
- 16 We took a(n) ..... of material to the shop in order to match the colour.  
**A** trial                                 **C** sample  
**B** illustration                       **D** taster
- 17 Visiting ..... monuments is a must when travelling abroad.  
**A** antique                            **C** oldest  
**B** out-of-date                       **D** historic
- 18 Many people ..... money from banks to buy a car.  
**A** lend                                **C** donate  
**B** borrow                            **D** invest
- 19 He has a darkroom where he ..... his own photographs.  
**A** makes                              **C** develops  
**B** shoots                              **D** loads
- 20 It is not necessary to put one's life in ..... to get an adrenalin rush.  
**A** risk                                 **C** threat  
**B** danger                              **D** hazard



## Grammar

### 2 Choose the correct item.

- 1 One of our ski instructors was wearing a ..... jumper.  
**A** red beautiful chenille  
**B** beautiful red chenille  
**C** beautiful chenille red  
**D** chenille beautiful red
- 2 "It's high time you ..... to use a computer," said the career counsellor.  
**A** learn                      **C** have learned  
**B** learnt                      **D** will learn
- 3 He didn't like working evening shifts but he eventually ..... it.  
**A** used to                      **C** got used to  
**B** was used to                      **D** is used to
- 4 Don't worry about finishing the report on time. I ..... you.  
**A** am helping                      **C** will have helped  
**B** will help                      **D** can have helped
- 5 He was charged ..... arson and will be serving a five-year sentence.  
**A** of                      **C** with  
**B** for                      **D** by
- 6 My neighbour loves travelling! He ..... on holiday five times this year.  
**A** went                      **C** has been  
**B** had been                      **D** will have been
- 7 Cynthia, ..... a novelist, has already published three books.  
**A** which is                      **C** that is  
**B** whose                      **D** who is
- 8 Unfortunately, the bicycle that Michael wants ..... for him to buy.  
**A** is as expensive                      **C** is too expensive  
**B** is most expensive                      **D** is expensive enough
- 9 "I wish you ..... biting your nails. It drives me crazy!" Suzy said.  
**A** would stop                      **C** wouldn't be  
**B** wouldn't                      **D** to stop
- 10 "That was ..... film ever! Remind me to avoid horror films in the future," she said.  
**A** the worst enough                      **C** the most worse  
**B** the worse                      **D** the worst
- 11 In spite of their long friendship, the two actors ..... after fighting over the same role.  
**A** stopped to talk                      **C** have stopped to talk  
**B** have stopped talking                      **D** are stopping to talk
- 12 "Look, there's Robert. Let's go and say hello."  
 "That ..... Robert. He's in Italy on business."  
**A** mustn't be                      **C** can't be  
**B** shouldn't be                      **D** wouldn't be
- 13 Kathy has always been a computer wizard. She ..... computers when she was five!  
**A** could use                      **C** able to use  
**B** could to use                      **D** is able to use
- 14 "Did you ..... off the light before leaving?"  
 "Of course I did. Have I ever forgotten before?"  
**A** remember turning                      **C** remember to turning  
**B** remember to turn                      **D** remembered to turn
- 15 Samantha's hair looks great because she ..... at the hairdresser's.  
**A** had done                      **C** did it  
**B** done it                      **D** had it done
- 16 When snorkelling in the Bahamas, one can see .... near the coral reef.  
**A** many colourful fish                      **C** any colourful fish  
**B** much colourful fish                      **D** lots colourful fish
- 17 "Would you mind telling me ..... a souvenir shop?" the woman asked me.  
**A** where can I find  
**B** where it can be found  
**C** where I can find  
**D** if I can find
- 18 ..... responsible for our fast-paced lifestyles.  
**A** The technologies are  
**B** The technology is  
**C** Technology is  
**D** Technologies are
- 19 "Don't worry about sharing your secret. It will remain ..... you and me," he said.  
**A** between                      **C** with  
**B** among                      **D** through
- 20 A large ..... of people attended the Olympic Games opening ceremony.  
**A** amount                      **C** number  
**B** quantity                      **D** percent



## Reading

- 1 a) **RNE** Read the text. For statements 1-7, choose A, B, C or D to complete each statement correctly. Circle the answer you choose.

I was struggling to get by. I had just moved to Gloucester from London and had taken the first job that I was offered as a cashier in a local supermarket. I was barely earning enough to do my weekly shopping and I yearned for the money I used to make back in London. As I couldn't afford my own place, I had settled for my best friend's sofa, but the hard cushions and backaches had made me realise that, above all else, I craved my old flat – my little sanctuary! I soon began to wonder if moving had been the right decision. That's when I heard a radio advert that changed my life...

"Looking for your own place but dreading the cost? Worry no more! You could live free for a year in the 'Enviro-House', one of Britain's first environmentally friendly homes. We're looking for a resident to live rent-free! For more details, visit [www...](http://www...)" My friend had heard about this 'carbon-neutral' house and he thought that it would be very difficult to stick to an energy-conserving routine. I should have considered this, or at least have been concerned about how many 'guests' would actually pass through. But, as I sat on the painfully uncomfortable sofa, the only thing in my head were the words... 'Live free, live free.'

I visited the website and entered the competition to become an 'eco-housemate'. I was one of three lucky finalists who had to battle it out for a place in the house live on local television. We had to cook a meal for five judges using a solar cooker and only organic vegetables and then face questions from the studio audience. The judges weren't impressed with my cooking and I thought I had lost. But, as I looked at my friends in the studio audience they all gave me smiles and the 'thumbs up' and it was just the confidence boost I needed. Thankfully, I made the audience laugh, they liked me and I was voted into the house.

The other finalists were keen environmentalists with a passion for the issue, unlike me. I had never really given it much attention to be honest, as it was insignificant to me. I joked with the audience that the only way I was going to learn was if they sent me to the house! They agreed. As I

moved into the house and tried to prepare for a drastic change in lifestyle, I suddenly became nervous and asked myself if I had considered everything thoroughly.

As I walked through the front door, I had worrying visions of living in a futuristic house, full of high-tech gadgets. I certainly wouldn't have been surprised to see a number of complex-looking machines. However, I was shocked to see the house was completely normal. In fact, it looked just like any other house. This eased my mind a bit, as I rarely find modern technology easy to understand, I prefer the simple life.

The heating system, water supply and electricity all worked in exactly the same way as they would in any other house in the UK. The only difference was that the house used renewable sources of energy. At first I thought the house would definitely need some fossil fuels, like coal and gas, but instead, solar panels and small wind turbines (which could be a little noisy at times!) were used to provide the hot water and electricity. The house didn't burn wood or oil either because smoke pollutes the atmosphere.

My experiences in the house made me look at the way I had lived my life in the past and how I should live it in the future. For example, it's neither difficult nor time-consuming to recycle, as long as you make it part of your daily routine. I also changed my perspective on which energy sources to use. I used to think solar panels were too expensive, but now I realise that although the initial cost is high, they actually save a lot of money over time. I've recognised that spending a few extra pounds is preferable to losing our beautiful planet. It's very simple to make those all-important changes; we just need the motivation to make them.



- 1 The writer missed London mainly because he no longer

- A earned a high salary.
- B had his own home.
- C lived an inner-city lifestyle.
- D shared a flat with his best friend.

- 2 After the writer heard the radio announcement, he thought

- A that he hated having to sleep on the uncomfortable sofa.
- B that he could have his own home without having to pay.
- C about how many people would visit the 'Enviro-House'.
- D he wouldn't be very good at energy conservation.



3 In line 30, when the writer says 'they' he is referring to

- A the audience.
- B the judges.
- C the finalists.
- D his friends.

4 Previously, when the writer thought about the environment, he

- A considered it unimportant.
- B felt very passionate about the issue.
- C became quite nervous.
- D found the issue rather funny.

5 As the writer entered the house, he was surprised that

- A the house looked futuristic.
- B the house had lots of complex machinery.
- C the technology was easy to understand.
- D the house looked the same as other houses.

6 As sources of energy, the house used

- A only coal and gas.
- B some fossil fuels plus solar and wind.
- C only renewable sources of energy.
- D only wood and oil.

7 The writer feels that recycling

- A takes a lot of time out of his daily routine.
- B is expensive to do.
- C doesn't take a long time if done daily.
- D is difficult to make a part of his daily routine.

b) Translate lines 57-76 from the text into Russian.

## Vocabulary

2 Choose the correct word to complete the sentences.

- 1 Drilling for oil has led to a ..... of natural resources.  
A deletion B depletion C subtraction D contraction
- 2 Environmental groups are passionate about ..... of the natural environment.  
A reservation B replacement C preservation D adjustment
- 3 Al Gore is leading a global ..... for environmental awareness.  
A operation B attack C campaign D action
- 4 Sometimes, I ..... for a simple life in the country.  
A want B choose C desire D yearn
- 5 Sunlight can be used as a form of ..... energy.  
A renewable B restorable C repeatable D reusable
- 6 I ..... the thought of children breathing polluted air.  
A tremble B dread C alarm D fear
- 7 Global warming has ..... my perspective on the weather.  
A replaced B changed C renewed D amended
- 8 It seems that some people simply lack the ..... to recycle.  
A inspiration B motive C purpose D motivation
- 9 His explanation ..... my mind somehow.  
A lessened B relieved C relaxed D eased
- 10 Once you start, it's relatively easy to ..... to a 'green' lifestyle.  
A stick B hold C abide D fasten

3 Fill in: *struggle, long for, settle for, stick, concern, joke in* the correct tense.

- 1 He won't ..... anything less than he deserves.
- 2 Fifty years ago few people were ..... about the environment.
- 3 Many animal species these days are ..... for survival.
- 4 Despite becoming rich and famous he ..... a simpler lifestyle.
- 5 I admire people who can ..... to their principles at all times.
- 6 The speaker made the lecture more interesting by ..... about the topic.

4 Choose the correct word. Then translate the sentences into Russian.

- 1 Jane **went/entered** the competition and won a week's holiday in Malta.
- 2 Councillors **met/faced** questions from environmentalists about why a recycling centre has not yet been built in the town.
- 3 Many environmentalists are calling for drastic **changes/amendments** in policy regarding industrial pollution.
- 4 If more people lived a **simple/plain** life, they would feel happier.
- 5 Although the **initial/opening** cost would be high, the long term benefits to the community would be worth it.
- 6 Using alternative energy **origins/sources** instead of fossil fuels would help to reduce CO<sub>2</sub> emissions.



# Module 4 Listening & Speaking

- Multiple matching

1 **RNE** (🎧) You will hear six different speakers. Match the speakers (1-6), to sentences A-G. Use each sentence only once. There is one extra sentence you do not need to use. Write your answers in the table.

- A I needed to ask someone for help.
- B I became ill.
- C I ignored a warning.
- D I arrived somewhere late.
- E I stayed somewhere too long.
- F I had possessions damaged.
- G I had to change travel plans at the last moment.



Speaker	1	2	3	4	5	6

- True, False, Not stated

2 **RNE** (🎧) You will hear an interview with a customs officer. For statements 1-7, decide if each statement is *True*, *False* or *Not stated*. Circle the answer you choose.

## Animal Souvenirs


- Ian says that British tourists prefer to visit exotic locations.  
A True      B False      C Not stated
- Sometimes, souvenirs are seized by customs officials.  
A True      B False      C Not stated
- It is illegal to bring any animal products into the country.  
A True      B False      C Not stated
- Ian says that crocodile handbags are a popular souvenir.  
A True      B False      C Not stated
- Travel companies usually provide a free information leaflet.  
A True      B False      C Not stated
- Pictures of animals under threat of extinction have been put onto suitcase labels.  
A True      B False      C Not stated
- Smuggled animals never survive long journeys.  
A True      B False      C Not stated







- Multiple choice

3 **RNE**  You will hear an interview with an environmentalist. For statements 1-7, choose A, B or C to complete each statement correctly. Circle the answer you choose.

- 1 Paula thinks British people should be interested in the marine environment because
  - A it provides work.
  - B they live on an island.
  - C it has a long coastline.
- 2 The European Union
  - A has listed the wildlife in British waters.
  - B has used the seas for waste disposal.
  - C has begun to tackle marine pollution.
- 3 The concentration of chemicals in the sea
  - A has risen.
  - B is now at safe levels.
  - C will take time to decrease.
- 4 Oil spills are a problem because
  - A they are difficult to deal with.
  - B there are too many oil platforms.
  - C the risk cannot be reduced.
- 5 Plastic waste in the sea
  - A isn't as dangerous as other kinds of waste.
  - B can be a significant danger to marine wildlife.
  - C has been reduced by recycling programmes.
- 6 Paula suggests people get involved in beach cleaning campaigns
  - A to help record the amount of litter found on them.
  - B so that they can adopt a local beach.
  - C before the litter problem becomes irreversible.
- 7 According to Paula, going to a UK beach is
  - A a good idea if you go to the right areas.
  - B good for your health.
  - C a dangerous experience.

### Task 1 (3 – 3.5 minutes)

Give a talk on **the environmental problem you are most concerned about**.

**Remember** to say:

- what the problem is and what caused it
- why you are so concerned about it
- what the effects of the problem are
- what you think should be done to improve the situation

You will have to talk for **1.5 – 2 minutes**. The examiner will listen until you have finished. Then he/she will ask you some questions.

**Extra questions:**

- Who is responsible for the problem?
- Are other people as concerned about this problem as you are?
- What has been done to clean up the environment in your area?
- Who do you think should be responsible for dealing with environmental problems?
- Do you think the world will be a better or a worse place in the future?
- How important is it to cooperate with other countries in dealing with these problems?

### Task 2 (3 – 4 minutes)

You and a classmate have been asked to help organise an activity for Environment Week at your school. You can choose from:

- a day of talks by experts on different environmental problems
- a photographic exhibition showing environmental problems in your area
- a visit to a recycling centre to see how waste materials can be reused
- one-hour workshop sessions on how to save energy in the home

**Remember** to:

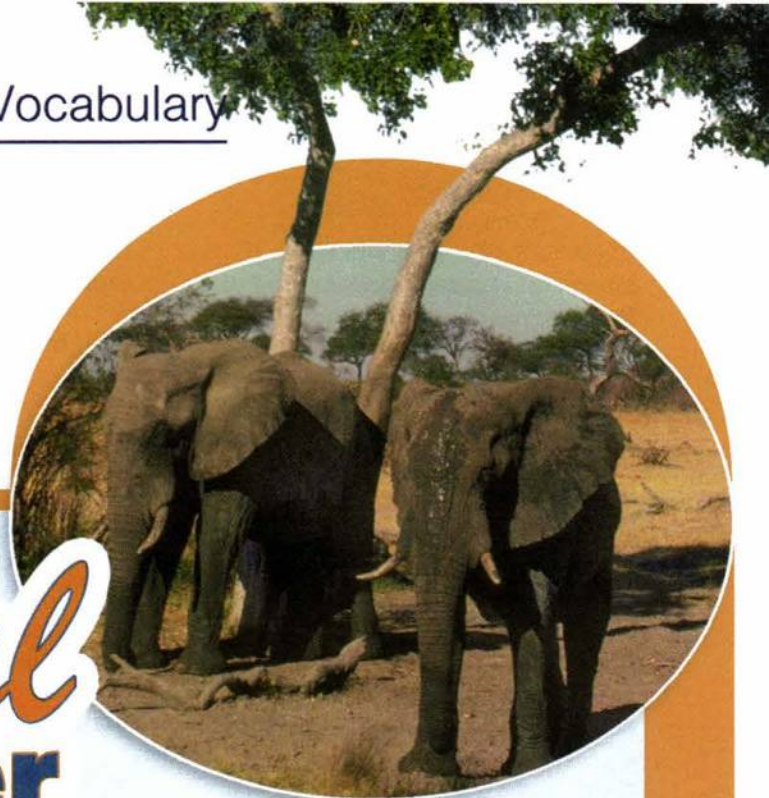
- discuss all the options
- be polite
- take an active part in the conversation
- come up with ideas
- give good reasons
- find out about your friend's opinions and take them into account
- invite your friend to come up with suggestions
- come to an agreement



Reading

- 1 a) **RNE** Read the text. Choose the correct parts of sentences (A-G) to complete gaps 1-6. There is one extra part of a sentence you do not need to use.
- b) Translate the last three paragraphs of the text into Russian.

# Animal Helper



As far back as I can remember, I have cared for animals. From the age of six, I had a pet dog, a cat, and even a goldfish. On my eighth birthday, my father took me to a huge pet shop and told me I could choose whatever I wanted. As I gazed into the glass tanks, I spotted a magnificent iguana, **1**. My father knew from the excited expression on my face that I had made my decision.

My pet iguana, or 'Jimmy' as he quickly came to be known, was a real inspiration to me. As I watched him wander around his cage, I began to wonder about what weird and wonderful creatures there might be out there **2**. I began to read everything I could lay my hands on about animals.

During my teens, my interest in animals grew and I started to become concerned about animal welfare and protection. The more I read about the many endangered species in the world, the more I felt that I had a duty to protect them. When I was 18, I went to university to study zoology. Obtaining my degree wasn't at all like work for me **3**. While at university, I also gained valuable experience volunteering at a zoo. By the time graduation day came, I had learnt enough, and gained enough first-hand experience, to know that I wanted to be a park ranger.

Fresh out of university, I was lucky enough to gain employment at the famous West Midlands Safari Park. It was my dream job and I was incredibly excited, **4**. I'd worked with small, exotic animals, but I had never been in actual contact with any of the larger ones before.

On my first day, I came face to face with two fully-grown African elephants and three adult tigers. My task was a small but important one – I was to help the keeper who was in charge of feeding them. Feeding such magnificent beasts is something you are unlikely to ever forget. It is a truly humbling experience, **5**.

Safari Parks are a wonderful environment for captive animals because the animals are not penned in but are instead allowed to roam free. People make the mistake of thinking that the animals are in cages, but the aim is for their lives to be as close as possible to the lives they would have lived naturally **6**.

Sadly, there are people who like to hunt some of these creatures. As a ranger, part of my job is to educate the public about animals. I believe that education is the best weapon in the fight to save these animals and other threatened wildlife.



- A in the wild
- B as the power and beauty of these animals takes your breath away
- C because the subject matter was so fascinating
- D in the world
- E because of animal conservation
- F and I didn't need to say anything
- G although I was also somewhat nervous

## Vocabulary

### 2 Underline the correct word.

- 1 Due to factors such as poaching and climate change, many animals are fighting for **life/survival**.
- 2 As Dave was interested in **alive/living** things, he chose to study zoology.
- 3 The vet became more **familiar/aware** with the animals the longer he worked with them.
- 4 It is thought that elephants can **remember/remind** many things from the past.
- 5 The **affects/effects** of climate change on animals are worse than one might think.
- 6 It is **unlawful/unlicensed** to hunt foxes in the UK.
- 7 More and more people are becoming interested in the **protection/security** of animals.
- 8 After the lion was treated for its illness, it was **discharged/released** back into the wild.

### 3 Choose the correct word to complete the sentences.

- 1 I've ..... my decision, I'm going to be a vet.  
A fixed      B done      C got      D made
- 2 Ted has ..... his life to the care and protection of animals.  
A devoted      B applied      C reserved      D assigned
- 3 We all ..... a duty to protect the environment.  
A meet      B have      C face      D make
- 4 When I saw the pup for the first time, it ..... my breath away.  
A took      B moved      C brought      D carried
- 5 Many people confuse a park ranger with a zookeeper, it's a(n) ..... mistake.  
A ordinary      B common      C regular      D standard
- 6 As a vet, he often sees animals injured and that is the saddest ..... of his job.  
A point      B side      C aspect      D situation
- 7 Tom worked at the local zoo to ..... experience working with animals.  
A gain      B receive      C collect      D gather
- 8 Lisa joined an animal rights group to get in ..... with people who felt the same way as her.  
A contact      B connection      C association      D communication

### 4 Fill in: care, grow, explore, live, roam, intend, appreciate or ensure in the correct form. Then translate the sentences into Russian.

- 1 I wish people and animals could ..... in harmony.
- 2 We need to do a lot more to ..... the safety of many animals in the wild.
- 3 Safari parks have enough space for animals to ..... free.
- 4 Jane loves ..... for animals. She should be a vet when she grows up.
- 5 I didn't ..... how hard a ranger's job is until I saw a documentary about it.
- 6 My interest in dinosaurs ..... after I visited the Natural Science Museum.
- 7 The animal walked back and forth ..... its new surroundings.
- 8 When I finish school, I ..... to go to college to study to be a vet.

### 5 Fill in: firsthand, ranger, endangered, inspiration, dream, welfare, animal, public, natural or wild.

#### Make your own sentences using the phrases.

- 1 ..... species
- 2 ..... job
- 3 in the .....
- 4 animal .....
- 5 educate the .....
- 6 ..... experience
- 7 a real .....
- 8 park .....
- 9 ..... kingdom
- 10 ..... habitat



## Reading

- 1 a) Match the headings (A-H) to extracts 1-7. Use each heading only once. There is one extra heading you do not need to use.

- A Getting what they deserve
- B Undercover investigations
- C Winning ways
- D Farming for the future
- E Together with nature
- F Studying the seas
- G Holding them to their word
- H Underwater reconstruction

- b) Translate texts 1 and 4 into Russian.

## Vocabulary

- 2 Choose the correct word.
- 1 Sarah is one of the few people I know who has a **vision/view** of a future without pollution.
  - 2 We can all make a **difference/contrast** to the future if we make some changes now.
  - 3 Frank forgot to **declare/mention** a few important things at the community meeting.
  - 4 If you join an environmental group, you will have the **opportunity/occasion** to meet new people as well as help save the planet.
  - 5 We should all do as much as we can to reduce the **influence/impact** we have on the environment.
  - 6 Any environmental problems we can solve now will **develop/improve** the quality of people's lives in the future.
  - 7 We can achieve a lot more if we all work **hard/hardly** together.
  - 8 My teacher won a prestigious **honour/award** from our local MP for his environmental work.

# ECOLOGICAL Organisations

1 Located in Scotland, the Findhorn Foundation aims to foster an awareness that our survival on Earth depends on a balanced relationship with the natural world. It promotes ways of living that protect the environment and improve the lives of everyone in the community. The Findhorn eco-village produces its own organic food, erects eco-houses and has renewable energy systems. Many people from around the world come to the village each year to learn about the Findhorn Foundation's way of life.

2 ONE, an organisation with 2 million members, wants governments to keep their promises to improve life for the people of Africa. It does this by raising public awareness of the issues. ONE campaigns to get rid of hunger, provide education, wipe out disease and bring about sustainable development. With the invaluable support of celebrities like Sir Bob Geldof, ONE is working towards a better future for the African continent.

3 The Global Coral Reef Alliance (GCRA) was set up to reduce the damage done to one of the world's most fragile marine ecosystems: coral reefs. The organisation works with governments and other organisations to preserve, restore and rebuild coral reefs around the world. The GCRA uses a special technique to grow coral and help reefs recover from the effects of disease and man-made destruction.

4 Eco-Schools is an international programme which is designed to encourage schools to get involved in environmental projects. Environmental education is not just part of the lesson, but an important part of the students' lives. Schools also benefit financially from the advice the programme gives on reducing waste and implementing recycling schemes. A highly-valued award – the Green Flag – is given to schools that show they are committed to the highest environmental standards.



**3 Fill in: foster, erect, protect, ensure, carry out, set up, aim, reduce, benefit, implement in the correct form.**

- 1 The town council ..... a new system to deal with waste disposal last year and so far it is working well.
- 2 The people in my town ..... a barricade last night to stop heavy goods vehicles from driving through.
- 3 We should all try to ..... our waste, reuse things and recycle as much as possible.
- 4 It is our duty to do more to ..... the Earth's ecosystem.
- 5 My school has ..... a paper recycling scheme.
- 6 I want to join a group that ..... conservation work in the local area.
- 7 The new park will ..... the whole community.
- 8 I ..... to be a marine conservationist when I grow up.
- 9 Schools should try hard to ..... a sense of responsibility for the environment in young people.
- 10 The only way to ..... the future of our planet is to take positive action today.

**5** Reef Conservation International is a non-profit company that focuses on marine conservation in places such as Belize in the Caribbean and the Red Sea in Egypt. Projects include checking water quality and measuring pollution levels as well as carrying out surveys and helping protect turtles. People who would like to combine environmental work with a holiday should consider a trip with RCI. Their marine conservation holidays are open to anyone aged 18 or over.

**6** The Environmental Investigation Agency is a highly-respected organisation dedicated to exposing crimes against endangered wildlife and the environment. The EIA work secretly to gather evidence and then present it to the media, governments and policy-makers. They are involved in a wide range of projects which include preventing illegal logging in rainforests and highlighting threats to the big cats of Asia.

**7** Do you know where your food comes from? Do you know where the money you pay for the food goes? The Fairtrade Foundation was set up to ensure that the people who grew the food in the first place get their fair share of the profits. The money the workers receive goes towards improving communities and developing farming methods. When you buy a product from the Fairtrade range, you can be sure that the money you pay will go into the pockets of those who need it most.

**4 Choose the correct word to complete the sentences. Then translate the sentences into Russian.**

- 1 Learning more about the environment gave me the ..... to transform my lifestyle.  
A insight C influence  
B inspiration D creativity
- 2 This travel company ..... trips to places that need volunteers for conservation work.  
A suggests C offers  
B presents D affords
- 3 A great way to be more environmentally friendly is to ..... your own food.  
A grow C develop  
B raise D mature
- 4 The government should do more to ..... the use of renewable energy.  
A promote C back  
B help D assist
- 5 My dream is to travel deep into the ..... of the African jungle and see the wildlife.  
A centre C middle  
B heart D focus
- 6 The local council is ..... to high standards of environmental practice.  
A devoted C engaged  
B enthusiastic D committed
- 7 Although the ..... construction costs of environmentally friendly houses are high, they are very economical in the long run.  
A introductory C first  
B opening D initial
- 8 Tom tries to ..... in every environmental campaign or scheme that he can.  
A participate C play  
B involve D share
- 9 If I were you, I would ..... starting a recycling scheme in the town.  
A consider C regard  
B think D judge
- 10 Small changes we make now will benefit the environment in the years to .....  
A turn C draw  
B show D come



- Multiple choice

- 1 **RNE** Read the text. For gaps 1-7, choose A, B, C or D to complete each gap correctly. Circle the answer you choose.

## Swamp Man

Daniel Hooper (also known as 'Swampy') became a 1) ..... hero during the mid 1990's. Swampy and his fellow campaigners were concerned that the 2) ..... of a major road in the town of Newbury would damage local ecosystems and have a serious impact on the environment.

The activists 3) ..... that they wouldn't move from the area until the development was cancelled. However, the builders were 4) ..... to do their job. Swampy could have given in, but he felt it was time for drastic action and dug an underground tunnel, while his

fellow activists lived in tree houses. As a 5) ....., the builders were unable to continue.

6) ..... the protester was pulled out of his hiding place. The self-styled eco-warrior may have lost the battle, but he had won the war. The builders had to promise

to keep the wildlife in the area safe and the government said that all future road projects would be designed to do more to protect the environment – a 7) ..... change of policy. It just goes to show what a little peaceful protest can do!

- |              |                |               |              |
|--------------|----------------|---------------|--------------|
| 1 A national | B public       | C social      | D general    |
| 2 A making   | B construction | C composition | D production |
| 3 A judged   | B decided      | C assessed    | D concluded  |
| 4 A firm     | B set          | C fixed       | D determined |
| 5 A result   | B fact         | C conclusion  | D product    |
| 6 A Lastly   | B Already      | C Eventually  | D Sometime   |
| 7 A complete | B full         | C thorough    | D whole      |

- Key word transformations

- 2 Complete the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the first sentence using the word given. Do not change the word given. You must use between two and five words including the word given. There is an example (0).

- |   |   |
|---|---|
| 0 They have put off their wedding until next year.<br><b>POSTPONED</b> Their wedding <i>has been postponed</i> until next year.           | 5 You can't hunt animals in the wildlife reserve.<br><b>FORBIDDEN</b> It .....<br>hunt animals in the wildlife reserve.   |
| 1 She regrets not going on safari.<br><b>WISHES</b> She .....<br>..... on safari.   | 6 The law has failed to prevent chemicals from being dumped into the sea.<br><b>SUCCEEDED</b> The law has .....<br>..... chemicals<br>from being dumped into the sea. |
| 2 Jerry wrote an article on deforestation in the Congo.<br><b>WRITTEN</b> The article on deforestation in the Congo .....<br>..... Jerry. | 7 "Whose is this cat?" he asked.<br><b>BELONG</b> "Who .....<br>.....?"<br>he asked.  |
| 3 Someone should put out the forest fire soon.<br><b>NEEDS</b> The forest fire .....<br>..... soon.                                       | 8 He often gets bored during the holidays.<br><b>TENDENCY</b> He .....<br>..... bored during<br>the holidays.   |
| 4 It's unusual for Tony to be rude.<br><b>LIKE</b> It is .....<br>..... rude.   |   |



• Tense formation

• Word formation

**3 RNE** Read the text and complete gaps 1-7 with the correct form and tense of each verb in capitals.

**4 RNE** Read the text and complete gaps 1-6 with the correct derivative of each word in capitals.

The departure lounge was full of Spanish-speaking passengers. Michelle 1) ..... (just) three weeks camping in the great outdoors in Andalusia, Spain and now she was ready to go home.

There was an announcement in Spanish and everyone quieted down to listen. As soon as the speaker 2) ..... what he had wanted to say, everyone started talking excitedly. Michelle felt that it 3) ..... good news, so she asked the man sitting next to her, "Excuse me, sir, but what was the announcement about?"

"Ah, yes. The man on the speaker. Well, he said that the flight 4) ..... for at least an hour. Something about severe weather over Europe," answered the man.

"Oh, no!" said Michelle, "I 5) ..... a speech at a seminar tomorrow morning and I have to get home in time to prepare."

Michelle was really annoyed now. She looked at her watch and exclaimed, "We 6) ..... (already) a one-hour delay. The flight was scheduled for five."

The man smiled and said, "If I were you, I 7) ..... a magazine and sit back and relax. Climate change is really having an effect on travel these days and delays are now very common."

SPEND

FINISH

NOT BE

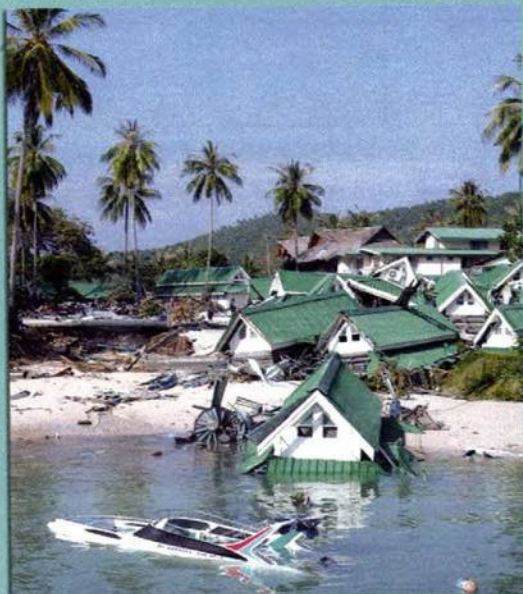
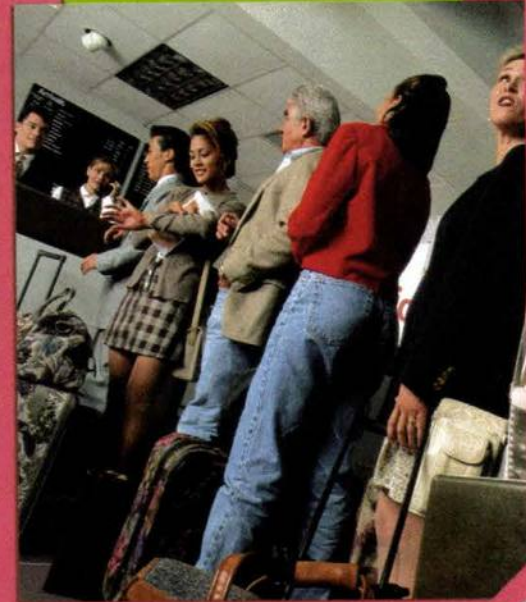
DELAY

GIVE

HAVE

GRAB

## Travelling Blues



## The Deadly Tsunami

On 26th December 2006, as millions of people went about their daily business, nobody would have suspected that a natural disaster was about to occur.

At 1) ..... 8:00 am local time, an undersea earthquake occurred off the western coast of Sumatra, Indonesia. The huge tremor resulted in a devastating tsunami which battered the coastlines of numerous countries, including India, Sri Lanka and Thailand.

The 2) ..... force of these destructive waves was enough to break trees in half and cause houses to collapse completely. Within seconds, picturesque villages were turned into piles of rubble. Nobody was spared in this 3) ..... act of nature, from villagers going about their business to 4) ..... who had been enjoying the 5) ..... .

Only in the aftermath of the disaster did the world realise how powerful the tsunami had been. Despite the speedy provision of humanitarian aid, nearly 250,000 people died and 1.69 million were left 6) ..... .

APPROXIMATE

BELIEVABLE

CATASTROPHE

TOUR  
SCENE

HOME



- 1 Match the introductions and conclusions below and say which technique has been used in each one.

### Introductions

- 1 Twenty years after the world's worst nuclear disaster, in which up to 200,000 people died, nuclear power plants are still being built. How can some scientists insist that nuclear power is safe in the face of overwhelming evidence that suggests the opposite?
- 2 Have you ever passed a homeless person on your way to work and wondered how he or she got there? The next victim may be you! As more and more people get into debt, and lose their jobs or their social support, they also lose their ability to provide shelter for themselves. This problem, however, has many solutions.
- 3 Beauty is in the eye of the beholder. Can we use this saying to justify the display of any type of art, no matter how unconventional or controversial it may be?

#### Techniques for introductions

- start with objective statement
- make reference to an interesting scene/situation
- address reader directly
- a quotation/a rhetorical question
- state problem that needs solution

- 2 Read the model, then complete the table with the points the writer makes for/against the topic.

For	Against

### Conclusions

- A When considering how advanced our technology is, it is shameful to think that we cannot solve a problem such as homelessness. It seems to me that a little more compassion and a little less greed would make a big difference for those less fortunate than us.
- B No one can deny that the natural resources we use to produce power will not last forever. But does the solution lie in putting our health and our lives at risk? More research needs to be done to determine whether we can use nuclear power safely.
- C Freedom of expression is what art thrives on and should be protected. Whether an artist has the right to display a piece of art is a complex issue which every society must decide on for itself. After all, as G.K. Chesterton said, "Art, like morality, consists of drawing a line somewhere."

#### Techniques for conclusions

- your opinion on the topic
- a statement giving the reader something to consider
- a quotation or rhetorical question

## The Advantages and Disadvantages of SPACE TRAVEL

According to Gene Roddenberry, the creator of *Star Trek*, "space is the final frontier". Whether you believe this or not, we have already made small steps into space. Some people say it is only a matter of time before we will send men to Mars and even explore beyond our solar system. Others think we should look after our own planet before we try to visit others.

**On the one hand**, there may be a number of benefits to space exploration. **Firstly**, space travel will require a lot of specialised equipment and developing it will provide jobs for many people. **Secondly**, the new inventions that are created may also be useful for people on Earth. **Also**, space exploration requires advances in technology and knowledge especially in the areas of energy and mechanics. This new knowledge may provide solutions to

problems on this planet. **Finally**, it may help us find a second home as one day Earth may not be big enough.

**On the other hand**, **however**, there are also many drawbacks to exploring space. **To start with**, the billions of dollars that will be spent on it could be put to better use solving the problems we have now, such as world hunger. **Furthermore**, some of the new technology developed for space exploration could be used for harmful purposes in the wrong hands.

**All things considered**, it seems that the advantages outweigh the disadvantages. We need to use careful planning and good judgement to help us to invest in and use space technology wisely. Only time will tell if this is what will happen.



3 a) Read the paragraphs of an essay below and choose the correct topic sentences to fill in the gaps (A & B).

- 1 However, installing solar power in all homes would not be without its disadvantages.
- 2 I am totally against installing solar power in all homes.
- 3 On the one hand, there are some clear advantages to installing solar power in all homes.
- 4 In my opinion, all homes should definitely have solar panels installed.

b) Choose the correct linking words. What issue is being discussed? What points are made for and against the issue? What justifications/examples support the points?

.....  
 .....  
 .....  
 .....

**A** .....  
**Firstly/Therefore**, using the sun's energy more is good for our planet. **Moreover/For example**, solar energy is a very clean form of energy that does not pollute. **Secondly/As a result**, unlike non-renewable energy sources like oil and gas, solar energy will never run out. **Therefore/However**, the people who use it depend less on oil, which can be very expensive and sometimes even in short supply.

**B** .....  
**On the other hand/To start with**, the amount of energy that solar panels create varies. **For instance/Nonetheless**, the sun is weaker in the winter, on cloudy days and in colder countries. **In addition/However**, solar panels can be expensive to install. **Finally/For this reason**, some households may not be able to afford to install them.

.....  
 .....  
 .....  
 .....



4 Write a possible introduction and conclusion to the essay.

5 Write supporting sentences to match the topic sentences below. Use appropriate linking words. Compare with your partner.

- 1 On the one hand, there are many points in favour of owning a pet.
- 2 On the other hand, there are several disadvantages to having your own car.

6 Match the quotations to the paragraphs. Which paragraphs are: introductions? conclusions?

**A** "We do not inherit the Earth from our ancestors, we borrow it from our children."

**B** "Tell me what you eat, I'll tell you who you are."

**C** "When I see an adult on a bicycle, I do not despair for the future of the human race."

**1** To sum up, although there are some disadvantages to totally banning the use of plastic bags, I believe that on the whole taking drastic actions like this is necessary for the future of our planet. As the native American proverb says, .....

**2** All in all, while there are certainly some disadvantages associated with organic food, in my opinion there are more advantages and we should all consume more of it. As Anthelme Brillat-Savarin once said, .....

**3** H.G. Wells once said, .....  
 Without a doubt, congestion and pollution from car exhausts would almost disappear if everyone cycled around towns and cities instead of driving. However, there would be both advantages and disadvantages of this.

7 Read the rubric. Then write your essay.

The playwright Jacques Deval once said, "God loved the birds and invented trees. Man loved the birds and invented cages."

What is your opinion about keeping wildlife in zoos? (200-250 words)



## Vocabulary

### 1 Choose the correct item.

- 1 The government should do more to promote environmental .....  
**A** understanding      **C** awareness  
**B** knowledge      **D** recognition
- 2 Peter ..... his father whereas Paul is more like his mother.  
**A** takes up      **C** takes after  
**B** takes down      **D** takes to
- 3 I can't believe the storm was so .....  
**A** destructive      **C** harmful  
**B** risky      **D** hurtful
- 4 The burning of fossil fuels is causing a shortage in natural .....  
**A** assets      **C** wealth  
**B** supplies      **D** resources
- 5 The drought is having a terrible ..... on the crops because the land is so dry.  
**A** result      **C** outcome  
**B** consequence      **D** effect
- 6 More needs to be done to protect endangered species from ..... who illegally hunt them.  
**A** trespassers      **C** intruders  
**B** poachers      **D** invaders
- 7 Our children are going to ..... the planet, so we have to take care of it for them!  
**A** inherit      **C** receive  
**B** win      **D** gain
- 8 I love crisps but they are very ..... in fat.  
**A** strong      **C** high  
**B** full      **D** great
- 9 Jenny is involved in environmental activism and often attends Greenpeace .....  
**A** objections      **C** spectacles  
**B** riots      **D** demonstrations
- 10 There are fewer trees and plants in the city than there are in ..... areas.  
**A** rural      **C** suburb  
**B** urban      **D** central
- 11 We have to ..... to those horrible people who harm animals because it is wrong!  
**A** sit down      **C** play up  
**B** stand up      **D** give back
- 12 John is a(n) ..... for 'Friends of the Earth UK'.  
**A** helper      **C** volunteer  
**B** assistant      **D** participant
- 13 The force of the hurricane was so strong that the roof of Kelly's house was ..... off.  
**A** ripped      **C** tapped  
**B** smashed      **D** knocked
- 14 Wow! The fog is so ..... I can barely see a thing outside!  
**A** strong      **C** concentrated  
**B** powerful      **D** thick
- 15 I think that global warming is going to have terrible ..... for life on Earth.  
**A** causes      **C** consequences  
**B** effects      **D** results
- 16 Poachers aren't being punished enough for their crimes; many are ..... without charges.  
**A** put down      **C** set on  
**B** let off      **D** kept up
- 17 The Amazon rainforest is ..... by many rare species of animal.  
**A** resided      **C** lived  
**B** occupied      **D** inhabited
- 18 Forecasters are predicting a heat wave with temperatures ..... up to 47 °C.  
**A** reaching      **C** making  
**B** arriving      **D** coming
- 19 It's not raining that much; it's only a little .....!  
**A** storm      **C** drizzle  
**B** flood      **D** blizzard
- 20 Al Gore is ..... free copies of his documentary to schools.  
**A** putting back      **C** handing off  
**B** setting up      **D** giving away



## Grammar

### 2 Choose the correct item.

- 1 The hole in the ozone layer ..... by mankind's use of dangerous gases.  
**A** has caused                      **C** was causing  
**B** was caused                      **D** is causing
- 2 He's going to take a map in case he ..... lost.  
**A** will get                          **C** gets  
**B** would get                      **D** got
- 3 ..... told about the effects of driving a petrol car, I would have bought a hybrid one instead.  
**A** Had I                              **C** I had been  
**B** I had                                **D** Had I been
- 4 Robbie won't eat meat and neither ..... Kevin.  
**A** does                                **C** won't  
**B** can                                  **D** will
- 5 If the government ..... with environmental groups more, we would be able to stop global warming.  
**A** collaborated                      **C** has collaborated  
**B** have collaborated                **D** will collaborate
- 6 We should stop ..... our cars so much.  
**A** use                                  **C** to use  
**B** to using                          **D** using
- 7 Tests ..... conducted by scientists recently to determine the causes of global warming.  
**A** have been                          **C** had been  
**B** were being                        **D** will have been
- 8 If only I had known about the thunderstorm, I ..... turned off my electrical appliances.  
**A** would                              **C** wouldn't have  
**B** wouldn't                          **D** would have
- 9 No proof of the effects of noise pollution on fish ..... found.  
**A** could be                          **C** should be  
**B** would be                          **D** must be
- 10 If he doesn't start eating healthily, he ..... become ill.  
**A** will                                  **C** would  
**B** won't                                **D** wouldn't
- 11 Under no circumstances ..... purchase tiger fur, as it is illegal and contributes to animal cruelty.  
**A** could you                          **C** did you  
**B** should you                        **D** would you
- 12 I wish Daniel ..... behaved himself at the reception.  
**A** have                                **C** would  
**B** had                                  **D** should
- 13 Yesterday's anti-nuclear energy protest ..... coordinated by Greenpeace.  
**A** will have been                      **C** were being  
**B** had been                          **D** was
- 14 ..... does she plant trees, she encourages others to do it too!  
**A** Neither                              **C** Not only  
**B** If only                                **D** No sooner
- 15 Believe it or not, the amount of electricity you use in your house can have a big impact ..... the environment.  
**A** on                                      **C** in  
**B** at                                        **D** to
- 16 If Karen ..... joined the group, she would have been able to attend the meeting.  
**A** have                                  **C** hadn't  
**B** had                                      **D** haven't
- 17 New environmental laws ..... suggested at the international conference next month.  
**A** will be                                **C** have been  
**B** were being                          **D** are being
- 18 Not since the council put up barriers ..... suffered from flooding.  
**A** had we                                **C** have we  
**B** we had                                **D** we have
- 19 The blizzard ..... the villagers in their homes for three days before the rescue teams got to them.  
**A** had trapped                          **C** was trapping  
**B** had been trapping                **D** will have trapped
- 20 The men ..... were injured in the accident are now in hospital.  
**A** which                                **C** whom  
**B** who                                      **D** whose



### Reading

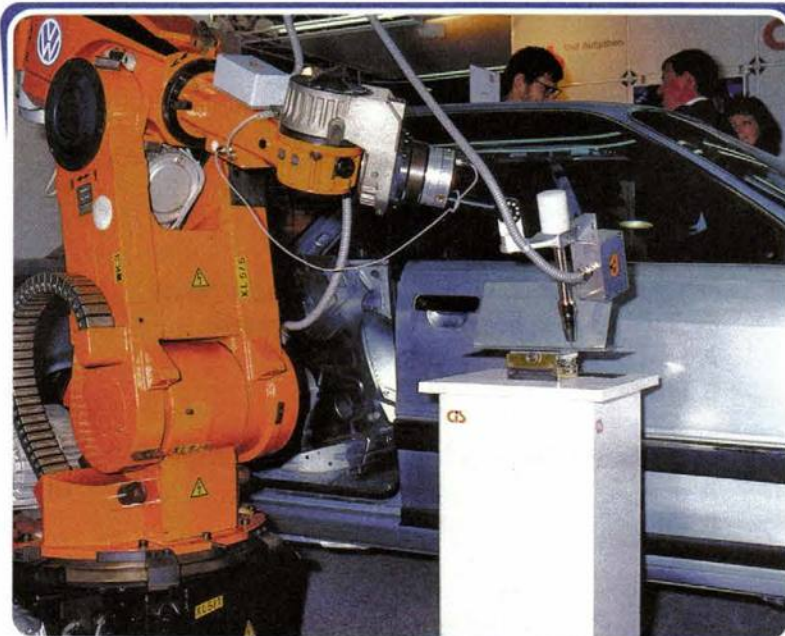
- 1 a) **RNE** Read the text about robots. For statements 1-7, choose A, B, C or D to complete each statement correctly. Circle the answer you choose.

Most of us associate robots with films such as *Star Wars*, *I, Robot* or *AI*, but in reality they have more to do with social issues and politics rather than science fiction. The term robot first made its appearance in a play entitled *Rossum's Universal Robots* written almost a century ago by a Czechoslovakian playwright by the name of Karel Čapek. Čapek got the name robot from the Slavic word 'robota' which means forced labour. In his play, he portrays a society where robots, which look human, are mass produced to work in the place of people.

Čapek's story was well received by the critics but never really got credit for being the source of the notion of robots. The play has significant relevance to our society today, as humanoid-type robots are being created to fulfil a wide range of tasks. Robot engineers

are not only developing mindless worker drones, but are attempting to create human-like companion robots for people. Consequently, the question of what actually makes us human is the subject of lively debate.

In the USA, sociable robotics is developing at a relatively rapid rate and a human companion type of robot could soon be a reality. Japanese researchers see a very bright future for these robots who will serve as friends or family to the lonely. Nevertheless, one needs to ask if a human being can have a relationship with a machine in the same way as they do with other people or animals, and if so, what effect this could have on our society. The success of robot toys or virtual pets suggests that this type of relationship is possible. Research shows that children tend to have similar relationships with humans as with non-humans whereas the same is true for adults only with pets or when the robot is designed to look like a child. This is probably because robots display superficial emotions and cannot as yet replace



human touch. But will these machines one day succeed in replacing humans?

Some paint a very dark picture of a robot society and predict that artificially intelligent machines will take control of the entire planet and dominate the human race. However, robot technology is still in its infancy and the idea of them taking over the world is pure fantasy to most of us, including scientists. In fact, most robots can only perform very basic tasks and even the most advanced robot that is capable of expressing over forty different emotions seems to do so in a totally random manner, regardless of what is going on around it.

In spite of the simplicity of today's robots, robotic technology is impacting our everyday lives in a dramatic way. Nowadays, our robots are becoming more and more like those portrayed in Čapek's work. In a society where human relationships are so often strained, it is no surprise that the possibility for human-robot relationships is increasing.

- 1 When most people think of robots, they tend to think of

A politics.  
B literature.  
C films.  
D social issues.

- 2 In line 14, 'was well received by the critics' means

A the story was sent to a lot of critics.  
B they praised the writer for his linguistic skills.  
C the author was criticised by other writers.  
D reviewers thought the story was good.

- 3 Most critics ignored the fact that

A robots are important in our society.  
B robots can do a lot of tasks.  
C Čapek came up with the idea of robots.  
D humanoid robots are being created.

- 4 There is a lot of discussion about

A the nature of a humanoid robot.  
B what a human really is.  
C how a robot is made up.  
D the truth about companionship.



5 Japanese researchers think that robots could

- A be of use to people who live alone.
- B be useful to engineers.
- C be put to use as servants.
- D be of use to families.

6 Adults tend to have good relationships with

- A virtual pets.
- B childlike robots.
- C non-humans.
- D robot toys.

7 Advanced robots still only

- A perform basic tasks.
- B react to emotions just like humans.
- C express emotions randomly.
- D express over forty emotions.

b) Translate lines 1-23 from the text into Russian.

## Vocabulary

2 Choose the correct word.

- 1 Some critics accuse the government of ignoring serious social .....  
A ideas      C items  
B issues      D topics
- 2 In the past, many criminals were sentenced to years of forced .....  
A work      C service  
B duty      D labour
- 3 Nowadays, a lot of toys are mass ..... in China.  
A made      C produced  
B done      D fabricated
- 4 Some inventors never get the ..... they deserve.  
A approval      C tribute  
B credit      D favour
- 5 Automobile makers think that there is a ..... future for flying cars.  
A dazzling      C sunny  
B vivid      D bright
- 6 High-tech robots are capable of displaying certain .....  
A senses      C sentiments  
B emotions      D views
- 7 Most people believe that robots can never replace the human .....  
A hand      B sensation  
C touch      D feel
- 8 The virtual pet, Sobby, was ..... by an excellent team of engineers.  
A sketched      B drawn  
C worked      D designed

9 Robotic ..... has many uses in the field of medicine.

- A machine      B information      C technology      D computing

10 Machines could never take the place of the ..... race.

- A people      B human      C humanoid      D man

3 Complete the sentences with the verbs in the list in the correct form.

associate	attempt	develop	display
fulfil	dominate	affect	portray

- 1 PC games ..... the electronic games market in most European countries.
- 2 The police caught two computer hackers ..... to access the security system.
- 3 He hopes to ..... his ambition to work in the field of robotics.
- 4 I think we can say that everyone ..... pizza with Italy.
- 5 Kevin Spacey ..... some memorable characters in his films up to now.
- 6 Engineers ..... a highly intelligent servant robot at the moment.
- 7 The new iPhone ..... information on a multi-touch screen.
- 8 We don't yet know how nanotechnology ..... our lives in the future.

4 Choose the correct word. Then translate the sentences into Russian.

- 1 The name for the new machine is the **subject/centre** of debate.
- 2 Virtual pets can serve as great companions for **alone/lonely** people.
- 3 Humanoid robots could soon be a **truth/reality**.
- 4 What sort of **result/effect** does technology have on your everyday life?
- 5 The first MP3 players **made/did** their appearance in the early 1990s.
- 6 The study of molecular electronics is still in its **outset/infancy**.
- 7 It's silly to think that robots could one day take **control/power** of the planet.
- 8 With the stresses of modern society, human relationships have become **strained/stretched**.

5 Fill in: rate, human, science, lively, issues, basic, lives, well to form phrases found in the reading text.

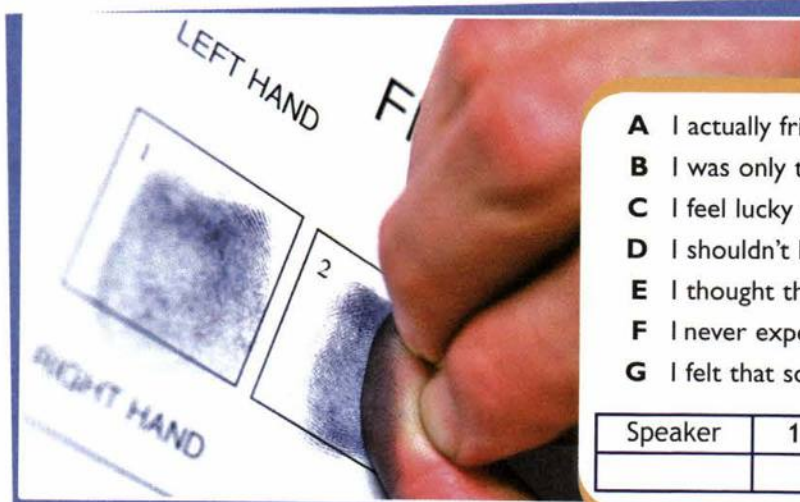
Make your own sentences using the phrases.

- |                  |                       |
|------------------|-----------------------|
| 1 ..... tasks    | 5 ..... fiction       |
| 2 ..... debate   | 6 rapid .....         |
| 3 everyday ..... | 7 ..... relationships |
| 4 ..... received | 8 social .....        |



- Multiple matching

- 1 **RNE** (🎧) You will hear six different speakers. Match the speakers (1-6), to sentences A-G. Use each sentence only once. There is one extra sentence you do not need to use. Write your answers in the table.



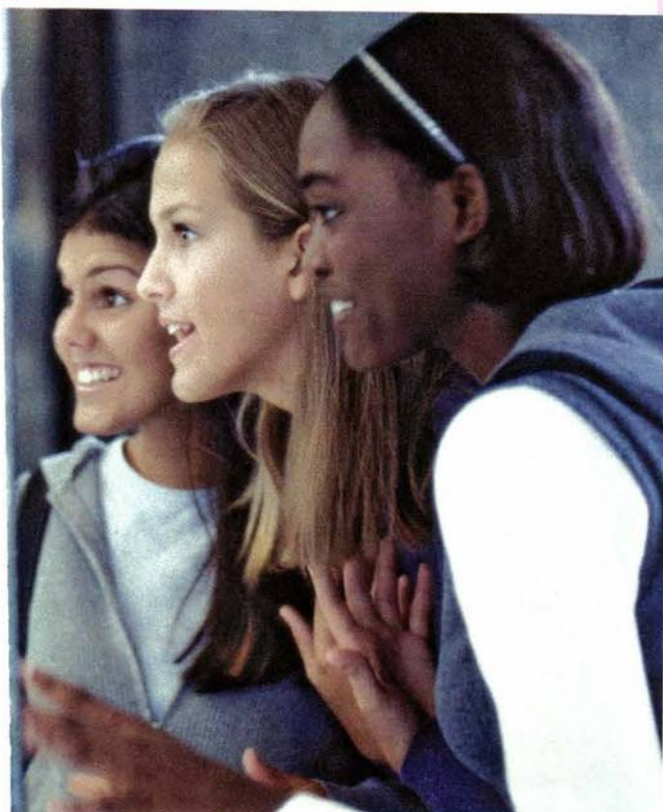
- A I actually frightened the thief.
- B I was only trying to help someone out.
- C I feel lucky that nothing worse happened.
- D I shouldn't have phoned the police.
- E I thought the police were very helpful.
- F I never expected something like that.
- G I felt that something had to be done.

Speaker	1	2	3	4	5	6

- True, False, Not stated


- 2 **RNE** (🎧) You will hear an interview with a woman who runs her own fashion company. For statements 1-7, decide if each statement is *True*, *False* or *Not stated*. Circle the answer you choose.

- Margaret designed clothes when she was young.  
A True      B False      C Not stated
- Margaret asked a friend for help with a hat design.  
A True      B False      C Not stated
- Margaret wanted a well-paid job.  
A True      B False      C Not stated
- Margaret did not enjoy modelling.  
A True      B False      C Not stated
- The company paid Margaret a lot of money.  
A True      B False      C Not stated
- Margaret did not have a job for over a year.  
A True      B False      C Not stated
- The shop in Tokyo sells her clothes designs.  
A True      B False      C Not stated





- Multiple choice

**3 RNE**  You will hear a person talking about his job. For statements 1-7, choose **A**, **B** or **C** to complete each statement correctly. Circle the answers you choose.

- The previous owner of the bookshop  
**A** worked there for forty years.  
**B** sold the business to the narrator.  
**C** had too many sales assistants.
- The narrator believes the Internet  
**A** is very useful.  
**B** is too expensive.  
**C** is difficult to use.
- Ten years ago, the narrator  
**A** turned the shop into a café.  
**B** made some changes to the shop.  
**C** wanted to change jobs.
- The narrator suggests that  
**A** too much choice can make life difficult.  
**B** paperbacks are better than e-books.  
**C** the size of the device is a disadvantage.
- The narrator thinks that e-books  
**A** create more problems than they solve.  
**B** will be more popular than traditional books.  
**C** are unnecessary to readers of traditional books.
- The narrator is worried that  
**A** people are not buying CDs.  
**B** people prefer surfing the Net to books.  
**C** people will no longer buy books.
- According to the narrator, e-books  
**A** were first sold in Japan.  
**B** may or may not be successful.  
**C** will not be popular one year from now.



**RNE**

### Task 1 (3 – 3.5 minutes)

Give a talk on **modern living**.

**Remember** to discuss:

- the role of modern technology in our daily lives
- how jobs influence the way we live
- what problems we face in our daily lives
- how we use our leisure time

You will have to talk for **1.5 – 2 minutes**. The examiner will listen until you have finished. Then he/she will ask you some questions.

**Extra questions:**

- How can a career choice affect someone's future?
- What type of career would you like to have? Why?
- Do you enjoy playing computer games? Why/Why not?
- Do you think modern living brings increased stress? Why/Why not?

### Task 2 (3 – 4 minutes)

You and your friend have been asked to help choose the main event for a festival celebrating modern life being held at your school this week. You can choose from:

- an exhibition of photographs
- a showing of a documentary about modern life
- an exhibition of state-of-the-art technology
- a fashion show

**Remember** to:

- discuss all the options
- be polite
- take an active part in the conversation
- come up with ideas
- give good reasons
- find out about your friend's opinions and take them into account
- invite your friend to come up with suggestions
- come to an agreement



Reading

- 1 a) **RNE** Read the article about a woman describing her job. Choose the correct parts of sentences (A-G) to complete gaps 1-6. There is one extra part of a sentence you do not need to use.
- b) Translate the first three paragraphs of the text into Russian.

# The Personal Touch



I had been working in fashion stores for several years before I heard of personal shopping. At first the notion of paying someone to pick out your clothes and other items struck me as a little extravagant. However, the more I learned about it, the more it began to make sense. I started to become more and more interested and eventually got involved.

In today's hectic world, more and more people are working long hours in demanding roles **1**. When it comes to buying clothes, it takes time to search for the right items, to try everything on, and so on. In addition, some people simply aren't good at picking out items that suit them. That's where the personal shopper comes in.

It is my job to keep up-to-date with the latest trends in the fashion world. I pay close attention to designer clothing lines and the trends reflected within them. I'm always on the lookout for different styles and combinations of clothes in the world around me. With my background I am adept at this **2**.

I work for a major department store in the capital. My clients are mainly wealthy businessmen and women **3**. They either book a single consultation or a series of them, depending on their times constraints and needs.

The personal shopping experience starts with an initial consultation, held in a special suite located away from the main shop floor. The quiet location and luxurious surroundings helps the client relax **4**. I ascertain whether the clothes they require are for a professional environment or for a more formal occasion, and I take into account the person's physical characteristics, such as build and colouring. I then make a series of suggestions to the client and gauge their response before selecting items for them to consider.

I have the entire range of clothing lines stocked by the department store at my disposal, ranging from designer labels through to high street brands. I always make a wide selection **5**. I prefer this to imposing my views. The consultations are often so successful that clients tend to come back on a regular basis.

Due to the somewhat exclusive nature of the personal shopping experience, we are now getting bookings from people **6**. People often tell us that they feel like a celebrity for the day. And the industry is growing all the time. It's not just about clothes now. You can be assisted online; you can even be assisted buying gifts for family and friends. Whatever your need, there's probably a personal shopper out there who can help you.



- ## Vocabulary

achieve ascertain assist book  
familiarise impose gauge  
reflect strike try on

- 3** Choose the correct word to complete the sentences. Then translate the sentences into Russian.

- 4 Choose the correct word.**

- 5 Fill in:** basis, formal, fashion, initial, got, location, constraints, floor.

**Make your own sentences using the phrases.**

- |   |               |   |                    |
|---|---------------|---|--------------------|
| 1 | shop .....    | 5 | ..... involved     |
| 2 | ..... stores  | 6 | quiet .....        |
| 3 | time .....    | 7 | ..... occasion     |
| 4 | regular ..... | 8 | ..... consultation |



## Reading

- 1 a) Match the headings (A-H) to extracts 1-7. Use each heading only once. There is one extra heading you do not need to use.

- A Contemporary living
- B A sound investment
- C A community spirit
- D One-storey comfort
- E A pragmatic relocation
- F A displaced community
- G Restricted suitability
- H A close-knit community

- b) Translate texts 5 and 7 into Russian.

## Vocabulary

- 2 Complete the sentences with the correct form of the verbs in the list.

• acknowledge • admit • move • feature  
• grow up • pursue • thrive on • retire

- 1 Mike chose to ..... a career in zoology and works in a national park in South Africa.
- 2 My uncle ..... last year after having worked for 32 years as a bus driver.
- 3 It's very important to ..... people's talents and encourage them.
- 4 We finally managed to ..... to a large modern house in the suburbs.
- 5 The landlord was forced to ..... that the rent was very high for such an area.
- 6 Most of my friends ..... in the countryside and don't like city life.
- 7 My sister lives in London and she ..... the excitement and the nightlife there.
- 8 Mrs O'Rourke's house ..... in last week's issue of 'Your Home'.



1 ☐ We moved into a semi-detached property in the suburbs three years ago following the birth of our second child. We wanted our children to grow up having a garden to play in and being able to ride their bicycles in the street – things you just can't do in a city centre. The move to the suburbs also meant we were able to afford a house with much more living space. I do miss the liveliness of the city, but the calmer pace of life in suburbia is far more suitable for young children.

2 ☐ My wife and I live in a bungalow. I have a chronic back problem, so a house with stairs just isn't an option. Bungalows are few and far between in the area where we live, so we were incredibly lucky to get this house. We snapped it up the moment it came on the market. It's in a prime position – close to all the major amenities and with excellent transport links. My wife and I are both retired and we are very happy to have found such a suitable home.

3 ☐ I didn't spend a great deal of time choosing my present accommodation as my choice was pretty limited – I'm a student, so I am on a very restricted budget. I live in a flat in a small, terraced house in the city centre with another student. The house isn't exactly in prime condition... to put it nicely! I couldn't see anyone else but a student living here. But the location is fantastic. It's just ten minute's walk from my university, so I am able to run back and forth as necessary.

4 ☐ My husband and I own a beautiful cottage in a quaint English village. It has a thatched roof and a pretty English country garden. We're proud to live in a home that is so representative of English heritage. We both grew up close by and our families still live here so we feel very tied to the area. Our village is small and everybody knows each other. It's a lovely feeling. I can't imagine ever being happy in the impersonal atmosphere of the city.



### 3 Complete the sentences with words in the list.

• accommodation • amenities • budget • community  
• option • outskirts • property • transport

- 1 My brother Jake travelled around Europe for two months on a ..... of only €1000.
- 2 More and more people are cycling as an alternative to public .....
- 3 The Royal Family own ..... all over the country.
- 4 We had the ..... of a small flat in the centre or a house in the suburbs and we chose the latter.
- 5 The main ..... in the area include a park, tennis courts and a health and fitness centre.
- 6 Students can sometimes find it hard to find inexpensive ..... near the university.
- 7 Most of our politicians live in luxury homes on the ..... of town.
- 8 There are several charitable organisations that care for the elderly in our .....

**5** My apartment was recently featured in a magazine article on modern city living. I live on the penthouse floor of a converted factory building in an area that is rapidly becoming one of the most sought-after in the city. There are five apartments in the building, all highly modern and minimalist. I fell in love with the open-plan design, floor-to-ceiling windows, and exposed brickwork the moment I stepped inside.

**6** I own several Georgian properties. These houses date from the 1700's to about 1820 and they're easy to identify as they have very high ceilings and sash windows – that is windows in which panes of glass are divided by thin, delicate wooden bars. Georgian style houses are very popular with buy-to-let landlords like myself as they can be easily split into flats. They're beautiful buildings that were built to last. Most of them are Listed Buildings, too.

**7** I live with my parents in a new housing development complex on the outskirts of the city. There's a real community feel to this complex and it has attracted a lot of families. We moved in only a couple of months ago. I really like our house because having just been built, everything is brand new and modern. Before we lived in a small, cramped flat in the centre. There's even a lot of green space in the middle of the complex, so us kids can kick around a football.

### 4 Choose the correct word to complete the sentences. Then translate the sentences into Russian.

- 1 I wanted to ..... our children in the country.  
A bring C raise  
B grow D develop
- 2 Most Londoners spend over an hour ..... to work every day.  
A transferring C transporting  
B commuting D carrying
- 3 There's a great market in this town for renting ..... accommodation.  
A temporary C provisional  
B short D part-time
- 4 As a student counsellor, I can say that most students live on a ..... budget.  
A controlled C restricted  
B checked D confined
- 5 The hotel was ..... overlooking the bay.  
A placed C put  
B stationed D situated
- 6 He always smiles at people he ..... in the street.  
A moves C passes  
B proceeds D overtakes
- 7 How could you not be ..... to a place you have lived in for over twenty years?  
A joined C tied  
B stuck D fixed
- 8 My grandmother's day is ..... with all sorts of activities at the retirement home.  
A stuffed C stocked  
B filled D crowded

### 5 Fill in: space, position, brand, atmosphere, terraced, living, transport, incredibly.

**Make your own sentences using the phrases.**

- 1 ..... new
- 2 ..... lucky
- 3 city .....
- 4 prime .....
- 5 ..... house
- 6 living .....
- 7 impersonal .....
- 8 ..... links



- Multiple choice

- 1 **RNE** Read the text. For gaps 1-7, choose A, B, C or D to complete each gap correctly. Circle the answer you choose.

## Cyber CRIME

There are a lot of different names for it: Internet crime, cyber crime, e-crime and hi-tech crime, but it all 1) ..... to the same thing – crimes committed online. Internet crime is a serious problem which has severe consequences in 2) ..... human and economic terms and worryingly it is on the 3) ..... According to the Association for Payment Clearing Services, in 2004, card fraud over the Internet cost the UK £117 million. Furthermore, the 4) ..... on UK business during the same period included virus attacks costing £27.8 million, as well as

financial fraud costing £121 million. The good news is that every police force in the UK now has its own computer crime unit. Crime-specific initiatives have also been introduced to 5) ..... particular crimes. For example, there is now a Centre for Child Protection on the Internet which not only 6) ..... investigations but also provides support for

victims and information for parents. In terms of Internet fraud, viruses and hacking, there have been 7) ..... efforts to educate consumers and businesses on how to protect themselves. Finally, it is now illegal for firms in the UK to send unsolicited messages to personal email accounts or to hide the identity of the sender.

1 A adds	B totals	C amounts	D sums
2 A two	B either	C neither	D both
3 A increase	B advance	C upturn	D top
4 A contact	B impression	C impact	D influence
5 A battle	B attack	C hit	D combat
6 A works	B does	C conducts	D carries
7 A acute	B intensive	C extreme	D severe

- Key word transformations

- 2 Complete the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the first sentence using the word given. Do not change the word given. You must use between two and five words including the word given. There is an example (0).

- 0 He gave the children their test papers.  
**HANDED** He *handed out the test papers* to the children.
- 1 It's pointless to try to convince him he's wrong.  
**POINT** There is ..... convince him he's wrong.
- 2 I prefer cooking to eating out.  
**THAN** I would ..... out.
- 3 I have a meeting tomorrow morning, so I ought to go now.  
**BETTER** I have a meeting tomorrow, so I ..... now.
- 4 They were late because the bus was delayed.  
**TIME** If the bus ..... they wouldn't have been late.

- 5 I enjoy working without any help.  
**OWN** I prefer .....
- 6 Considering how hard he works, he should be paid more.  
**ACCOUNT** If you ..... how hard he works, he should be paid more.
- 7 He wrote down everything he ate for a week.  
**RECORD** He ..... everything he ate for a week.
- 8 His parents make him stay in until he has finished his homework.  
**GO** His parents ..... out until he has finished his homework.



- Tense formation

- 3 **RNE** Read the text and complete gaps 1-7 with the correct form and tense of each verb in capitals.

## Ways *to be* Happy



When Suzy went home yesterday she told her mother about her day. Their teacher 1) ..... for a guest speaker to give a talk to the students on 'Ways to be Happy'. Suzy's mother said, "I 2) ..... a cup of tea, then you can tell me all about it." 3) ..... at the kitchen table, Suzy relaxed and waited for her mother. As she put the tea on the table, her mother asked, "Why 4) ..... (they) a talk about being happy?" Suzy explained that the guest speaker had told them that happiness affected their overall health. Many students had laughed but he had said it 5) ..... a joke. "He told us that 6) ..... choices makes people happier. He said, we should also take up a hobby and improve our relationships. Suzy's mother thought that the talk had been a very good idea. "Well, I am very happy that you 7) ..... such useful things at school!" she said.

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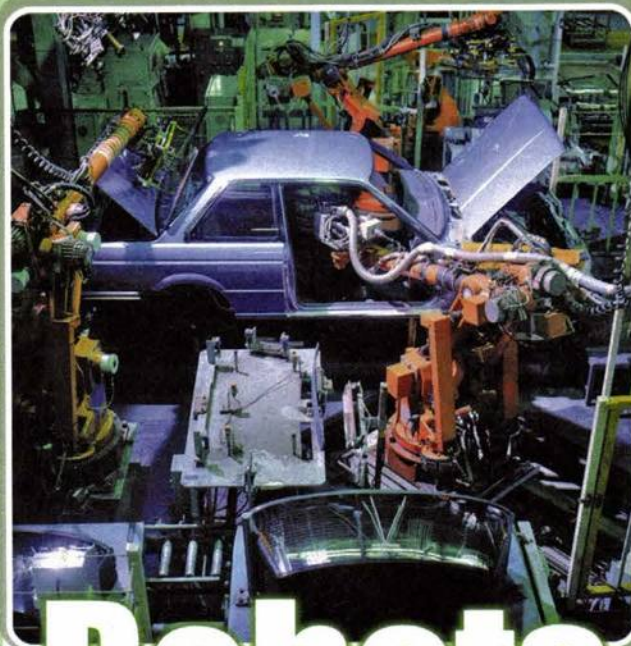
GIVE

NOT BE  
HAVE

LEARN

- Word formation

- 4 **RNE** Read the text and complete gaps 1-6 with the correct derivative of each word in capitals.



## Robots

In the year 1206, Al-Jazari, an Arab inventor, designed what we can say was the first humanoid robot. In fact, he built four 1) ..... musicians that he placed in a boat that floated around a lake to entertain guests at a royal party. The robotic musicians were powered by water and driven 2) ..... in the same way a windmill is. Thanks to the 3) ..... of transistors and integrated circuit boards, robots have become more technologically advanced. In the 1960s, robot 4) ..... was introduced and nowadays robots are used in many industries. So far, however, robots can only be designed to do 5) ..... tasks and the goal is to make a universal robot which has the 6) ..... to carry out a wide range of tasks.

AUTOMATE

MECHANIC

INVENT

MANUFACTURE

SPECIFY

ABLE



- 1 a) Read the model and put the paragraphs in the correct order.

### STUDYING ABROAD

**A** All in all, I believe studying abroad is a richer and more fulfilling experience than studying at home. It will help you to develop skills and attitudes that will stay with you for a lifetime.

**B** Secondly, you will have lots of new experiences. Most of them will be exciting and interesting, but even the ones which are not will benefit you by making you stronger.

**C** With more countries entering the European Union and international relations improving, more young people are choosing to study abroad. To my mind, continuing or completing your education in a foreign country has a number of distinct advantages.

**D** However, some people believe it is better to study in your own country. They think that students who study abroad spend most of their time travelling and having fun while those who stay in their own country study harder and learn more.

**E** To start with, it can help you develop new skills and a cross-cultural understanding. For one thing, learning about and living another way of life opens your mind to different points of view. Also, you can improve your language skills by studying abroad — even more so if you study in the local language.

- b) List the writer's viewpoints. What reasons do they use to support them? Complete the table.

Viewpoints	Reasons

- 2 Replace the topic sentences in the main body paragraphs with other appropriate ones.

- 3 Write supporting sentences to match the topic sentences below.

- Firstly, flying is the fastest way to travel.
- In addition, keeping up with the latest trends is expensive.

- 4 Where does the writer express his/her opinion in the essay in Ex. 1? How does he/she express it?

- 5 Expand the prompts and choose expressions from the list to give your opinion, as in the example.

- As far as I am concerned
- I completely agree that
- I couldn't agree more that
- I believe that
- It seems to me that
- The way I see it
- My opinion is that

- 1 the Internet/bring people/from around the world/closer together

*It seems to me that the Internet brings people from around the world closer together.*

- 2 violence/young people see/on TV screens every day/negatively influence them

.....

.....

- 3 fast food/serves a purpose/people with busy lives

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- 4 teenage magazines/can cause/young people/feel too much pressure/keep up with/latest fashions

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- 5 taking a gap year/can give young people/chance to/develop new skills and qualities

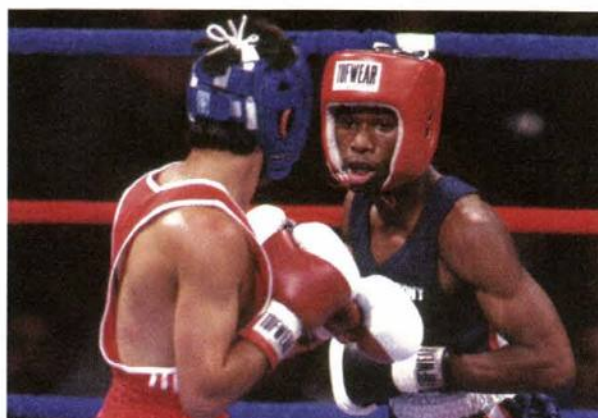
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- 6 really violent sports/such as boxing/very dangerous/should be banned

.....

.....





- 6 Read the model and underline the phrases the writer uses to make suggestions and circle the phrases which present the results and consequences.

## WHAT can we do about CHILDREN and the MISUSE of MOBILE PHONES?

Many children these days have mobile phones. However, some children misuse them. They access inappropriate websites, chat and text for hours, or take improper photos or videos. Misuse of mobile phones is a problem which we need to address.



One possible solution concerning overuse would be to impose limits. Parents could use a pre-paid account of a fixed amount per week. This way, children would have to keep track of the time and money spent on the phone. As a result, they would not get into debt or miss out on other activities.

Another effective way to reduce the misuse is to educate children to use mobile technology positively. Advice could be given at home, in school and through advertising. If they are aware of the dangers and consequences involved, they would use their phones more responsibly.

All things considered, there are many solutions to the problem of misuse of mobiles by children. The sooner these solutions are put into action, the sooner levels of misuse can be reduced.

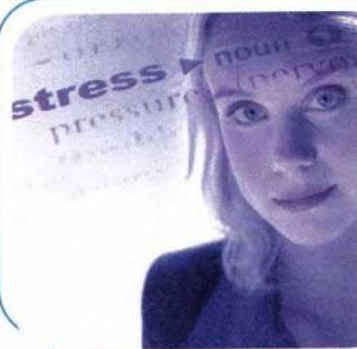
- 7 What techniques has the writer used to start/end the essay? Suggest another beginning/ending applying other techniques.

- 8 Choose the correct words/phrases.

- 1 Crime has increased in many cities **due to the fact/as a result** that unemployment levels have been rising.
- 2 All schoolchildren should be given their own laptops **in order to/so that** they will be well prepared for the world of work.
- 3 People should not carry confidential papers around with them unnecessarily. **This would/In this way** reduce criminals' chances of being able to get hold of their personal details.
- 4 Even more CCTV cameras should be installed in the streets **in order to/so that** deter criminals.

- 9 a) Read the title below, then match the suggestions to their results.

"How can teens avoid getting too stressed out with their busy, modern lives?"



### Suggestions

- 1 ☐ Make time to relax at home or go out with friends.
- 2 ☐ Talk any problems through with a good friend.
- 3 ☐ Eat healthily and get plenty of exercise and sleep.
- 4 ☐ Write 'to do' lists and make a study plan.

### Results

- A be generally healthier and body more able to deal with stress
- B find solutions more easily and feel less stress when problems are shared
- C be refreshed and more able to cope with the stress of a busy life afterwards
- D feel more in control and organised, which reduces stress

- b) Write sentences using appropriate linking words/phrases, as in the example.

e.g. I – C

*A useful suggestion would be to make time to relax at home or go out with friends. As a result, you would be refreshed and more able to cope with the stress of a busy life afterwards.*

- 10 Write supporting results/consequences for the following suggestions.

- 1 One solution would be to use recycled paper in the office for memos, photocopies and so on.
- 2 One way to help homeless people in the area would be for the local authority to open a free hostel.



## Vocabulary

### 1 Choose the correct item.

- 1 Before you enter your card details, make sure it's a ..... website.  
**A** strong                      **C** secure  
**B** reassured                **D** positive
- 2 I bought a new computer game for my PC today – the graphics are so .....  
**A** realistic                    **C** truthful  
**B** factual                     **D** genuine
- 3 My little brother is so fashion .....!  
**A** thoughtful                **C** aware  
**B** conscious                 **D** considerate
- 4 Oh no! I've lost my memory stick, and it had all my data ..... on it!  
**A** stored                      **C** kept  
**B** stocked                     **D** put
- 5 The sales are ..... this Monday; I hope I can find that skirt I had my eye on!  
**A** opening                    **C** establishing  
**B** returning                  **D** starting
- 6 I really need to ..... the security settings on my PC.  
**A** modernise                 **C** update  
**B** renovate                   **D** revise
- 7 Adam always looks so ..... in a suit.  
**A** fit                            **C** clever  
**B** clean                        **D** smart
- 8 My computer keeps ..... lately.  
**A** crashing                   **C** smashing  
**B** colliding                   **D** breaking
- 9 The whole network is down at the moment. There must be a ..... with the server.  
**A** trouble                     **C** difficulty  
**B** dilemma                   **D** problem
- 10 You should take regular breaks when using computers so that you don't ..... your eyes.  
**A** strain                        **C** injure  
**B** exert                        **D** hurt
- 11 Milan is ..... for fashion and shopping.  
**A** renowned                 **C** notorious  
**B** prominent                **D** distinguished
- 12 Ecology is the study of our ..... environment.  
**A** physical                    **C** normal  
**B** natural                     **D** ordinary
- 13 My friend lives in a(n) ..... warehouse in a very fashionable part of town.  
**A** converted                 **C** changed  
**B** transformed             **D** altered
- 14 When you travel on the metro, you must be very ..... about pickpockets.  
**A** cautious                   **C** suspicious  
**B** alert                        **D** sceptical
- 15 This restaurant is very ..... so you'll probably have difficulty booking a table.  
**A** restricted                  **C** limited  
**B** private                     **D** exclusive
- 16 There's an art ..... on at the gallery in town that we really shouldn't miss.  
**A** exhibition                 **C** screening  
**B** showing                   **D** presentation
- 17 James is always good ..... as he's so easy-going.  
**A** partner                     **C** associate  
**B** company                   **D** companion
- 18 In England, it is ..... to use a mobile phone when driving.  
**A** banned                     **C** illegal  
**B** lawless                    **D** criminal
- 19 I like to take part in ..... debates.  
**A** active                      **C** lively  
**B** agile                        **D** energetic
- 20 You should ..... documents displaying personal information before you throw them away.  
**A** tear                         **C** shred  
**B** slice                        **D** rip



## Grammar

### 2 Choose the correct item.

- 1 I prefer pop music ..... classical music.  
**A** than                      **C** at  
**B** to                        **D** for
- 2 He decided to buy a new PC ..... of updating his old one.  
**A** instead                      **C** in spite  
**B** on account                      **D** because
- 3 We don't know what to do ..... of a tornado.  
**A** in a case                      **C** in spite  
**B** as a result                      **D** in the event
- 4 We ..... house next week.  
**A** have moved                      **C** are moving  
**B** moving                      **D** moved
- 5 Do you think computers ..... more intelligent than humans in the future?  
**A** going to be                      **C** will be  
**B** would be                      **D** seem to be
- 6 You really must check ..... the new cinema complex in town, it's very impressive.  
**A** on                      **C** out  
**B** in                      **D** with
- 7 Bob insisted that Sarah ..... with us.  
**A** came                      **C** would come  
**B** is coming                      **D** will come
- 8 London Fashion Week ..... on Monday.  
**A** starting                      **C** has been starting  
**B** starts                      **D** had started
- 9 "I like casual clothes." "I ..... "  
**A** do too                      **C** do so  
**B** do                      **D** do either
- 10 I ..... my new PC difficult to get used to.  
**A** am finding                      **C** had found  
**B** will have found                      **D** has been finding
- 11 Would you mind ..... me with the laundry?  
**A** to help                      **C** that you help  
**B** helping                      **D** if you help
- 12 "Did you see that documentary about artificial intelligence last night?"  
"I did! It was the ..... interesting thing I've ever seen!"  
**A** much                      **C** many  
**B** most                      **D** more
- 13 He couldn't find his new jacket ..... he borrowed one from his brother.  
**A** so                      **C** for  
**B** and                      **D** as
- 14 Kelly ..... about studying science at university as she is very interested in biotechnology.  
**A** is thinking                      **C** thinks  
**B** had thought                      **D** had been thinking
- 15 It's often cheaper to buy things online ..... in shops.  
**A** rather                      **C** better  
**B** from                      **D** than
- 16 "I think this letter is for you." "It's about time ..... "  
**A** that it come                      **C** to come  
**B** it comes                      **D** it came
- 17 "How ..... will it take you to finish the report?"  
"An hour?"  
**A** much long                      **C** length  
**B** much longer                      **D** longer
- 18 Thank you so much for ..... the help you gave me.  
**A** a lot of                      **C** all  
**B** much of                      **D** many of
- 19 "I shouldn't have told her about Steve. I didn't expect ..... so angry."  
**A** that she get                      **C** her to get  
**B** she getting                      **D** that she got
- 20 The thief tried to escape but the police caught up ..... him eventually.  
**A** with                      **C** by  
**B** near                      **D** at



# Further Practice Section

## • Key Word Transformations

**A** Complete the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the first sentence using the word given. Do not change the word given. You must use between two and five words including the word given. Study the example.

- 0 He is too young to drive.  
**enough** He is *not old enough* to drive.
- 1 We prefer eating salads to fried food.  
**rather** We ..... fried food.
- 2 "If we don't leave immediately, we'll miss the flight," said Helen.  
**unless** Helen said they would miss the flight ..... at once.
- 3 You can send emails for nothing from here.  
**cost** It ..... send emails from here.
- 4 Eating more fruit and vegetables would be good for you.  
**good** It would ..... more fruit and vegetables.
- 5 She would have called you if she had know you were ill.  
**known** Had ..... you were ill, she would have called you.
- 6 Frank doesn't care about anyone else.  
**only** Frank ..... himself.
- 7 Karen's parents dislike her new boyfriend.  
**approve** Karen's parents ..... her new boyfriend.
- 8 Michael hadn't spoken to his sister in Australia for over six months.  
**more** It was ..... Michael had spoken to his sister in Australia.
- 9 Bill's great-grandfather started the business over eighty years ago.  
**set** The business ..... Bill's great-grandfather over eighty years ago.
- 10 Joseph studies during the day and works in a restaurant at night.  
**well** Joseph studies during the day .... a restaurant at night.
- 11 It might rain later so take your umbrella.  
**case** Take your umbrella ..... later.
- 12 Food prices are the same as they were last year.  
**changed** Food prices ..... last year.
- 13 My brother let me borrow his CD player.  
**said** My brother ..... his CD player.
- 14 "I'm sorry I shouted earlier," Charlie said.  
**apologised** Charlie ..... earlier.
- 15 I'm sorry I forgot your birthday.  
**wish** I ..... your birthday.
- 16 I wouldn't bother to wash the car today because it's going to rain.  
**worth** It ..... the car today because it's going to rain.
- 17 I had difficulty finding information for the project.  
**difficult** It ..... information for the project.
- 18 It doesn't matter what you say because I won't change my opinion.  
**difference** It ..... what you say because I won't change my opinion.
- 19 I advise you not to go out in this weather.  
**better** You ..... out in this weather.
- 20 I'm sure she didn't intend to hurt my feelings.  
**no** I'm sure she had ..... my feelings.
- 21 My neighbour asked if he might borrow my ladder.  
**could** My neighbour asked if I ..... my ladder.
- 22 I learnt to ride a bike when I was ten years old.  
**age** I learnt to ride a bike ..... ten.
- 23 On arriving at work, I switched on my computer.  
**soon** I switched on my computer ..... at work.
- 24 The football match is postponed and it will be held next month.  
**put** The football match has ..... until next month.
- 25 I don't usually stay out late at night, so I was a little tired.  
**used** I am ..... late at night, so I was a little tired.



- 26 Paul lost his way in the centre of the city because he didn't have a map.  
**got** If Paul had had a map, he .....  
..... in the centre of the city.
- 27 This is the best car I've ever owned.  
**never** I've .....  
..... car than this.
- 28 In my opinion, the two sisters are completely different from each other.  
**comparison** In my opinion, there is .....  
..... the two sisters.
- 29 They are going to demolish the old cinema.  
**pulled** The old cinema .....  
..... down.
- 30 After much discussion, Frank thought of the solution.  
**came** After much discussion, Frank ....  
..... the solution.
- 31 Tom's children helped him with the housework.  
**hand** Tom's children .....  
..... with the housework.
- 32 It's a pity that my flat is so small.  
**wish** I .....  
..... flat.
- 33 I was not allowed to play loud music when I lived at home with my parents.  
**let** My parents ..... play loud music when I lived at home.
- 34 John regrets lying to you.  
**told** John wishes .....  
..... truth.
- 35 David was thirty-nine before he took up writing professionally.  
**become** David did not .....  
..... he was thirty-nine.
- 36 Vera is never late for work.  
**time** Vera ..... for work.
- 37 I must contact my brother about my new email address.  
**touch** I must .....  
my brother about my new email address.
- 38 I haven't been at all successful in finding a new flat.  
**no** I .....  
..... in finding a new flat.
- 39 Before we could go home, we had to tidy the classroom.  
**stay** We had to .....  
..... the classroom.
- 40 Gus could only buy that car because his parents gave him the money.  
**able** If Gus' parents hadn't given him the money, he .....  
..... to buy that car.
- 41 Theresa isn't capable of running her own business.  
**ability** Theresa doesn't .....  
..... her own business.
- 42 The lawyer said that he would never mention the matter to anyone else.  
**discuss** The lawyer promised never .....  
..... anyone else.
- 43 I'm afraid I don't have the energy to go out tonight.  
**too** I'm afraid .....  
..... to go out tonight.
- 44 The police asked me to describe the driver in detail.  
**full** The police asked me to give .....  
..... of the driver.
- 45 Alan never listens to Sally's advice.  
**attention** Alan never .....  
..... Sally's advice.
- 46 These days, parking spaces are rarely found in the centre of town.  
**rare** These days .....  
parking spaces in the centre of town.
- 47 It's unusual for Emma to get so annoyed.  
**like** It's .....  
..... so annoyed.
- 48 Your sister can't have been telling the truth about the broken vase.  
**lying** Your sister .....  
..... the broken vase.
- 49 He repaired the fence to prevent the dog from getting out.  
**so** He repaired the fence .....  
..... not get out.
- 50 "What's the height of the building?" she asked.  
**high** She wanted .....  
..... the building was.
- 51 I expect you were pleased with your promotion.  
**been** You .....  
..... with your promotion.
- 52 Bill is the best in the football team.  
**better** No one .....  
..... in the football team.
- 53 The concert was cancelled due to poor ticket sales.  
**called** The concert was .....  
..... of poor ticket sales.
- 54 I know that eating a balanced diet is a must.  
**necessary** I know that .....  
..... a balanced diet.
- 55 What do people think of this company?  
**reputation** What kind .....  
..... have?
- 56 Could you close the door on your way out?  
**mind** Would you .....  
..... on your way out?



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- 57 It was unfair of Mr Jones to tell Steve off.  
**deserve** Steve .....  
 ..... told off.
- 58 My boss said I could have a week off.  
**permission** My boss .....  
 ..... to take a week off.
- 59 It was a mistake for me to eat so much for lunch.  
**should** I .....  
 ..... so much for lunch.
- 60 Doctors don't recommend drinking too much coffee.  
**advisable** It's .....  
 ..... too much coffee.
- 61 They say the actor was discovered while working  
 in a bakery.  
**said** The actor .....  
 ..... discovered while  
 working in a bakery.
- 62 My father believes that it's all right for me to stay  
 up late at the weekend.  
**wrong** My father believes there's .....  
 ..... up late  
 at the weekend.
- 63 There is no way that I'm going on holiday with him.  
**intention** I .....  
 ..... on holiday with him.
- 64 There were no good films left at the DVD club.  
**run** The DVD club .....  
 ..... good films.
- 65 I don't know what the CD is like as I haven't heard it.  
**having** I don't know what the CD is like,  
 ..... to it.
- 66 DVD prices have not changed since last year.  
**as** DVDs cost .....  
 ..... did last year.
- 67 "Don't blame me if you can't find your mobile  
 phone," Daniel said.  
**his** Daniel said that it .....  
 that I couldn't find my mobile phone.
- 68 There's no chance of finishing the report today.  
**possible** It won't .....  
 ..... the report today.
- 69 "Why don't we go to the shops?" said Sarah.  
**suggested** Sarah .....  
 ..... to the shops.
- 70 Victoria always sets her alarm because she doesn't  
 want to wake up late.  
**that** Victoria always sets her alarm ...  
 ..... wake up late.
- 71 Rather than walk to the centre of town, we took  
 a bus.  
**foot** Instead .....  
 ..... to the centre of  
 town, we took a bus.
- 72 I don't feel like studying at the moment.  
**prefer** I'd .....  
 ..... at the moment.
- 73 They are releasing the new CD on Monday.  
**sale** The new CD .....  
 ..... from Monday.
- 74 People say that actor has had plastic surgery.  
**said** That actor .....  
 ..... plastic surgery.
- 75 She apologised for ruining his suit.  
**sorry** She said she .....  
 ..... ruined his suit.
- 76 Nobody thinks that Tim will win the race.  
**expected** Tim is .....  
 ..... the race.
- 77 My team can win the championship this year.  
**capable** My team .....  
 ..... the championship  
 this year.
- 78 I regret not learning to cook when I was younger.  
**wish** I .....  
 ..... cook when I was younger.
- 79 He isn't trying to solve his problems at all.  
**effort** He is .....  
 ..... solve his problems.
- 80 The heavy rain caused many rivers to flood.  
**result** Many rivers .....  
 ..... the heavy rain.
- 81 The actor had the respect of everyone in the film  
 industry.  
**up** Everyone in the film industry ....  
 ..... the actor.
- 82 Fewer than 50 people came to the concert last  
 night.  
**turned** Fewer than 50 people .....  
 ..... the concert last night.
- 83 She went to the cinema and didn't go to the theatre.  
**instead** She went to the cinema .....  
 ..... to the theatre.
- 84 Robert was the only one who didn't enjoy the  
 concert.  
**apart** Everybody .....  
 ..... Robert.
- 85 The dentist advised him to brush his teeth more  
 regularly.  
**were** "If .....  
 ..... brush my teeth  
 more regularly," said the dentist.
- 86 Oliver didn't send the bunch of roses.  
**who** It .....  
 ..... the bunch of roses.



- 87 Paul couldn't go to the concert because he didn't have a ticket.  
**able** If Paul had had a ticket, he ..... go to the concert.
- 88 You might get seasick, so you should take a tablet before you leave.  
**case** Take a tablet before you leave ..... seasick.
- 89 I don't know why she cried at the party.  
**made** I don't know ..... at the party.
- 90 I have flown only once before.  
**time** This ..... I have ever flown.
- 91 The price of the sofa includes the cost of delivery.  
**is** The cost of delivery ..... the price of the sofa.
- 92 Gary shouldn't miss the opportunity to study abroad.  
**advantage** Gary should ..... the opportunity to study abroad.
- 93 "I can't find my socks – have you seen them?" my brother asked.  
**seen** My brother asked me ..... his socks.
- 94 Everyone expects that he'll win the Oscar for his new film.  
**is** He ..... the Oscar for his new film.
- 95 I haven't seen my sister for six months.  
**been** It ..... I last saw my sister.
- 96 "I won't let my children stay up late," Bruno said.  
**refused** Bruno ..... to stay up late.
- 97 Could you look after the twins for an hour?  
**care** Would you mind ..... the twins for an hour?
- 98 Levels of pollution have increased dramatically over the past decade.  
**increase** Over the past decade, there ..... in levels of pollution.
- 99 I use an encyclopedia to find information that I need for school.  
**up** If I need information for school .. an encyclopedia.
- 100 My uncle can't play the piano very well.  
**good** My uncle isn't ..... the piano.
- 101 The restaurant was not close enough for us to walk to.  
**away** The restaurant ..... for us to walk to.
- 102 "Whose is this coat?" she asked.  
**to** "Who .....?" she asked.
- 103 How long are these curtains?  
**of** What is ..... curtains?
- 104 I'm sorry but I don't want to eat Chinese food tonight.  
**rather** I'm sorry but ..... Chinese food tonight.
- 105 Angela last phoned us three weeks ago.  
**heard** We ..... Angela for three weeks.
- 106 "I'm sorry I broke the window," said Robert.  
**apologised** Robert ..... the window.
- 107 Catherine was given two more days by her boss to finish the report.  
**another** Catherine's boss ..... to finish the report.
- 108 I arrived late because my alarm clock didn't work.  
**turned** If my alarm clock had worked, I ..... time.
- 109 If the bus hadn't been late, we wouldn't have missed the concert.  
**early** If the bus ..... we would have seen the concert.
- 110 In my opinion, your test results are going to be excellent.  
**doubt** I ..... that your test results are going to be excellent.
- 111 You can't be sure that he'll help you if you have a problem.  
**rely** You can't ..... if you have a problem.
- 112 The plumber had to get someone to help him as there was so much work to do.  
**such** There was ..... to do that the plumber had to get someone to help him.
- 113 Irene continued to get up early even though she was on holiday.  
**carried** Irene ..... early even though she was on holiday.
- 114 The rough sea meant that rescue workers could not reach the ship.  
**prevented** Rescue workers ..... the ship by the rough sea.



- 115 We went swimming despite the cloudy sky.  
even We went swimming ..... cloudy.
- 116 They are building a new leisure centre near my house.  
built A new leisure centre ..... near my house.
- 117 Tom found the recipe very difficult to understand.  
difficulty Tom ..... the recipe.
- 118 John says he will only cook if Sue agrees to wash up afterwards.  
unless John has refused ..... willing to wash up afterwards.
- 119 There were very few people in the cinema last night.  
came Hardly ..... the cinema last night.
- 120 I don't suppose you have her telephone number.  
happen Do you ..... her telephone number?
- 121 My mother said she could not learn how to use a computer at her age.  
old My mother said that she ..... learn how to use a computer.
- 122 You can't feed the animals in the zoo.  
forbidden It ..... the animals in the zoo.
- 123 Dave once worked for a newspaper.  
job Dave used ..... a newspaper.
- 124 The two politicians were in complete agreement.  
completely The two politicians ..... other.
- 125 Samantha was completely surprised by the party.  
idea Samantha ..... the party.
- 126 Eric became extremely angry with the cashier after being given the wrong change.  
temper Eric ..... the cashier after being given the wrong change.
- 127 I saw the film because I had read the book it was based on.  
would If I had not read the book it was based on, ..... the film.
- 128 It was raining so they cancelled the picnic.  
owing The picnic ..... the rain.
- 129 I didn't know anything about John's problems at home.  
unaware I ..... John's problems at home.
- 130 Jane didn't speak for about fifteen minutes.  
before Fifteen minutes went ..... anything.
- 131 To my mind, the dish we ate was the best one we could have chosen.  
made To my mind, we couldn't ..... choice than the dish we ate.
- 132 Mary admitted that she was not in the mood to go to the cinema.  
feel Mary admitted that she did not ..... to the cinema.
- 133 "I can look after myself now I'm at university, Dad," said Bob.  
take Bob told his dad that he could ..... now that he was at university.
- 134 You really don't need to clean the car.  
point There's really ..... the car.
- 135 I'd rather you didn't park in front of my house.  
mind Would ..... in front of my house?
- 136 The guard stopped us from entering the building.  
let The guard ..... the building.
- 137 Could you tell me what time you are leaving?  
know I would ..... what time you are leaving.
- 138 The crowd on the street were football fans.  
crowded The street ..... football fans.
- 139 Everyone thinks that Natalie and Pat are the best students.  
considered Natalie and Pat ..... the best students.
- 140 You can get from here to Manchester without changing planes.  
need You ..... planes to get from here to Manchester.
- 141 We don't often go out on Mondays.  
unusual It ..... go out on Mondays.
- 142 You can borrow my bicycle but you must bring it back before 5 pm.  
long You can borrow my bicycle ..... it back before 5 pm.
- 143 The policeman warned him about parking in front of the school.  
caution He was ..... by the policeman for parking in front of the school.



- 144 "Don't be late for school, Timothy!" said his mother.  
**reminded** Timothy's mother .....  
 ..... late for school.
- 145 I can't believe this is the best option we have!  
**better** There must .....  
 ..... this one!
- 146 Everyone enjoyed the film apart from Muriel.  
**only** Muriel .....  
 ..... didn't enjoy the film.
- 147 People say that he is working hard.  
**be** He .....  
 ..... hard.
- 148 It's a waste of time for you to speak to Carol.  
**point** There's .....  
 ..... to Carol.
- 149 He works as a security guard.  
**employed** He .....  
 ..... security guard.
- 150 You'll never persuade Jason to change his mind.  
**come** Jason .....  
 ..... your way of thinking.
- 151 Brian has always had a good relationship with his boss.  
**well** Brian has always .....  
 ..... with his boss.
- 152 You should learn how to use a computer.  
**time** It .....  
 ..... how to use a computer.
- 153 I haven't seen Edward since he left for Paris.  
**last** The .....  
 ..... was before he left for Paris.
- 154 Our mother makes us clean our rooms on Saturdays.  
**made** We .....  
 ..... our rooms on Saturdays.
- 155 You should not eat so many sweet things.  
**better** It .....  
 ..... you didn't eat so many sweet things.
- 156 It was snowing heavily so they cancelled the last flight.  
**because** The last flight .....  
 ..... the heavy snow.
- 157 The head teacher said we could use the main hall for our end-of-term party.  
**permission** The head teacher .....  
 ..... the main hall for end-of-term party.
- 158 You can't vote before you are eighteen.  
**can** Only .....  
 ..... you vote.
- 159 Cathy began to drive two years ago.  
**driving** Cathy .....  
 ..... two years.
- 160 I don't want to meddle in other people's affairs.  
**rather** I .....  
 ..... in other people's affairs.
- 161 She wished she had taken his advice.  
**regretted** She .....  
 ..... his advice.
- 162 "Whose CDs are these?" John asked his friends.  
**to** "Who .....?"  
 John asked his friends.
- 163 It was difficult to persuade the children to go to bed early.  
**difficulty** I .....  
 the children to go to bed early.
- 164 He never seems to have the time to fix the leaking tap.  
**round** He never seems .....  
 ..... the leaking tap.
- 165 After completing his course in Veterinary Medicine, Martin later became a vet.  
**went** After completing his course in Veterinary Medicine, .....  
 ..... a vet.
- 166 His teachers won't accept his rudeness any longer.  
**put** His teachers won't .....  
 ..... rudeness any longer.
- 167 It isn't easy for Fred to talk about his personal problems.  
**difficulty** Fred .....  
 about his personal problems.
- 168 Ann insisted on John doing the work for her.  
**made** Ann .....  
 ..... the work for her.
- 169 Lucy did not know any of the people at the seminar.  
**nobody** There .....  
 ..... at the seminar.
- 170 He couldn't use his car because it had a flat tyre.  
**one** He couldn't use his car because .....  
 ..... flat.
- 171 These two mobile phones look the same to me.  
**tell** I cannot .....  
 these two mobile phones.
- 172 Rebecca often blushes for no reason at all.  
**tendency** Rebecca .....  
 ..... for no reason at all.
- 173 Uncle Tom described his sea rescue to us in detail.  
**description** Uncle Tom gave .....  
 ..... his sea rescue.



- 174 The boys are bound to be tired after an hour's climb.  
**doubt** There is .....  
be tired after an hour's climb.
- 175 "You damaged my computer!" he said to me.  
**accused** He .....  
his computer.
- 176 We should recycle as a way of saving energy.  
**order** We should recycle .....  
energy.
- 177 We had not expected the museum to be so good.  
**better** The museum .....  
had expected.
- 178 "Why don't we go out to eat?" said Peter.  
**suggested** Peter .....  
out to eat.
- 179 Jane apologised for holding everyone up the previous day.  
**sorry** Jane said, ".....  
I held everyone up yesterday."
- 180 The doctor failed to persuade her to take the medication.  
**succeed** The doctor .....  
her to take the medication.
- 181 He started the computer course a month ago.  
**since** It .....  
he started the computer course.
- 182 It's a shame that they cancelled the concert.  
**only** If .....  
the concert.
- 183 George wants to study engineering instead of working in his father's firm.  
**rather** George .....  
work in his father's firm.
- 184 People always seem to like Bertie.  
**impression** Bertie always seems to .....  
people.
- 185 They cancelled their trip because of the bad weather.  
**off** Their trip .....  
because of the bad weather.
- 186 A strong earthquake led to the village being evacuated.  
**result** The village was .....  
a strong earthquake.
- 187 I don't plan to do any work during my two-week break.  
**intention** I .....  
any work during my two-week break.
- 188 Kate would rather not come to the cinema with us.  
**feel** Kate .....  
to the cinema with us.
- 189 I think you should visit a doctor soon.  
**you** If .....  
visit a doctor soon.
- 190 The telephone isn't working again.  
**out** The telephone .....  
again.
- 191 She managed to pass her driving test at the third attempt.  
**passing** She .....  
her driving test at the third attempt.
- 192 The evening might be expensive so take plenty of money.  
**case** Take plenty of money .....  
expensive.
- 193 We couldn't understand the interpreter because he spoke so fast.  
**too** The interpreter spoke .....  
understand.
- 194 The trip will take about forty minutes, whichever route you follow.  
**matter** It .....  
you follow, the trip will take about forty minutes.
- 195 She prefers reading to watching TV.  
**than** She prefers .....  
TV.
- 196 My sailing boat is as big as John's.  
**same** John's sailing boat .....  
mine.
- 197 He doesn't want her to smoke in the house.  
**objects** He .....  
in the house.
- 198 It wasn't necessary for her to cook such an enormous meal but she did.  
**cooked** She .....  
such an enormous meal.
- 199 Because of a heavy thunderstorm the football match was cancelled.  
**due** The football match was cancelled .....  
that there was a heavy thunderstorm.
- 200 Promise you'll return the books at the end of the week and I'll lend them to you.  
**long** I'll lend you the books .....  
to return them at the end of the week.
- 201 I don't see why we should stay any longer.  
**worth** In my opinion, .....  
any longer.
- 202 People say bungee jumping is a very dangerous sport.  
**said** Bungee jumping .....  
a very dangerous sport.



- 203** She promised us she would come back next year.  
**word** She .....  
she would come back next year.
- 204** He is proud of his stamp collection.  
**pride** He .....  
..... his stamp collection.
- 205** There probably won't be any tickets left for tonight's performance.  
**unlikely** It ..... be any  
tickets left for tonight's performance.
- 206** It's Michelle's duty to arrange accommodation for the visitors.  
**responsible** Michelle .....  
..... accommodation  
for the visitors.
- 207** You can't eat or drink on the Metro.  
**permitted** You .....  
..... or drink on the Metro.
- 208** Your house and mine look very much alike.  
**similar** Your .....  
..... mine.
- 209** The caterers made plenty of food for the party.  
**prepared** Plenty of food .....  
..... the caterers  
for the party.
- 210** Robert finds working on a computer difficult.  
**used** Robert .....  
..... on a computer.
- 211** Kim's parents didn't allow her to go out with her friends last night.  
**made** Kim's parents .....  
..... last night.
- 212** I didn't tell them what had happened because I didn't want to upset them.  
**so** I didn't tell them what had happened  
.....  
..... them.
- 213** I'm sure he didn't steal the money; he's a very honest man.  
**have** He .....  
the money; he's a very honest man.
- 214** May I close the window?  
**mind** Would you .....  
..... the window?
- 215** We went to the party despite not being invited.  
**even** We went to the party .....  
..... been invited.
- 216** He is a teacher but he didn't know the answer to the maths problem.  
**being** In .....  
a teacher, he didn't know the  
answer to the maths problem.
- 217** Patrick asked if he might borrow my car.  
**could** Patrick asked if I .....  
..... my car.
- 218** The judge has postponed the trial for a month.  
**off** The trial .....  
for a month by the judge.
- 219** The two film critics were in complete disagreement.  
**completely** The two film critics .....  
..... other.
- 220** Joanna has never been to New York before.  
**first** It's the .....  
..... been to New York.
- 221** There was no paper left in the printer.  
**run** The printer .....  
..... paper.
- 222** Tom is better at basketball than Chris.  
**well** Chris doesn't .....  
..... Tom.
- 223** A German architect is designing the new cinema complex.  
**being** The new cinema complex .....  
..... a German  
architect.
- 224** The teacher stopped them talking during the exam.  
**let** The teacher .....  
..... during the exam.
- 225** It was a mistake for Jack to buy that used car.  
**should** Jack .....  
..... that used car.
- 226** Melanie failed to listen to her mother's advice.  
**attention** Melanie .....  
..... her mother's advice.
- 227** We didn't enjoy the film because it was very boring.  
**too** The film .....  
..... to enjoy.
- 228** It's a pity I didn't contact her when she was in town.  
**only** If .....  
..... when she was in town.
- 229** Call the airport in case the flight is delayed.  
**might** The flight .....  
call the airport.
- 230** I must contact Henry about the change of plans.  
**touch** I must .....  
Henry about the change of plans.
- 231** "The party starts in half an hour. We should leave soon," Sophie said.  
**better** "The party starts in half an hour, so  
we .....  
..... soon," Sophie said.



## Further Practice Section

- 232 Alfred didn't break the window.  
**who** It .....  
..... the window.
- 233 Claire would rather go to the cinema than to the theatre.  
**instead** Claire wants to go to the cinema  
..... the theatre.
- 234 Did Jackie send the invitations?  
**wonder** I .....  
..... the invitations.
- 235 How long ago did you attend a lecture?  
**time** When was .....  
..... a lecture?
- 236 I hope you don't mind if I use the fax machine.  
**object** Do you .....  
..... the fax machine?
- 237 Steve ended the presentation by inviting the audience to ask questions.  
**end** Steve invited the audience to ask questions at .....
- 238 She couldn't decide what to wear to the party.  
**mind** She couldn't .....  
what to wear to the party.
- 239 Jane likes to walk by the river.  
**enjoys** Jane .....  
..... along the river.
- 240 The weather was so hot that we decided to go to the beach.  
**such** It .....  
day that we decided to go to the beach.
- 241 The judges will announce their decision in one hour.  
**is** The judges' decision. ....  
..... in one hour.
- 242 My grandfather didn't get married until he was forty.  
**when** My grandfather .....  
..... married.
- 243 He studied hard because he wanted to pass his driving test.  
**view** He studied hard .....  
..... his driving test.
- 244 It was her birthday so he bought her flowers.  
**because** He .....  
..... it was her birthday.
- 245 They were about to call us when we knocked on their door.  
**point** They were .....  
us when we knocked on their door.
- 246 There wasn't even a chair in the room.  
**furniture** There .....  
..... in the room.
- 247 You should always brush your teeth if you don't want to get cavities.  
**avoid** You should always brush your teeth  
..... cavities.
- 248 All the students took the exam apart from Kevin.  
**who** Kevin was the only .....  
..... the exam.
- 249 The government introduced new measures so that they could reduce the number of cars in the city centre.  
**means** The government introduced new measures .....  
the number of cars in the city centre.
- 250 You will never find it even if you look everywhere.  
**no** You will never find it .....  
..... you look.
- 251 I like the red lamp better than the blue one.  
**prefer** I .....  
..... the blue one.
- 252 They estimate that the journey will take five hours.  
**estimated** The journey .....  
..... five hours.
- 253 Paul said, "I promise I will return it later."  
**to** Paul .....  
..... later.
- 254 My friend asked me to go to her party.  
**invited** I .....  
..... my friend's party.
- 255 I can only help you if you tell me what's wrong.  
**unless** I can't .....  
..... tell me what's wrong.
- 256 Jim used to play tennis, but he doesn't any more.  
**given** Jim .....  
..... tennis.
- 257 I can't have met him, I would remember him.  
**if** I would remember .....  
..... met him.
- 258 I only realised when I got back home.  
**after** It was .....  
back home that I realised.
- 259 There is only a little bit of milk left.  
**hardly** There .....  
..... milk left.
- 260 I will finish my homework, then I can come to the cinema.  
**once** I can come to the cinema .....  
..... my homework.



## • Multiple Choice

**B Choose the correct item.**

- 0 If you are ..... with your homework, you should ask for help.  
**A** stumbling **C** striving  
**B** struggling **D** straining
- 1 Do you know if there is an admission ..... to get into the fair?  
**A** bill **C** fee  
**B** cost **D** amount
- 2 The ..... on the back of the box say that we need to add two eggs and a cup of milk.  
**A** commands **C** orders  
**B** instructions **D** rules
- 3 Jessie's parents were very ..... with the grades on her school report.  
**A** fulfilled **C** pleased  
**B** gratified **D** entertained
- 4 The two old friends ..... about their childhood.  
**A** reminisced **C** recollected  
**B** recalled **D** remembered
- 5 The famous couple tried to keep their wedding a secret but it was ..... in all the newspapers.  
**A** declared **C** broadcast  
**B** announced **D** advertised
- 6 The people at the parade were dancing ..... dances and wearing costumes.  
**A** ordinary **C** conventional  
**B** customary **D** traditional
- 7 We have a thirty-minute lunch ..... at 1:00 and then we go back to work until 5:00.  
**A** pause **C** stop  
**B** break **D** rest
- 8 The author has received a(n) ..... for her best-selling book.  
**A** reward **C** award  
**B** tribute **D** honour
- 9 I got ..... on the arm by a mosquito last night and now it's really itchy.  
**A** chewed **C** nibbled  
**B** pecked **D** bitten
- 10 Gerald lost his boarding ..... at the airport and they had to issue him with a new one.  
**A** slip **C** pass  
**B** receipt **D** paper
- 11 Large department stores often give away free ..... of new products.  
**A** examples **C** trials  
**B** models **D** samples
- 12 I'll never forget when I went bungee jumping for the first time; my heart was ..... really fast.  
**A** rushing **C** moving  
**B** beating **D** running
- 13 The main ..... of jam are fruit and sugar.  
**A** ingredients **C** parts  
**B** features **D** items
- 14 How often do you need to ..... the battery on your mobile phone?  
**A** recharge **C** renovate  
**B** refresh **D** revive
- 15 He bought a ticket as soon as he ..... at the train station.  
**A** reached **C** made  
**B** arrived **D** got
- 16 Shelley had a(n) ..... with Sharon about the party on Saturday night.  
**A** exchange **C** dialogue  
**B** conversation **D** communication
- 17 Lately, many people have been ..... about the lack of good service at that restaurant.  
**A** blaming **C** protesting  
**B** complaining **D** campaigning
- 18 The local charity organisation is asking for ..... of food, clothes and money that will help the earthquake victims.  
**A** donations **C** deposits  
**B** payments **D** grants
- 19 My grandfather is really good at ..... stories.  
**A** making out **C** making off  
**B** making over **D** making up
- 20 Sharon spent a great ..... of time planning her holiday.  
**A** portion **C** number  
**B** deal **D** quantity
- 21 Did you hear? Elizabeth was suspended yesterday for ..... truant!  
**A** playing **C** behaving  
**B** going **D** acting
- 22 I need to get in ..... with the caterer about the office party.  
**A** sense **C** touch  
**B** connection **D** line
- 23 Tim couldn't solve the maths problem so he asked the teacher for .....  
**A** backing **C** assistance  
**B** support **D** cooperation



- 24 Did you get caught in the downpour? Here, take this towel, you're ..... all over the floor.  
**A** dripping **C** dropping  
**B** leaking **D** spilling
- 25 I didn't ..... her to arrive so soon.  
**A** presume **C** anticipate  
**B** wait **D** expect
- 26 Hundreds of people have ..... for the job of personnel manager.  
**A** registered **C** applied  
**B** enlisted **D** enrolled
- 27 As Mary ..... the house she could sense that something was wrong.  
**A** arrived **C** approached  
**B** came **D** advanced
- 28 The police are ..... the neighbourhood robberies.  
**A** looking into **C** looking after  
**B** looking for **D** looking out
- 29 They stopped to admire the fantastic ..... from the hilltop.  
**A** viewpoint **C** vision  
**B** outlook **D** scenery
- 30 Paul was highly ..... as a top art expert.  
**A** thought **C** noticed  
**B** regarded **D** viewed
- 31 I ..... your father for a famous actor.  
**A** understood **C** confused  
**B** mistook **D** misinterpreted
- 32 The tribe lives in an isolated mountain ..... in South Africa.  
**A** region **C** district  
**B** territory **D** section
- 33 She has decided to ..... the meeting until tomorrow.  
**A** cancel **C** suspend  
**B** interrupt **D** postpone
- 34 The ..... of the village rely totally on fishing for their food.  
**A** inhabitants **C** dwellers  
**B** occupants **D** tenants
- 35 She was at the ..... of her career when she had the accident.  
**A** roof **C** point  
**B** peak **D** tip
- 36 There will be an exhibition of ..... cars at the town square during the weekend.  
**A** aged **C** ancient  
**B** primitive **D** vintage
- 37 The teaching ..... at Oxbridge College are outstanding.  
**A** cast **C** staff  
**B** crew **D** team
- 38 The cargo ship ..... from the Port of London.  
**A** ran **C** travelled  
**B** flowed **D** sailed
- 39 The cashier's behaviour was so rude that I ..... an immediate apology from the manager.  
**A** ordered **C** inquired  
**B** asked **D** demanded
- 40 The lawyer was paid his ..... after the trial.  
**A** fee **C** allowance  
**B** salary **D** wage
- 41 My daughter has a nasty ..... on her arm after falling off her bike.  
**A** rash **C** bruise  
**B** break **D** spot
- 42 Just as the tennis players were walking onto the ....., it started to rain.  
**A** pitch **C** ring  
**B** court **D** course
- 43 The refugees tried to cross the ..... between the two countries.  
**A** boundary **C** limit  
**B** line **D** border
- 44 If you get the ....., you really must visit Rome.  
**A** luck **C** chance  
**B** possibility **D** occasion
- 45 Tony was ..... for driving carelessly.  
**A** accused **C** arrested  
**B** blocked **D** charged
- 46 The rescue services were ..... to the limit after the earthquake.  
**A** pulled **C** stretched  
**B** spread **D** ridden
- 47 My ..... goes into my bank account on the first of every month.  
**A** salary **C** income  
**B** wages **D** currency
- 48 I still don't know how he ..... on such a low salary.  
**A** gets over **C** gets by  
**B** gets down **D** gets away with
- 49 Lucy ..... after her father's side of the family.  
**A** goes **C** takes  
**B** looks **D** turns
- 50 The travel agency's main ..... is to make sure that everything is in order for the trip.  
**A** errand **C** chore  
**B** work **D** job
- 51 Do you ..... a lot of money working as a nurse?  
**A** profit **C** win  
**B** take **D** earn
- 52 Please handle the vase carefully. It is very .....  
**A** broken **C** weak  
**B** fragile **D** tender



- 53 Sam was ..... for breaking the window.  
**A** blamed **C** accused  
**B** charged **D** denied
- 54 We made a(n) ..... to meet on Monday.  
**A** schedule **C** appointment  
**B** programme **D** time
- 55 David Beckham ..... a good example for children by teaching them to keep healthy.  
**A** puts **C** makes  
**B** sets **D** places
- 56 Jenny decided to ..... her toe into the pool before going in for a swim.  
**A** dive **C** plunge  
**B** dip **D** wash
- 57 Students were handing out ..... about a new gymnasium.  
**A** leaflets **C** directories  
**B** catalogues **D** books
- 58 My new bed is so ....., I could stay in it all day long!  
**A** comfortable **C** suitable  
**B** favourable **D** likeable
- 59 Did he ..... accuse you of taking his files?  
**A** genuinely **C** exactly  
**B** positively **D** actually
- 60 Our ..... to New York was delayed for over six hours due to ice on the runway.  
**A** flight **C** cruise  
**B** ride **D** drive
- 61 They couldn't ..... to buy that expensive house.  
**A** spare **C** provide  
**B** pay **D** afford
- 62 A ..... of birds flew high above us in the sky.  
**A** flock **C** herd  
**B** school **D** swarm
- 63 The police couldn't prove that he had ..... the crime.  
**A** admitted **C** submitted  
**B** committed **D** permitted
- 64 Maria ..... with embarrassment when Mark asked her to speak in front of the class.  
**A** blinked **C** winked  
**B** frowned **D** blushed
- 65 Bill and Jean were looking at the travel ..... to decide where to go on holiday.  
**A** brochure **C** pamphlet  
**B** booklet **D** journal
- 66 Mr Smith was ..... regarded by his students.  
**A** highly **C** hugely  
**B** greatly **D** largely
- 67 I believe Mr Brown is the most ..... candidate for the job as he has all the necessary qualifications.  
**A** right **C** suitable  
**B** correct **D** proper
- 68 The jewellery was fake and turned out to be .....  
**A** priceless **C** worthless  
**B** invaluable **D** worthwhile
- 69 Neil wrote a ..... for £400 and made it out to Mark Jacobs.  
**A** sum **C** credit  
**B** cheque **D** cash
- 70 We have to ..... to an agreement on how we will deal with the problem quickly.  
**A** come **C** reach  
**B** arrive **D** get
- 71 I would like to inform all passengers and cabin crew that the plane is ready for .....  
**A** take apart **C** take off  
**B** take down **D** take after
- 72 Professors at the Academy of Science are going to do ..... into the effects of food additives on human behaviour.  
**A** study **C** explanations  
**B** research **D** inspections
- 73 You can get the ..... for our chocolate mousse online at [www.goodfoodmood.com](http://www.goodfoodmood.com).  
**A** description **C** inscription  
**B** prescription **D** recipe
- 74 Molly laid her clothes in a ..... on her bedroom floor.  
**A** bunch **C** pile  
**B** pack **D** batch
- 75 I ..... my new jumper and wore it to the party.  
**A** put together **C** put in  
**B** put away **D** put on
- 76 I have a really good ....., why don't we go to the amusement park?  
**A** belief **C** idea  
**B** thought **D** opinion
- 77 The burglar broke into the house in ..... daylight.  
**A** broad **C** high  
**B** wide **D** vast
- 78 Did you read the ..... in yesterday's newspaper about the earthquake in Indonesia?  
**A** article **C** review  
**B** notice **D** essay
- 79 Christine ..... money from the cash machine and went on a big shopping spree.  
**A** withdrew **C** ejected  
**B** gained **D** extracted



- 80 ..... his nasty remarks, Georgina forgave him.  
**A** In spite of **C** Besides  
**B** Although **D** Even though
- 81 The victim watched in horror as the robber .....  
**A** got by **C** got around  
**B** got ahead **D** got away
- 82 Although it's difficult, I ..... of becoming an astronaut one day.  
**A** hope **C** dream  
**B** aim **D** plan
- 83 Last night, the Prime Minister ..... his intentions to call a general election.  
**A** promoted **C** told  
**B** reported **D** announced
- 84 They say that reading is a wonderful way to ..... the mind.  
**A** widen **C** increase  
**B** broaden **D** enlarge
- 85 Milly and Rob decided to ..... a flat in London's east end.  
**A** hire **C** borrow  
**B** lend **D** rent
- 86 We ..... at him in disbelief as he tried to steal the woman's purse.  
**A** glanced **C** stared  
**B** glimpsed **D** watched
- 87 He had ..... knowledge of Astrophysics and often gave public seminars.  
**A** extensive **C** large  
**B** prolonged **D** lengthy
- 88 All staff here at the clothes shop get a 25% ..... on all items.  
**A** bargain **C** discount  
**B** refund **D** sale
- 89 It's true that the house is very expensive, but we can ..... that if we tighten our budget a little.  
**A** get around **C** get out  
**B** get by **D** get across
- 90 Joe sustained a very serious shoulder ..... in the car crash.  
**A** harm **C** damage  
**B** pain **D** injury
- 91 The theatre ..... applauded loudly as the play came to an end.  
**A** spectators **C** viewers  
**B** audience **D** listeners
- 92 Going to the cinema really ..... to me, but I'm not sure we'll get there in time.  
**A** appeals **C** attracts  
**B** pleases **D** invites
- 93 Sir Ian McKellen ..... 'Magneto' in the X-Men movies.  
**A** played **C** acted  
**B** performed **D** staged
- 94 The restaurant ..... wonderful service for its customers.  
**A** donates **C** provides  
**B** contributes **D** presents
- 95 I will stay with the lady ..... the police arrive.  
**A** as **C** until  
**B** since **D** so
- 96 Huge ..... of people turned out for the Rolling Stones' beach concert in Rio.  
**A** quantities **C** levels  
**B** figures **D** numbers
- 97 I'd like to ..... an appointment to see the doctor, please.  
**A** take **C** put  
**B** make **D** give
- 98 You can ..... how embarrassed he was when he fell over in front of everybody!  
**A** imagine **C** suppose  
**B** think **D** assume
- 99 Tests show the water ..... some dangerous chemicals.  
**A** involves **C** contains  
**B** requires **D** consists
- 100 He ..... his lifelong ambition to climb Mount Everest.  
**A** succeeded **C** fulfilled  
**B** moved **D** managed
- 101 She ..... home a book for her daughter.  
**A** delivered **C** fetched  
**B** moved **D** brought
- 102 He ..... his driving test last week.  
**A** placed **C** took  
**B** obtained **D** achieved
- 103 Her handbag ..... my attention.  
**A** caught **C** gripped  
**B** seized **D** snatched
- 104 Environmentalists believe that ..... energy will reduce global warming.  
**A** recyclable **C** rechargeable  
**B** reusable **D** renewable
- 105 The company ..... office last summer.  
**A** shifted **C** moved  
**B** altered **D** displaced
- 106 If I were you, I'd take your lawyer's ..... and not take the man to court.  
**A** notice **C** advice  
**B** suggestion **D** information



- 107 The mountaineer has ..... hopes of reaching the top of the mountain by Tuesday.  
**A** tall **C** big  
**B** wide **D** high
- 108 In the ....., people would often go to bed as soon as it got dark.  
**A** period **C** history  
**B** past **D** background
- 109 My teacher feels ..... that I will get good grades in the final exams.  
**A** safe **C** confident  
**B** secure **D** definite
- 110 Please make sure your seat belt is securely .....  
**A** bound **C** wrapped  
**B** tied **D** fastened
- 111 Does she ..... believe that she will win the lottery?  
**A** certainly **C** fairly  
**B** actually **D** positively
- 112 She will never forget the smile on her husband's face the first ..... he saw their baby son.  
**A** period **C** time  
**B** opportunity **D** occasion
- 113 My mum is really ..... with the way I keep my room tidy.  
**A** eager **C** pleased  
**B** fond **D** enthusiastic
- 114 If the victim is ..... breathing difficulties, check his throat for foreign objects.  
**A** creating **C** bearing  
**B** making **D** experiencing
- 115 Due to ..... weather conditions, Flight 404 to Calgary has been delayed.  
**A** heavy **C** hard  
**B** mean **D** severe
- 116 The band ..... the country, performing at over fifty sold-out concerts.  
**A** visited **C** governed  
**B** toured **D** invaded
- 117 My employer was delighted with the way in which I ..... with the angry client.  
**A** cared **C** dealt  
**B** met **D** faced
- 118 The miner ..... hearing loss after the huge explosion.  
**A** hurt **C** suffered  
**B** injured **D** damaged
- 119 The tour guide ..... out the different sights as we travelled through the historic village.  
**A** spoke **C** picked  
**B** pointed **D** showed
- 120 Once you've ..... all the dry ingredients, add the eggs and the oil.  
**A** joined **C** mixed  
**B** connected **D** fixed
- 121 The embassy explained that British passports are ..... for five years.  
**A** due **C** valid  
**B** worthy **D** valued
- 122 A ..... of bees buzzed around the hive.  
**A** flock **C** herd  
**B** swarm **D** school
- 123 Peter couldn't utter a(n) ..... word after he learnt he had won the award.  
**A** particular **C** single  
**B** only **D** unique
- 124 After a number of attempts, they finally ..... to get the large sofa up the stairs.  
**A** resulted **C** managed  
**B** succeeded **D** achieved
- 125 I know ..... how John felt when he scored the winning goal for his team.  
**A** distinctly **C** essentially  
**B** particularly **D** exactly
- 126 They believe that the bank will ..... them the money they need to buy the cottage.  
**A** borrow **C** pay  
**B** charge **D** lend
- 127 According to the survey, most ..... would prefer to have at least one day to themselves when on tour.  
**A** spectators **C** observers  
**B** onlookers **D** sightseers
- 128 Because of her age, it took her quite a long time to get ..... her illness.  
**A** on **C** out  
**B** over **D** in
- 129 Did Carol ..... you about her adventures in Africa?  
**A** say **C** remark  
**B** tell **D** explain
- 130 I'd like to get a ..... for that travel magazine but it's very expensive.  
**A** grant **C** donation  
**B** contribution **D** subscription
- 131 The fact that she can't hear very well ..... her a lot of problems.  
**A** makes **C** brings  
**B** affects **D** causes
- 132 The teacher told the girl's parents that she was not to ..... for what had happened.  
**A** accuse **C** blame  
**B** criticise **D** charge



- 133 The police are offering a ..... for any information about the burglary.  
**A** bribe **C** reward  
**B** tip **D** change
- 134 It's obvious that you have put a lot of ..... into your project.  
**A** effort **C** labour  
**B** task **D** attempt
- 135 Jason was left feeling ..... and empty after his best friend moved to another city.  
**A** sad **C** tired  
**B** weak **D** angry
- 136 The witness told the detective he had only managed to get a ..... of the robber's face.  
**A** glance **C** look  
**B** sight **D** glimpse
- 137 The manager of the restaurant always ..... his customers with respect.  
**A** deals **C** treats  
**B** copes **D** trades
- 138 He ..... his job application to their main office last week.  
**A** submitted **C** presented  
**B** offered **D** filed
- 139 A manager has to ..... a good example for the staff they supervise.  
**A** set **C** place  
**B** give **D** put
- 140 Your new furniture will be ..... within the week.  
**A** sent **C** provided  
**B** serviced **D** delivered
- 141 Drivers should exercise ..... caution because of the icy roads.  
**A** extreme **C** extensive  
**B** major **D** total
- 142 The guard told the prisoner it was impossible to ..... from the high-security prison.  
**A** miss **C** escape  
**B** pass **D** break
- 143 Sue was at the ..... of her career when she decided to have a family.  
**A** top **C** peak  
**B** summit **D** tip
- 144 Robert ..... a tune as he showered.  
**A** shouted **C** whistled  
**B** whispered **D** mumbled
- 145 Karen constantly ..... about her children.  
**A** disturbs **C** bothers  
**B** annoys **D** worries
- 146 The young boy was ..... of breaking the window in the shop.  
**A** blamed **C** charged  
**B** accused **D** sentenced
- 147 The actor received an award for his superb ..... in the film.  
**A** presence **C** impression  
**B** exhibition **D** performance
- 148 I ..... her for her sister.  
**A** understood **C** mistook  
**B** confused **D** misinterpreted
- 149 Because of the fog, I could ..... see the road in front of me.  
**A** hardly **C** tightly  
**B** heavily **D** terribly
- 150 His rudeness could ..... to his being dismissed.  
**A** raise **C** build  
**B** lead **D** generate
- 151 The train crosses the ..... between France and Germany.  
**A** limit **C** boundary  
**B** line **D** border
- 152 We're happy to announce that the tourist ..... is doing very well this year.  
**A** activity **C** trade  
**B** company **D** association
- 153 After spending weeks on it, they ..... the project successfully.  
**A** ended **C** completed  
**B** achieved **D** settled
- 154 Janet has never been very ..... on cooking or cleaning.  
**A** determined **C** willing  
**B** keen **D** eager
- 155 Since he got his promotion, Kevin is ..... in money!  
**A** curling **C** twisting  
**B** rolling **D** turning
- 156 The first part of the talk was about animals, while the ..... was about plants.  
**A** later **C** former  
**B** remaining **D** rest
- 157 She tried on every ..... pair of red shoes in the shop!  
**A** lone **C** single  
**B** one **D** sole
- 158 As she is studying to be a doctor, her father still ..... for her.  
**A** gives **C** spends  
**B** supplies **D** provides
- 159 The seminar placed ..... emphasis on how to become successful.  
**A** extra **C** important  
**B** particular **D** unique
- 160 Her parents won't ..... her go out alone at night.  
**A** take **C** let  
**B** trust **D** leave



- 161 They have decided to ..... their wedding until next year.  
**A** cancel **C** interrupt  
**B** suspend **D** postpone
- 162 Martin knew all his lines for the school play off by .....  
**A** chance **C** heart  
**B** sight **D** luck
- 163 He is ..... to be the best magician in the world.  
**A** viewed **C** regarded  
**B** noticed **D** considered
- 164 She ..... a lot of weight during her pregnancy.  
**A** collected **C** captured  
**B** gathered **D** gained
- 165 I've been trying to ..... Helen by phone for hours.  
**A** touch **C** reach  
**B** grasp **D** hold
- 166 You need a ..... to work in a foreign country.  
**A** certificate **C** permit  
**B** licence **D** diploma
- 167 You should never cook food while it is still .....  
**A** icy **C** freezing  
**B** chilled **D** frozen
- 168 Carol was ..... by the news when he told her.  
**A** shaken **C** stirred  
**B** mixed **D** beaten
- 169 The cyclist was badly ..... in the race.  
**A** damaged **C** injured  
**B** wrecked **D** spoiled
- 170 Put the life jacket on and ..... the straps.  
**A** tighten **C** stiffen  
**B** thicken **D** straighten
- 171 Give me a second and I'll think of a way to ..... the problem.  
**A** grasp **C** grip  
**B** seize **D** tackle
- 172 Stand up for yourself; you're ..... to your rights.  
**A** encouraged **C** entitled  
**B** enabled **D** enlisted
- 173 The World Cup will be ..... live on television.  
**A** broadcast **C** paraded  
**B** displayed **D** programmed
- 174 All nine ..... members on board the transport plane were safely rescued.  
**A** team **C** crew  
**B** cast **D** company
- 175 Although he never seems to be doing anything, he always seems to ..... good work.  
**A** create **C** produce  
**B** process **D** make
- 176 He ..... as manager of the football team after a disappointing season.  
**A** released **C** withdrew  
**B** resigned **D** discharged
- 177 Most of the bigger farms are in the western ..... of the country.  
**A** locality **C** division  
**B** region **D** piece
- 178 After hitting the rocks, the ship slowly began to .....  
**A** slide **C** sink  
**B** lower **D** deepen
- 179 He called the police to ..... the theft.  
**A** inform **C** report  
**B** declare **D** communicate
- 180 The government ..... a warning to tourists about possible dangers.  
**A** issued **C** said  
**B** told **D** announced
- 181 He quickly ..... interest in the topic.  
**A** dropped **C** lacked  
**B** lost **D** missed
- 182 My parents had a strong ..... on the career that I chose.  
**A** influence **C** effect  
**B** direction **D** guidance
- 183 The doctor ..... the patient before making a diagnosis.  
**A** tested **C** explored  
**B** examined **D** analysed
- 184 Can you tell me if this is the latest ..... of the book, please?  
**A** issue **C** copy  
**B** volume **D** edition
- 185 The bus ..... Manchester at 2:30 pm.  
**A** arrived **C** came  
**B** reached **D** got
- 186 The festival takes ..... every year in August.  
**A** place **C** site  
**B** scene **D** venue
- 187 We can all make a ..... if we recycle plastic bottles.  
**A** difference **C** donation  
**B** payment **D** variety
- 188 Amur tigers ..... extinction unless we take action.  
**A** meet **C** face  
**B** deal **D** become
- 189 Children should eat fruit ..... of sweets.  
**A** different **C** besides  
**B** other **D** instead



## • Word Formation

### Forming Nouns and Adjectives from Verbs

Some verbs form their nouns with the endings **-ion/-ation** and their respective adjectives with **-ive/-ative**.

impress	impression	impressive
inform	information	informative

#### C Fill in the correct form of the words in brackets.

- Laura needs a lot of ..... **(persuade)** to go out and enjoy herself.
- She achieved her position in the company through hard work and ..... **(dedicate)**.
- Sarah enjoys spending quiet time at her cottage. She practices yoga and ..... **(meditate)** there.
- The children in the class must learn to settle down. They are so ..... **(talk)**.
- I wish governments would do something to solve the problem of ..... **(pollute)** in our oceans and seas.
- She is an extremely interesting and ..... **(attract)** woman.
- Charitable ..... **(organise)** rely on volunteers to help with fundraising.
- Mark has always been ambitious and ..... **(compete)**. He will go far.
- I don't believe his story at all. It is a gross ..... **(exaggerate)** of the truth.
- Jean is a very ..... **(support)** friend to me. I can share all my secrets with her.

### Forming Nouns from Verbs and Adjectives

Some verbs and adjectives form nouns, which end in:

-ance	accept – acceptance, perform – performance
-ence	exist – existence, silent – silence

#### D Fill in the correct form of the words in brackets.

- It takes a lot of ..... **(persevere)** and determination to go to university and complete a degree.
- Her parents give her a weekly ..... **(allow)** for her fares and snacks.

- Peter's ..... **(insist)** on paying for the meal, was his way of saying thank you.
- There was a noisy ..... **(disturb)** outside on the street that attracted the attention of several people.
- There is often a lot of ..... **(resist)** to change.
- Foreigners have to get a ..... **(resident)** permit to live in Australia.
- Their ..... **(dominate)** over the other team was proven by the huge difference in the score.

### Forming Adjectives from Nouns and Adverbs from Adjectives

- Some common adjectives end in **-y**.  
*dirt – dirty, dust – dusty*, etc
- Most adverbs are formed by adding **-ly** to adjectives.  
*quick – quickly, proper – properly*
- Present participles and past participles can be used as adjectives. *bored – boring*  
Present participles (-ing) describe what or how somebody or something is and past participles (-ed) describe how people feel. *The lecture was interesting. We were interested in the lecture.*

#### E Fill in the correct form of the words in brackets.

- The children have been ..... **(anxious)** waiting for their grandma and grandpa to arrive.
- The wind was blowing ..... **(fierce)** across the open field.
- Please drive the car ..... **(slow)** out of the back gate. There could be someone else coming.
- Take care walking outside in winter. The pavement can be ..... **(ice)** and you could slip and fall.
- The ..... **(salt)** food made him feel very ..... **(thirst)**.
- The young boy ..... **(gentle)** stroked the small puppy.
- We thought that the show was simply ..... **(amaze)**.
- All the puppies were fit and ..... **(health)**.
- They were ..... **(impress)** by the speech.
- We were so ..... **(tire)** that we decided to stay in.



## Forming Adjectives from Nouns and Verbs

Common endings for adjectives formed from nouns and verbs are:

<b>-able</b> <i>enjoy – enjoyable</i>	<b>-ible</b> <i>sense – sensible</i>
<b>-al</b> <i>education – educational</i>	<b>-ic</b> <i>optimist – optimistic</i>
<b>-ant</b> <i>distance – distant</i>	<b>-ical</b> <i>psychology – psychological</i>
<b>-ar</b> <i>circle – circular</i>	<b>-ious</b> <i>ambition – ambitious</i>
<b>-ate</b> <i>temper – temperate</i>	<b>-ish</b> <i>self – selfish</i>
<b>-ial</b> <i>commerce – commercial</i>	<b>-ive</b> <i>respect – respectful</i>
<b>-ent</b> <i>differ – different</i>	<b>-less</b> <i>end – endless</i>
<b>-esque</b> <i>picture – picturesque</i>	<b>-ous</b> <i>danger – dangerous</i>
<b>-ful</b> <i>sorrow – sorrowful</i>	

### F Fill in the correct form of the words in brackets.

- The new hotel is ..... (**luxury**); it has everything a guest could wish for.
- He was ..... (**care**) with his homework and made a lot of mistakes.
- Jim is making an ..... (**admire**) effort to improve his pronunciation.
- My friend brought me flowers for my birthday. She is very thoughtful and ..... (**consider**).
- The furniture is not only ..... (**function**) it is also very attractive.
- She never shares anything with anyone. She is a very ..... (**self**) person.
- The Prime Minister was very ..... (**enthusiasm**) about the trade talks.
- The shoes were beautiful but they were too ..... (**expense**) for me to buy.
- He felt very ..... (**fool**) dressed up as a rabbit for the carnival.
- Steve wasn't working and was having ..... (**finance**) problems.

## Adjectives ending in **-ful** and **-less**

Adjectives ending in **-ful** show that the person/thing being described has or displays that quality.

*a beautiful woman* (indicates beauty)

Adjectives ending in **-less** show that the person/thing being described doesn't have or display that quality.

*a useless object* (has no use)

### G Fill in the correct form of the words in brackets.

- We enjoyed our holiday at the lake very much. We stayed in a ..... (**delight**) little cottage in the woods.

- The doctor promised me I would not feel anything and the injection would be ..... (**pain**).
- The runners were ..... (**thank**) for the water stations throughout the race.
- He always follows the rules of the road. He is a ..... (**care**) driver.
- You must be cautious when you take medication. Some can be ..... (**harm**) if you don't follow the directions properly.
- I have known Kate since we were young. She is my most ..... (**faith**) friend.
- Sometimes I feel ..... (**help**) in countries where I do not speak the language.
- Kate is a strong basketball player. She is the most ..... (**power**) athlete on our team.
- You need to add more salt to the soup. It is ..... (**taste**).
- The flowers are lovely. It was so ..... (**thought**) of you to remember me today.

## Forming Adjectives with a Negative Meaning

Negative adjectives are often formed with the prefix **un-** *able – unable* (not able)

Other prefixes commonly used to make negative forms are: **in-** (*inconsistent*); **im-** (*impossible*); **il-** (*illogical*); **ir-** (*irrelevant*); **dis-** (*disused*); **mis-** (*mistaken*); **non-** (*non-stop*); **anti-** (*antiseptic*); **over-** (*overcrowded*)

### H Fill in the correct form of the words in brackets.

- The car was bouncing up and down because the road surface was ..... (**even**) and full of holes.
- Tom didn't even say goodbye. I can't believe how ..... (**considerate**) he was.
- Don't believe him. He is so ..... (**honest**).
- The information was inaccurate and ..... (**leading**).
- After you handle raw meat, you should wash your hands with ..... (**bacterial**) soap.
- You can't count on him. He's so ..... (**responsible**).
- Unfortunately, almost all of her answers were ..... (**correct**) so she failed the exam.
- I can't come to the party. I'm afraid it's simply ..... (**possible**).
- No one liked the meat dish. The plate of food was left ..... (**touched**) on the table.
- Martha tends to ..... (**spend**) at the weekend and has very little money during the week.



**I Use the word given in capitals at the end of each line to form a word that fits in the gap.**

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|---|-------------------|
| 0 Don't trust Sally. She is <i>dishonest</i> .                            | <b>HONEST</b>     |
| 1 The report must be handed in by the ..... day of the month.             | <b>SEVEN</b>      |
| 2 Extreme sports have increased in ..... in recent years.                 | <b>POPULAR</b>    |
| 3 I was surprised he lost his temper as it is so ..... him.               | <b>LIKE</b>       |
| 4 She made her first ..... on the stage over fifty years ago.             | <b>APPEAR</b>     |
| 5 The cinema was ..... destroyed by the fire.                             | <b>COMPLETE</b>   |
| 6 Thomas Edison is a world famous .....                                   | <b>INVENT</b>     |
| 7 The new designs are a huge ..... on the previous ones.                  | <b>IMPROVE</b>    |
| 8 Anna is shy and feels ..... in large crowds of people.                  | <b>COMFORT</b>    |
| 9 The resort is always full at the ..... of the tourist season.           | <b>HIGH</b>       |
| 10 The company is increasing ..... of its most popular model.             | <b>PRODUCE</b>    |
| 11 Hundreds of ..... took part in the cross-country race.                 | <b>CYCLE</b>      |
| 12 It wasn't a very ..... job but at least it paid well.                  | <b>EXCITE</b>     |
| 13 The minister said it was ..... to tell when the economy would recover. | <b>POSSIBLE</b>   |
| 14 James claimed his refusal was ..... a matter of principle.             | <b>BASIC</b>      |
| 15 It's easy to get around ..... London on the underground.               | <b>CENTRE</b>     |
| 16 The forest fire forced many ..... to flee their homes.                 | <b>RESIDE</b>     |
| 17 This tourist agency ..... in adventure holidays.                       | <b>SPECIAL</b>    |
| 18 Lucy wears ..... scarves to brighten up her outfits.                   | <b>COLOUR</b>     |
| 19 One of the ..... of the disease is loss of physical strength.          | <b>CHARACTER</b>  |
| 20 Under the circumstances, I had no ..... but to accept his offer.       | <b>CHOOSE</b>     |
| 21 They came to an ..... that suited everyone.                            | <b>ARRANGE</b>    |
| 22 The new media player will be on ..... at the end of the year.          | <b>SELL</b>       |
| 23 I have been a ..... of jazz music since my early teens.                | <b>LOVE</b>       |
| 24 He looked back on his ..... as the happiest years of his life.         | <b>CHILD</b>      |
| 25 She tried on ..... hats until she found one she liked.                 | <b>VARY</b>       |
| 26 All health experts agree on the ..... of a balanced diet.              | <b>IMPORTANT</b>  |
| 27 The rapid ..... of tourism has boosted the country's economy.          | <b>GROW</b>       |
| 28 More than a ..... of the population lives in rural areas.              | <b>THREE</b>      |
| 29 The entry ..... for British Universities include Maths and English.    | <b>REQUIRE</b>    |
| 30 Weightlifting is a good way to increase muscle .....                   | <b>STRONG</b>     |
| 31 Despite being over eighty, she is very ..... for her age.              | <b>ENERGY</b>     |
| 32 The key to a good story is to build up the ..... slowly.               | <b>EXCITE</b>     |
| 33 His arrival was ....., so we were surprised to see him.                | <b>EXPECT</b>     |
| 34 My mother warned me not to talk to .....                               | <b>STRANGE</b>    |
| 35 Her favourite Hollywood ..... is 'West Side Story'.                    | <b>MUSIC</b>      |
| 36 He is ..... working on an environmental project.                       | <b>CURRENT</b>    |
| 37 You need to be ..... if you want to succeed in life.                   | <b>AMBITION</b>   |
| 38 Although Sam is a ..... footballer, he doesn't earn a lot of money.    | <b>PROFESSION</b> |
| 39 The young actors were extremely nervous before their first .....       | <b>PERFORM</b>    |
| 40 We spent an ..... morning wandering round the city.                    | <b>ENJOY</b>      |
| 41 He has a ..... to be too strict with his students at times.            | <b>TEND</b>       |
| 42 Many people are ..... of the dangers of swimming after eating.         | <b>AWARE</b>      |



43	He was arrested for being in ..... of a dangerous weapon.	<b>POSSESS</b>
44	I'm tired of hearing Alex boast about how ..... he is.	<b>SUCCESS</b>
45	The restaurant had a huge ..... of desserts to choose from.	<b>SELECT</b>
46	The school employs only native ..... to teach foreign languages.	<b>SPEAK</b>
47	You could ..... improve your music skills with regular practice.	<b>EASY</b>
48	The police have no ..... of the suspect's whereabouts.	<b>KNOW</b>
49	Jane says she has mixed ..... about starting her new job.	<b>FEEL</b>
50	Vitamin C can be very ..... against the common cold.	<b>EFFECT</b>
51	He got the job ..... of his lack of experience.	<b>REGARD</b>
52	Sir Francis Drake was a ..... English explorer.	<b>FAME</b>
53	You can ask the ..... for help in finding the books you want.	<b>LIBRARY</b>
54	Helen is proud of her ..... collection of antique furniture.	<b>VALUE</b>
55	He emphasised the ..... of daily exercise for staying healthy.	<b>IMPORTANT</b>
56	Which ..... has made your life easier?	<b>INVENT</b>
57	Some people find learning languages ..... easy.	<b>RELATIVE</b>
58	The previous ..... had beautifully restored the old cottage.	<b>OWN</b>
59	Good teachers give clear ..... to their students.	<b>EXPLAIN</b>
60	Please put your ..... at the bottom of the application form.	<b>SIGN</b>
61	Clara likes clothes that are both ..... and practical.	<b>ATTRACT</b>
62	The classes at this gym cater to all levels of .....	<b>FIT</b>
63	She is more ..... about the subject than anyone in the country.	<b>KNOW</b>
64	You don't have to have a lot of money to buy ..... clothes.	<b>FASHION</b>
65	It was a long journey but we stopped at a service station for .....	<b>REFRESH</b>
66	British Airways has ..... flights to New York from London.	<b>DAY</b>
67	Radio ..... were shocked by the DJ's rude comments.	<b>LISTEN</b>
68	The make-up artist is extremely .....; she transforms the actors.	<b>SKILL</b>
69	There is so much useful ..... on the Internet.	<b>INFORM</b>
70	It's very ..... for Simon to be in such a bad mood.	<b>USUAL</b>
71	She has a very ..... outlook on life and is always smiling.	<b>CHEER</b>
72	Engineers are working on the ..... of a new kind of car engine.	<b>DEVELOP</b>
73	John loves to visit ..... cities.	<b>HISTORY</b>
74	She has the ..... to make other people feel totally relaxed.	<b>ABLE</b>
75	All the ..... for putting the bicycle together were included.	<b>INSTRUCT</b>
76	The ..... of seeing his work displayed was the greatest reward.	<b>SATISFY</b>
77	Most of the people in my language class are .....	<b>BEGIN</b>
78	I like this place because it is very ..... and quiet.	<b>PEACE</b>
79	She is very ..... and will try anything new.	<b>ADVENTURE</b>
80	The ..... in Scotland was truly breathtaking.	<b>SCENE</b>
81	The fans thought the referee's decision was ..... when their team lost a point.	<b>FAIR</b>
82	He has recovered well from his ..... and is fitter than ever.	<b>INJURE</b>
83	The film received ..... reviews from the critics.	<b>DISAPPOINT</b>
84	The fast-flowing river is too ..... to swim in.	<b>DANGER</b>
85	My husband is very good at mending ..... pottery.	<b>BREAK</b>
86	It is not healthy to lose ..... in a short space of time.	<b>WEIGH</b>
87	Many people go fishing for .....	<b>RELAX</b>
88	I'm afraid the food at that restaurant isn't ..... good.	<b>PARTICULAR</b>



- 89 Children should not eat ..... foods like crisps.  
 90 We needed to find a ..... part for the broken machine.  
 91 A lot of important ..... were made at the meeting.  
 92 At the ..... of the film there is a lot of confusion.  
 93 You should sum up your main points in the ..... of the essay.  
 94 My coach's ..... has helped me improve my performance.  
 95 He has the ..... of all who have ever worked with him.  
 96 I was surprised by all the ..... the story got in the news.  
 97 We would like to thank everyone who made a ..... to the charity.  
 98 It is ..... that motivates us to gain knowledge.  
 99 She watched the train until it was completely out of .....  
 100 Many people ..... believe that money is the route to happiness.  
 101 Taking exams can be a very ..... experience.  
 102 I will not tolerate bad ..... in my classroom.  
 103 It was not ..... for children to work long hours in Victorian times.  
 104 The fire destroyed their home as well as all their .....  
 105 Mike has no ..... of going to the school reunion.  
 106 Trisha has spent a ..... amount of money on clothes recently.  
 107 The album had some ..... success in the USA.  
 108 It was ..... cold at the top of the hill.  
 109 The earthquake generated one of the most ..... tsunamis to strike the area.  
 110 The government must give more money for ..... research.  
 111 Put an end to her ..... and tell her what the secret is.  
 112 When you're sitting ..... , I'll begin the story.  
 113 Paris attracts millions of ..... every year.  
 114 The police are appealing for ..... information.  
 115 The people here are known for their ..... and hospitality.  
 116 Doctors work ..... hours because they are on call day and night.  
 117 The storm caused flooding in many ..... towns.  
 118 There have been many ..... over the plans.  
 119 The ..... crisis is leading to mass unemployment.  
 120 The rapid ..... of the company has surprised its rivals.  
 121 He began looking for ..... as soon as he left school.  
 122 The noise in the office is ruining my .....  
 123 He had a ..... career as a diplomat.  
 124 Tests show that the river contains ..... chemicals.  
 125 The ..... of the factory will mean more jobs for local people.  
 126 The family ..... sits down together for Sunday dinner.  
 127 The restaurant said that ..... have to be made a week in advance.  
 128 The city offers a wide choice of .....  
 129 None of the ..... she sent her book to were interested in it.  
 130 You need a ..... dictionary when learning a foreign language.  
 131 If 10 am is ..... for you, we can reschedule the meeting.  
 132 He tried to hide his ..... but you could see it on his face.  
 133 This region of France produces a wide ..... of cheeses.  
 134 They serve many ..... from the local area.

**HEALTH**  
**REPLACE**  
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**SCIENCE**  
**SUFFER**  
**COMFORT**  
**TOUR**  
**ADDITION**  
**WARM**  
**REGULAR**  
**COAST**  
**DISAGREE**  
**ECONOMY**  
**GROW**  
**EMPLOY**  
**CONCENTRATE**  
**REMARK**  
**INDUSTRY**  
**EXPAND**  
**USUAL**  
**RESERVE**  
**ENTERTAIN**  
**PUBLISH**  
**RELY**  
**CONVENIENT**  
**DISAPPOINT**  
**VARY**  
**SPECIAL**



- 135 It was ..... to see them again after such a long time.  
 136 The film was in Spanish with English .....  
 137 The town has remained .....; everything is the same as it was.  
 138 My father ..... of smoking, he says it is a health hazard.  
 139 The footballer was very ..... and missed the goal.  
 140 The government is taking emergency ..... to deal with the crisis.  
 141 There is a ..... that he could sign for Manchester United.  
 142 The crystal vase was carefully packed to ..... it did not break.  
 143 ....., he didn't manage to pass the entrance examination.  
 144 The winning ..... receives a small cash prize.  
 145 We want to go to a ..... island for our holiday this year.  
 146 We stayed at a ..... little guest house in the village.  
 147 He had a very ..... career at the university.  
 148 She is ..... respected by her colleagues.  
 149 Visitor ..... include an amusement park and a zoo.  
 150 A flower show is held ..... in the park.  
 151 The weather was too ..... to go on the boat ride.  
 152 His lack of qualifications made him ..... for the job.  
 153 Despite the rain, ..... at the outdoor concert was high.  
 154 The police caught the ..... who broke into the house.  
 155 The government has come to an ..... with the unions.  
 156 My time is very ....., so please be quick.  
 157 It is ..... to take out insurance before you go on holiday.  
 158 I don't have a car, so I'm ..... on public transport to get to work.  
 159 Most teenagers are actually ..... and polite young people.  
 160 The coach gives the players a lot of ..... before matches.  
 161 She ..... placed each glass next to the plates.  
 162 Doing a difficult task in small stages makes it more .....  
 163 South Africa has eleven ..... languages.  
 164 I bumped into him in the street ..... by chance.  
 165 Cameron had to overcome many ..... in his early career.  
 166 It was a ..... plan, but it worked well in the end.  
 167 It has become ..... clear that a solution must be found.  
 168 This air freshener will get rid of ..... smells.  
 169 All the company's ..... were happy with the pay rise.  
 170 Going to the theatre is a wonderful form of .....  
 171 Schools are trying to increase ..... about the environment.  
 172 To withdraw money from the bank you will need proof of .....  
 173 Most ..... agree that human activities affect the Earth's climate.  
 174 She left him a note as a ..... of what he had to do that day.  
 175 Please make sure you arrive ..... for your appointment.  
 176 Sandra is very ..... about her exams next month.  
 177 I went to the restaurant on the ..... of a friend.  
 178 Greenpeace is a well-known ..... organisation.  
 179 Many people reacted ..... when they heard the news.  
 180 Claude Monet is one of the greatest ..... of the 19th century.

**WONDER**  
**TITLE**  
**CHANGE**  
**APPROVE**  
**LUCKY**  
**ACT**  
**POSSIBLE**  
**SURE**  
**FORTUNATE**  
**CONTEST**  
**TROPIC**  
**DELIGHT**  
**IMPRESS**  
**HIGH**  
**ATTRACT**  
**ANNUAL**  
**STORM**  
**SUIT**  
**ATTEND**  
**BURGLE**  
**AGREE**  
**LIMIT**  
**ADVISE**  
**DEPEND**  
**HELP**  
**ENCOURAGE**  
**CARE**  
**MANAGE**  
**OFFICE**  
**PURE**  
**DIFFICULT**  
**RISK**  
**INCREASE**  
**PLEASE**  
**EMPLOY**  
**ENTERTAIN**  
**AWARE**  
**IDENTIFY**  
**SCIENCE**  
**REMIND**  
**PUNCTUAL**  
**ANXIETY**  
**RECOMMEND**  
**ENVIRONMENT**  
**ANGRY**  
**PAINT**



## • Prepositions

### J Fill in the correct preposition.

- 1 Nicholas was absent ..... school for more than a month.
- 2 Demand ..... oil has increased over the past decade.
- 3 Tom was really upset because Mary accused him ..... lying.
- 4 Cindy is allergic ..... cats.
- 5 He argues ..... his brother ..... politics all the time.
- 6 The homeless person begged ..... money on the street.
- 7 She apologised to me ..... being late.
- 8 My parents don't approve ..... smoking.
- 9 She arrived ..... good time for the meeting.
- 10 Janet is very attached ..... her pet cat.
- 11 His latest film is based ..... the life of a woman called Monica Jay.
- 12 I don't believe ..... ghosts.
- 13 The politician was nervous ..... the upcoming election.
- 14 They were relying ..... him to find a solution.
- 15 The police are warning householders to beware ..... thieves after a series of burglaries in the area.
- 16 I need some advice ..... which car to buy.
- 17 Don't blame Ted ..... the accident – it's not his fault.
- 18 The child was bored ..... his new toy after a few hours of playing with it.
- 19 Susan blames her lack of independence ..... her mother.
- 20 Fred is brilliant ..... Physics.
- 21 When Tom is angry, he is capable ..... saying rude things.
- 22 Philip is very good ..... solving riddles.
- 23 You can't draw comparisons ..... life in the country and life in the city.
- 24 The police arrested him ..... vandalising public property.
- 25 Martin complained ..... toothache.
- 26 This product does not comply ..... British safety standards.
- 27 I can't concentrate ..... my studies and listen to music at the same time.
- 28 He is being considered ..... the best actor nomination.
- 29 My parents are very happy ..... my marks at school.
- 30 Contrary ..... popular belief, bottled water is not always better than tap water.
- 31 I couldn't get into the shop because it was crowded ..... Christmas shoppers.
- 32 I used to be scared ..... spiders.
- 33 I don't like people who are cruel ..... animals.
- 34 Robert is delighted ..... his new car.
- 35 The flight to London departs ..... gate 3B at 9 pm.
- 36 Mark decided to apply ..... Scarborough Ltd ..... the position advertised in the newspaper.
- 37 Ruth's grandchildren are very dear ..... her.
- 38 There has been an increase ..... the number of people out of work.
- 39 The earthquake has caused serious damage ..... the buildings in the area.
- 40 He took time off work to recover ..... the illness.
- 41 The pop star was accompanied ..... her manager.
- 42 The driver was disqualified ..... the race for not following the rules.
- 43 The group's fans are eager ..... news of the concert.
- 44 After such a hot summer we are all hoping ..... some cooler weather.
- 45 Gary got engaged ..... his girlfriend Cathy.
- 46 The two bikes crashed ..... each other on the track.
- 47 He has been dismissed ..... his job due to his poor performance.
- 48 The coach congratulated the team ..... their excellent performance during the play-offs.
- 49 You should never be envious ..... your friends.
- 50 Christina is married ..... Robert.
- 51 He is very experienced ..... using different computer programmes.
- 52 Tim was dissatisfied ..... the service in the restaurant so he complained to the manager.
- 53 She is an expert ..... Russian history.



- 54 Her failure ..... arrive on time for work led to her being fired.
- 55 Venice is famous ..... its carnival which takes place once a year.
- 56 Karen is very fond ..... dogs.
- 57 She forgave him ..... offending her.
- 58 She is extremely frightened ..... spiders.
- 59 David is very keen ..... playing golf at the weekends.
- 60 Crash diets are harmful ..... your health.
- 61 He hasn't heard ..... his pen friend in China for a while.
- 62 The Prince of Wales is heir ..... the British throne.
- 63 I was very impressed ..... his extensive knowledge of English literature.
- 64 She insisted ..... having her lawyer present before signing the contract.
- 65 The teacher was intent ..... helping the weak student catch up with the rest of the class.
- 66 Martin failed to pass his driving test ..... the second time.
- 67 There's no excuse ..... her rude behaviour.
- 68 She was very jealous ..... her sister's popularity.
- 69 Fiona was named ..... her grandmother.
- 70 That actress is known ..... causing problems with her co-stars.
- 71 Is the surgeon going to operate ..... her leg tomorrow?
- 72 Most students object ..... wearing school uniforms.
- 73 I mistook you ..... Pamela – you look alike.
- 74 The candidate made a good impression ..... the voters with his speech.
- 75 He was expelled ..... school for fighting with another student.
- 76 She is totally unaware ..... the risks involved in rock climbing.
- 77 He qualified ..... a doctor five years ago.
- 78 She studied law and specialises ..... criminal cases.
- 79 Nobody expected her to pass her exams so they were all surprised ..... the good news.
- 80 Going to the gym every day was difficult but the exercise was beneficial ..... the long run.
- 81 It's quite typical ..... him to come to work late.
- 82 It was so crowded ..... the bus this morning that a woman fainted.
- 83 I like watching a film ..... the comfort of my living room.
- 84 She had to use a ladder as the books on the top shelf were ..... reach.
- 85 I don't have any idea what to do; I'm ..... a loss!
- 86 She thanked the speaker ..... behalf of everyone in the class.
- 87 He was ..... pain for a few days after the accident.
- 88 Nowadays most people prefer reading the news ..... the Internet.
- 89 I've read a few good books lately but this was ..... far the best.
- 90 Their conversation was strictly ..... the record and was kept secret.
- 91 Some people can be very productive when they are ..... pressure.
- 92 ..... the beginning of the film you are introduced to the characters.
- 93 She is staying with her sister ..... the time being.
- 94 ..... addition to being a talented painter, she is also a remarkable musician.
- 95 Sometimes you get a better deal if you pay ..... credit card.
- 96 The police suspect him ..... stealing the missing files.
- 97 His latest action film is very popular ..... teenagers.
- 98 She always takes pride ..... her children's achievements.
- 99 He prefers coffee ..... tea.
- 100 You shouldn't eat sweets since you're ..... a diet.
- 101 He always behaves ..... such a silly way that nobody respects him.
- 102 I was wrong ..... the time; the class starts at 9 am not 8 am.
- 103 The doctor can only be seen ..... appointment.
- 104 After losing everything they had, they had to start ..... scratch.
- 105 A lot of important discoveries happen ..... chance.
- 106 Scientists are currently conducting research ..... the possible causes of the disease.
- 107 After confessing to his crime, he was sentenced ..... life imprisonment.
- 108 Everyone was shocked ..... the tragic news.



- 109 I can't find a solution ..... this problem.
- 110 You can't rely ..... him because he never keeps his word.
- 111 Applications should be made ..... writing to the personnel department.
- 112 My brother always takes pleasure ..... teasing me.
- 113 Nobody knows who is responsible ..... the fire.
- 114 All negotiations failed and the two countries were still ..... war.
- 115 He wasn't good with money and ended up ..... debt.
- 116 Life is full of surprises, so don't take anything ..... granted.
- 117 The lift is not ..... use because it is broken.
- 118 Her views are similar ..... mine; that's why we never argue.
- 119 Fish and meat are rich ..... protein.
- 120 Her dance teacher is always pleased ..... her performance.
- 121 Some women spend a lot of money ..... cosmetics.
- 122 Since I moved house, I have kept ..... touch with my old friends by email.
- 123 She is very sensitive ..... other people's feelings.
- 124 Please hand in your assignment by Friday ..... the latest.
- 125 Students' papers were piled one ..... top of the other in the professor's study.
- 126 ..... some respects the new version of the song is better than the original one.
- 127 She left her briefcase ..... the top of the stairs this morning.
- 128 All her complaints were ..... vain as nobody seemed to bother.
- 129 He is very proud ..... his promotion to senior editor.
- 130 ..... the one hand, her job is exciting but it can be stressful too.
- 131 Women live longer than men, ..... average.
- 132 There's a beautiful house ..... sale in my neighbourhood.
- 133 They have lived ..... the suburbs all their lives and they don't want to move to the city centre.
- 134 Don't read the text ..... detail; just scan it.
- 135 They spend their summers in a beautiful house ..... the coast.
- 136 War must be avoided ..... all costs.
- 137 He felt very worried at first but ..... the end everything went well.
- 138 You can have a party here ..... condition that you clean up afterwards.
- 139 He's been ..... work for a long time now and feels depressed.
- 140 It was such a sad film that the viewers were ..... tears.
- 141 The main suspect has been traced and is ..... arrest.
- 142 You will receive your new credit card ..... post.
- 143 My name is Nicholas – or Nick ..... short.
- 144 You have to pay a deposit ..... arrival at the hotel.
- 145 ..... second thoughts, I'd rather not go to the party.
- 146 He hasn't replied ..... my invitation yet.
- 147 Don't shout; I'm sure he didn't do it ..... purpose.
- 148 He's a specialist ..... modern German literature.
- 149 I want to speak to you ..... private; make sure there's nobody around.
- 150 She has very good taste ..... clothes.
- 151 It is impolite to stare ..... people.
- 152 That song is popular ..... people of all ages.
- 153 Critics raved ..... the new film and gave it good reviews.
- 154 He has the reputation ..... being a strict teacher.
- 155 ..... law, drivers in most countries must wear a seat belt.
- 156 We can cut the apple ..... half and share it.
- 157 Kelly suffers ..... terrible allergies in spring and autumn.
- 158 Carmen was highly qualified ..... the teaching position.
- 159 Which one of the sisters are you referring ..... ?
- 160 I used to be good at tennis but I'm out ..... practice.
- 161 We heard about the car accident ..... the news.
- 162 The firemen soon had the blaze ..... control.
- 163 I'm writing ..... regard to your email.
- 164 My best friend and I have a lot ..... common.



## • Phrasal Verbs

**K** Fill in the correct particle.

- 1 When is the new Harry Potter film coming .....
- 2 Something in the fridge is giving ..... a terrible smell.
- 3 We will have to cut ..... on our expenses if we want to save money.
- 4 My brother often asks me to lend him money but he always pays me .....
- 5 The price of petrol has gone ..... three times in the last month.
- 6 I looked out of the window and saw Henry's car pulling ..... in the driveway.
- 7 Let's see if we can work ..... a way to solve this problem.
- 8 I felt so tired today in class that I didn't really take ..... anything the teacher said.
- 9 My trainers are totally worn .....; I'll have to get some new ones.
- 10 All the students look ..... Mr Brown because he's such a good teacher.
- 11 A big German Shepherd went ..... my little dog.
- 12 I think I'll go ..... my essay again one more time before I hand it in.
- 13 I don't think Ben is cut ..... to be a waiter; he's too clumsy!
- 14 Amazingly, the cat and the dog get ..... really well together.
- 15 I came ..... a terrible cold on the day of Andy's party, so I couldn't go.
- 16 Mrs Jenkins told us to carry ..... with our work while she spoke to the head teacher.
- 17 When she came ....., she couldn't remember what had happened.
- 18 Samantha is always in a bad mood these days; she's really getting me .....!
- 19 I've had this little address book for so long that it's falling .....
- 20 I've got such a busy day today; I don't know how I'm going to get ..... it.
- 21 They called ..... to see her aunt on the way to Bristol.
- 22 The picnic went ..... despite the terrible weather.
- 23 I get ..... really well with my older sister; we never argue.
- 24 Alex has put ..... a lot of weight since he started working in an office.
- 25 We set ..... for the train station at six o'clock this morning.
- 26 Can you help me put ..... this painting in the living room?
- 27 The thief passed himself ..... as an electrician in order to get into old people's homes.
- 28 Don't forget to turn ..... all the lights when you leave the house.
- 29 MP stands ..... 'Member of Parliament'.
- 30 I don't know why she's taken ..... biting her nails.
- 31 David took the books ..... to the library when he had finished reading them.
- 32 There are signs all over the park saying 'Keep ..... the Grass'.
- 33 She complained of feeling dizzy and then suddenly she passed .....
- 34 I didn't ask Marge if I could stay at her house because I didn't want to put her .....
- 35 I usually clear the table, while my sister sees ..... washing the dishes.
- 36 Can you look ..... your granddad on your way home and check he's okay?
- 37 I never get up straight away in the morning when my alarm goes .....
- 38 Tom and Tracy were going to get married this summer but they have just broken ..... their engagement.
- 39 The match was called ..... due to the heavy snowstorm.
- 40 I simply can't do ..... my electronic organiser; I use it all the time.
- 41 Richard draws heavily ..... his teaching experience each time he gives a presentation.
- 42 I'm trying to give ..... eating junk food.
- 43 Fortunately, everyone saw ..... Iain's lies.
- 44 Put the lid on the cake tin, Brian – it'll keep ..... the flies.
- 45 When I phoned the shop to complain, I was put ..... to the manager.
- 46 Why don't we look ..... the information we need on the Internet?
- 47 The construction company wants to pull ..... the old factory and build some new houses in its place.
- 48 The whole family went to see Doug ..... at the airport when he left to go on his trip around Asia.



- 49 Michelle is finding it difficult to keep ..... her schoolwork because she is working in a restaurant almost every evening.
- 50 The bank robbers managed to make ..... with almost £1 million.
- 51 Look, there's a crowd of people over there – what's going .....
- 52 John promised to take me out for a meal to make ..... missing my birthday.
- 53 They let us ..... the room after we showed them our invitation card.
- 54 The coach broke ..... on the way to the airport and I nearly missed my flight.
- 55 I came ..... an interesting article in the newspaper this morning.
- 56 Unfortunately, only a few people turned ..... at the meeting.
- 57 The police were standing ..... in case of any problems at the demonstration.
- 58 I ran ..... Judy on the way to the supermarket this morning.
- 59 Joe has to leave now – can you see him .....
- 60 The teacher ran ..... thirty copies of the new timetable and gave one to each student.
- 61 She opened the door to let the cat ..... so it could sit in the garden.
- 62 If you set ..... a little money each week, you'll save quite a lot.
- 63 The teacher told the class that they should carry ..... working.
- 64 Peter arrived late at the restaurant because he got held ..... at work.
- 65 When I look ..... my childhood, I have many fond memories.
- 66 As the car pulled ....., we ran out to greet them.
- 67 The guide told us to look ..... rare wildlife as we walked through the valley.
- 68 The teacher called Angie's parents to tell them that she was falling ..... with her schoolwork.
- 69 The rash went ..... quickly after I took the antibiotics.
- 70 The new boy seemed very quiet so I chatted with him to try to draw him .....
- 71 The government have decided to do ..... the old style of exams.
- 72 Unfortunately, plans to build a brand new sports centre in the town have fallen .....
- 73 Daniel didn't let ..... that he knew Jill was planning a surprise party.
- 74 The snow is falling fast now; winter really seems to have set .....
- 75 The firefighters battled all night to put ..... the flames.
- 76 A small crowd of people looked ..... at the scene of the accident.
- 77 Tina couldn't hold ..... her tears when she heard the terrible news.
- 78 As a doctor, I try to keep ..... all the latest developments in medicine.
- 79 You managed to put ..... your ideas really well at the meeting, Greg.
- 80 Bill and Jean have just set ..... their own business.
- 81 He was told that his uncle had passed ..... after a long illness.
- 82 I suggest going for a long walk to work ..... all the calories we just ate!
- 83 The house had been painted bright yellow and really stood .....
- 84 The plane was unable to take ..... on time due to the thick fog.
- 85 The boys were turned ..... from the new restaurant because they were wearing jeans.
- 86 Fortunately, Adam's headache wore ..... as the day went on.
- 87 I like the idea of installing security cameras in the school; I'm totally ..... it.
- 88 The burglars' trial will take place earlier now; it has been brought ..... by a month.
- 89 She had been brought ..... in the countryside and found city life too stressful.
- 90 He gets ..... very early every day in order to catch the train.
- 91 Why don't you come ..... to my house tomorrow for a chat?
- 92 The perfume of the roses brought ..... memories of childhood.
- 93 The Second World War broke ..... in September 1939.
- 94 Historians still argue about what or who finally brought ..... the Roman Empire.
- 95 It's a situation that calls ..... serious attention.
- 96 Someone broke ..... my dad's office last night and stole his computer.
- 97 There's a good documentary ..... TV tonight.
- 98 Brian has come ..... a great idea for the short story competition.
- 99 The flowers in the garden are beginning to come .....; they look beautiful.



- 100 Look .....; the paint is wet!
- 101 Tom was joking about where he had been and we all fell ..... it.
- 102 My teacher said the essay needed more work, so she gave it ..... to me.
- 103 The baby's sleeping, so try to keep the noise .....
- 104 My grandfather used to make ..... wonderful stories to tell me when I was a child.
- 105 The drama department at my school are putting ..... a play next week.
- 106 Sarah's unusual hair style makes her stand ..... wherever she goes.
- 107 Now children, turn ..... to the next page.
- 108 This sofa takes ..... most of the living room.
- 109 Please turn ..... the TV; it's really loud.
- 110 When she was twenty one, Sandra came ..... a lot of money which had been left to her by her grandfather.
- 111 Even though Peter and Amy have been through a difficult time they are determined not to break .....
- 112 They carried ..... some tests to see the effects of the new drug.
- 113 A young woman came ..... me in the park and asked me the time.
- 114 Do ..... your shoe laces or you'll trip over them.
- 115 If you don't pay your bill soon, your phone will be cut .....
- 116 That soap opera you like is coming ..... in a minute!
- 117 Don't go ..... what other people tell you; find out for yourself.
- 118 The manager drew ..... a list of the people he wanted to interview for the job.
- 119 We haven't got any butter, so we'll have to do .....
- 120 I wouldn't bring that subject ..... again with Greg if I were you!
- 121 When they set ....., the weather was perfect for hiking.
- 122 The project is coming ..... really well and should be completed soon.
- 123 The teacher advised me to cut a few paragraphs ..... of my essay.
- 124 She cut ..... the photos into little pieces and threw them in the bin.
- 125 Sally decided to put ..... all her winter clothes when the weather changed.
- 126 When Simon was offered a place at university, he decided it was an opportunity he couldn't pass .....
- 127 Whenever I'm in trouble, I always turn ..... my best friend Mick.
- 128 Vicky was shaking before making her speech, but she managed to pull herself ..... before she had to go on stage.
- 129 Unfortunately, I've got to have a tooth taken .....
- 130 Dylan stood ..... and walked towards the door.
- 131 I think I'll turn ..... now because I have to get up very early tomorrow morning.
- 132 The manager has recently taken ..... five new members of staff.
- 133 It was very hot on the bus, so I took ..... my jacket.
- 134 Do you know what RSPCA stands .....?
- 135 Graham was offered the job but he turned it .....
- 136 I'm taking a day ..... work on Tuesday to take my niece to the zoo.
- 137 The news of the couple's marriage soon got .....
- 138 Why don't you come ..... to the house for lunch at the weekend?
- 139 My best friend always stands ..... for me, whatever others say.
- 140 You will have to replace the tyre because it has worn .....
- 141 My birthday seems to come ..... faster and faster each year!
- 142 I get paid so little that I can hardly get ..... each month.
- 143 Now that I have more free time, I'm thinking of taking ..... painting.
- 144 The terrible service at that restaurant has really put me ..... going there again.
- 145 I didn't really want to go to Spain with Andrew, but it turned ..... to be one of the best holidays of my life.
- 146 Harry fell ..... Lucy as soon as he met her.
- 147 Philip will take ..... the company when his father retires.
- 148 I've been very busy today, so I haven't got ..... to calling Phil yet.
- 149 The new products that the company have brought ..... seem to be quite popular.
- 150 The building of the new shopping centre brought ..... big changes in the town.



## **I. Give the English for:**

- A.** автомобиль, поезд, самолёт, мотоцикл, мопед, лодка, автобус, велосипед, корабль, такси, выйти из, сесть на, ехать на, водить, пропустить (не успеть на), пробка (на дороге), сломаться, возможность, известность, репутация, согласие, расстояние, отдалённый, руль
- B.** маршировать, поскользнуться, ползти, бродить, красться, шататься (идти, покачиваясь из стороны в сторону), бродячий, споткнуться

## **II. Express these in English:**

набрать скорость, набрать вес, набрать опыт, выиграть соревнование, получить свободу, сесть в автомобиль, сесть на поезд/в автобус, ехать на велосипеде, упустить шанс, вредная привычка, сломаться по дороге, приобрести известность, прийти к согласию, получать удовольствие от, ремонтировать неисправность, попасть в пробку, задержать отправление, успеть на автобус, средство передвижения

## **III. Translate these sentences into English.**

1. Автомобиль — это самый распространённый транспорт во многих странах, где построены хорошие дороги.
2. Путешествие на самолёте занимает намного меньше времени, чем на поезде.
3. Рейс был задержан по причине плохой погоды в аэропорту прибытия.
4. Этот гонщик приобретёт всемирную славу после нескольких побед подряд и станет чемпионом.
5. Авиакомпания не дала согласие на изменение стоимости билетов на рейсы, хотя терпела убытки.
6. У этого водителя есть вредная привычка говорить по мобильному телефону во время езды, а это строго запрещается правилами дорожного движения.
7. Мы опоздали, так как машина сломалась по дороге, и мы долго искали станцию техобслуживания.
8. Автобус был переполнен в час пик, и я не смог сесть в него со всем своим багажом. Пришлось взять такси.
9. Нет ничего лучше, чем кататься на велосипеде по лесным тропинкам, особенно если велосипед приспособлен для этого.
10. У этой марки автомобиля очень хорошая репутация благодаря его надёжности и безопасности.
11. Я никак не могу избавиться от вредной привычки превышать скорость на шоссе, и меня уже несколько раз штрафовали.
12. Моя семья в конце концов пришла к согласию по поводу того, какой автомобиль купить для летних путешествий, и скоро мы отправимся в поездку.



#### IV. Express the same in English.

1. — Ты когда-нибудь летал самолётом?  
— Да, много раз.  
— А куда ты летал?  
— На Чёрное море с родителями.
2. — По-моему, наш рейс задерживается.  
— Давайте посмотрим на табло.  
— Да, действительно! Рейс задерживается на 1 час.  
— Ничего страшного. Можно попить кофе и погулять по аэропорту.
3. — Как ты относишься к езде на мотоцикле?  
— В целом нормально. А ты?  
— Я предпочитаю ездить на машине.  
— Понятно. В дождливую погоду машина лучше.
4. — Мне надоели пробки на дорогах.  
— Мне тоже, но ничего не поделаешь.  
— Я знаю более короткую дорогу отсюда без пробок.  
— Почему ты об этом раньше не сказал?
5. — Ты знаешь, что я выиграл велосипедную гонку?  
— Правда? Поздравляю!  
— Спасибо! А ты катаешься на велосипеде?  
— Иногда, но я не участвую в соревнованиях.

#### V. Express this text in English.

Из всех видов передвижений больше всего я люблю ходить пешком. Конечно, хороший автомобиль может доставить много радости, а езда на велосипеде ещё и полезна для здоровья. Но пешком можно и везде успеть, и многое увидеть. Я никогда не упускаю возможности походить пешком по окрестностям и посетить самые красивые места своего края. Ходьба пешком — прекрасное спортивное упражнение, и оно помогает мне не набирать лишний вес. Кроме того, я не боюсь попасть в автомобильную пробку и не беспокоюсь, что что-нибудь сломается по дороге. Всё, что мне нужно — это спортивная обувь, лёгкая одежда и зонтик на случай дождя. Иногда я сажусь на поезд или автобус, чтобы добраться до далёкого озера или до других живописных мест. А там я хожу со своим фотоаппаратом и делаю снимки на память о путешествии.



## I. Give the English for:

- A. фрукты, овощи, хлопья (зерновые), молочные продукты, молоко, творог, масло (сливочное), масло (оливковое), йогурт, сметана, мясо, говядина, телятина, свинина, баранина, птица, цыплёнок, рыба, лосось, тунец, осётр, щука, углеводы, жиры, белок, гарнир, ингредиенты, помешивать, перемешивать, смешать, жарить на сковороде (гриле, в духовке), сушить, мариновать
- B. худой, бледный, истощённый, трудный, срочный, стараться, высмеивать, помириться, причёсываться, ошибаться, разбогатеть, навредить, подружиться, подвинуться, услужить, уточнить, враждовать
- C. лук, сыр, фрукты, хлеб, тост, мясо, рис, клубника, фасоль, пирожное, пирог, макароны, спагетти, натёртый (сыр), бифштекс, недожаренный (бифштекс), непрожаренный (бифштекс), шипучий, жаренный (на сковороде, на гриле, в духовке)

## II. Express these in English:

- A. посыпать сыром, жарить до золотистого цвета, замачивать фасоль до утра, томить овощи на медленном огне, отбросить на дуршлаг, с низким содержанием жира, тростниковый сахар, хорошо прожаренный бифштекс, газированная вода, свежие фрукты, следить за весом, сократить потребление соли, мариновать несколько часов
- B. мыть посуду, принимать решение, сделать одолжение/оказать услугу, назначить встречу, выполнить работу, хорошо справиться с заданием
- C. следить за своим весом, уменьшить потребление соли, достичь цели, очистить от кожуры, обращаться с любовью, искусственные зубы, рецепт (медицинский, кулинарный), квитанция

## III. Translate these sentences into English.

1. Мне нужен рецепт йоркширского пудинга, чтобы угостить моих друзей настоящим английским блюдом.
2. Я не знаю что делать, чтобы сбросить свой лишний вес.
3. Сколько ты мариновал цыплёнка перед тем, как жарить его в духовке?
4. Я стараюсь не употреблять животные жиры, так как растительные более полезны для здоровья.
5. В нашей семье мы всегда предпочитали низкокалорийную диету.
6. Я собираюсь испечь пирожное, но мне нужна мука, несколько яиц, молоко и свежее сливочное масло.
7. Консервированные соки содержат добавки, и поэтому лучше пить свежавыжатые соки.
8. Тебе лучше меньше есть всякие сэндвичи, чтобы не прибавлять лишний вес.
9. Я могу сделать тебе омлет, и ты быстро перекусишь, чтобы не быть голодным до ужина.



10. В дорогу я обычно беру пару бутербродов с ветчиной и сыром, а кроме этого яйца, сваренные вкрутую.
11. Чтобы не употреблять слишком много калорий, мы всегда покупаем обезжиренное молоко.
12. Для меня варёное мясо лучше жареного, так как у меня проблемы с желудком и нужна особая диета без жареного.

#### IV. Express the same in English.

1. — Я умираю от голода.  
— Потерпи минуту. Я накрываю на стол.  
— Что у нас сегодня на обед?  
— Салат из огурцов, холодный свекольник и цыплёнок с рисом.  
— В такую жару нет ничего лучше холодного свекольника.
2. — Зачем тебе столько слив?  
— Я хочу сделать сливовый пудинг.  
— Никогда не пробовал.  
— Подожди немного. Он очень вкусный.
3. — Телефон звонит!  
— Не могу подойти. У меня молоко на плите.  
— Боишься убежит?  
— Конечно. Оно вот-вот закипит.
4. — Сколько времени мне нужно томить эти томаты?  
— Совсем немного. Не больше пяти минут.  
— А потом добавить их в борщ?  
— Да. Они придают борщу очень приятный вкус.
5. — Подожди минуту, я угощу тебя свежавыжатым соком.  
— Как ты делаешь свежавыжатый сок?  
— У меня есть соковыжималка.  
— А! У тебя соковыжималка для апельсинового и грейпфрутового сока.

#### V. Express this text in English.

Я стараюсь внимательно относиться к своему здоровью. Во-первых, я никогда не переедаю. Лишняя еда означает лишний вес, а это вредит здоровью. Кроме того, я стараюсь употреблять больше свежих овощей и фруктов, в которых содержится много витаминов и полезных минералов. Иногда вместо свежих овощей и фруктов я пью свежавыжатый сок. Вообще я предпочитаю есть почаще, но понемногу. Врачи говорят, что это хорошо для здоровья. Конечно я всегда нахожу время ходить пешком и больше бывать на свежем воздухе. Это помогает мне меньше болеть и не простужаться. Я также стараюсь избегать контакта с заболевшими людьми, чтобы не заразиться от них. Конечно, иногда я всё-таки болею, но быстро поправляюсь.



## I. Give the English for:

- A.** путешествовать, путешествие, намереваться, живописный, модный, далёкий, близкий, билет, тур, отель, номер в отеле, обслуживание в номере, остановиться (в гостинице), регистрироваться (в гостинице), выписываться (из гостиницы), оплатить заранее, заказать номер (в гостинице), пересечь, паром, тоннель, граница (сада, государства, пространства), роскошный, исторический (важный, относящийся к прошлому), впечатляющий, дорогой, бизнес-класс/эконом-класс, взлетать/садиться (о самолёте)
- B.** поддерживать отношения, организовать путешествие, видеть смысл, попробовать местную кухню, принять решение, туристический бум, нарушать обещание, держать слово, ведущая компания, предпринять действия

## II. Express these in English:

сдерживать обещание, с деревьями по обе стороны, принять решение (mind), принять меры (steps), проживать в номере с душем и туалетом (en suite), всё включено (в стоимость проживания), сменить обстановку, разнообразить монотонную жизнь, местная кухня (национальные блюда), с первого взгляда, заметить кого-/что-либо (sight), потерять из виду (sight), знать в лицо, усыпанный галькой берег, исторические места, историческая встреча

## III. Translate these sentences into English.

1. Когда мы добрались до отеля, все номера были уже заняты, и нас разместили на ночь в холле.
2. Я забронировал номер в гостинице по Интернету, и это оказалось немного дешевле по сравнению с обычным бронированием через туристическое агентство.
3. Для меня путешествие самолётом предпочтительнее, чем на поезде или на машине, а во многих случаях это единственный способ попасть в пункт назначения.
4. Обслуживание в гостинице было отличным, и я оставил свои комплименты в книге отзывов, хотя раньше я останавливался в более дорогих отелях.
5. У моего брата осталось столько прекрасных впечатлений о путешествии в Непал, что он решил поместить целый альбом фотографий на своём сайте в Интернете.
6. Я с нетерпением ждал поездки на автобусе через всю западную Европу в Великобританию и особенно возможности пересечь Ла-Манш на пароме.
7. Прежде чем выписаться из гостиницы, я убедился, что мне не придётся делать никаких дополнительных платежей, кроме оплаты за ночлег и завтрак.
8. В гостинице мне особенно понравился шведский стол, который был недешёвым, но стоил этих денег.



9. Рейс задерживался, и вся наша группа вынуждена была провести ночь, сидя в креслах зала ожиданий аэропорта, ожидая объявления о посадке.
10. Мои родители были в восторге от местной пакистанской кухни, хотя все блюда были достаточно острыми, включая те, что были отмечены в меню как неострые.
11. Все члены нашей фирмы постоянно в пути, поскольку без деловых командировок невозможно вести международную торговлю.
12. На побережье было ветрено, но мы всё равно пошли на прогулку, потому что нет ничего лучше свежего морского воздуха, шума волн и прекрасного вида моря до горизонта.

#### IV. Express the same in English.

1. — Ты был когда-нибудь в Греции?  
 — Да, я был в Греции ещё до того, как ты родился.  
 — А я только собираюсь туда летом с другом.  
 — Обязательно посмотри Акрополь в Афинах!
2. — Сколько дней ты уже в Испании?  
 — Я здесь уже неделю и даже не заметил, как она пролетела.  
 — Ну и что тебе понравилось больше всего?  
 — Всё хорошо, но если честно, я ожидал большего от гостиницы.
3. — У тебя было время походить по магазинам в Мехико?  
 — Свободного времени было мало, но мы могли заходить в сувенирные лавки.  
 — Купил что-нибудь?  
 — Конечно. Все покупали местные сувениры, и я купил маску ацтеков.
4. — Наконец-то я побывал в Национальной картинной галерее в Лондоне.  
 — Ну и как впечатление? Понравилось?  
 — Очень впечатляет! Такая коллекция картин не оставляет никого равнодушным.  
 — А сколько стоит входной билет? Дорого?  
 — Да нет! Вход абсолютно бесплатный. Любой желающий может войти и посмотреть экспозицию или выставку свободно.

#### V. Express this text in English.

Я поехал из Лондона в Ньюкасл и сразу купил билет туда-обратно. Этот поезд межгородского сообщения, в отличие от пригородных поездов, шёл очень быстро и сделал всего одну остановку. В отличие от этого поезда, пригородные поезда останавливаются на всех станциях. Кстати, там обычно можно пересест на другие поезда типа экспресс. В поезде можно было купить газеты, еду, напитки и сладости. Ехать было очень удобно, и, хотя поезд шел всего три часа, я успел вздремнуть немного. По дороге разговорился с соседом, и мы обсудили английскую погоду. Был прекрасный солнечный день, но когда мы подъезжали к Ньюкаслу, то увидели, что там не менее недели шли дожди.



## I. Give the English for:

- A.** дождь, ливень, моросящий дождь, потоки воды сверху, ураган, цунами, буря, гром, молния, град, ливень с градом, вьюга, наводнение, волны, ветер, капля дождя, снежинки, повреждать, пустыня, вымершие (животные), среда обитания, обезлесение, вид (животных), браконьер/браконьерство, заключить (в клетку), одинокое (животное), подвергаемое опасности (животное), способствовать (чему-либо), разрушать, хищник, добыча (хищника), запрет
- B.** заставлять, альтернативный, источник, обращаться, изменения, вклад (в общее дело), основать, найти, защищать, оборонять, проблема, действовать

## II. Express these in English:

- A.** порывы ветра, сильный ветер, очень холодно (freeze), сорвать крышу, неустойчивая погода, плохо себя чувствовать, пыльная буря, глобальное потепление, парниковый эффект, загрязнение воздуха и воды, уменьшение количества (drop), сталкиваться с (face), страдать от последствий, сохранять (консервировать) окружающую среду, создавать заповедники
- B.** быть на грани уничтожения, играть жизненно важную роль, вызывать серьёзные проблемы, прямо влиять на (относиться к), делать что-то невозможным, ситуация требует действий, быть под давлением, принимать идею, наперекор общему мнению, быть под угрозой, быть осведомлёнными о чём-либо, напоминать кому-либо о чём-либо

## III. Translate these sentences into English.

1. Трубы заводов и фабрик ежедневно выбрасывают в атмосферу вредные газы и химические вещества.
2. Озоновый слой в атмосфере стал заметно тоньше к концу XX века, и с тех пор эта проблема постоянно находится под контролем учёных.
3. В некоторых регионах разрешена охота на волков, чтобы их количество не увеличивалось (keep numbers down), хотя в других местах они охраняются законом.
4. За последние десятилетия экологическая система претерпела большие изменения и стала предметом горячих дискуссий.
5. Незаконная рубка деревьев (logging) наносит огромный ущерб природе и её последствия опаснее, чем просто уничтожение лесов.
6. Генетически изменённые продукты могут оказаться вредными и оказать нежелательное влияние на генетическую систему человека.
7. Глобальное потепление вызывает таяние ледников и это ведёт к подъёму уровня воды в мировом океане, что вызывает частые наводнения.
8. Если бы люди ещё в XIX веке задумались об экологии, наша среда обитания была бы сегодня прекрасным и безопасным местом для жизни.
9. Многие животные уже занесены в Красную книгу, поскольку они либо уничтожены, либо находятся на грани уничтожения и нуждаются в защите.
10. Уменьшение озонового слоя в атмосфере Земли вызвано вредными газами, которые создают в озоновом слое огромные дыры, и мы лишаемся



естественной защиты от радиации из космоса.

11. Во многих больших городах проводятся кампании в поддержку использования общественного транспорта для поездок, а не личных автомобилей.
12. Ни одному браконьеру не должно быть позволено уйти безнаказанным после бессмысленного убийства животных ради меха или украшений.

#### IV. Express the same in English.

1. — Вы знаете, что ваши дети подожгли лес в окрестностях города?  
 — Да, но дети есть дети, и они не понимают, что можно и что нельзя делать.  
 — Вы должны были сказать им об опасности разведения костров в лесу.  
 — Наверное, вы правы, но сейчас уже поздно говорить об этом.
2. — Ты когда-нибудь видел припаркованные машины с включённым двигателем?  
 — Случалось. Двигатель в таких машинах продолжает работать, и это особенно часто бывает в холодное время года.  
 — Ты представляешь, сколько выхлопных газов попадает в атмосферу, пока автомобиль стоит, а владелец занят своими делами?  
 — Конечно, можно представить, каким воздухом мы дышим в результате такой бесполезной работы двигателя!
3. — Почему браконьеры охотятся на осетра из-за икры, а рыбу выбрасывают обратно в реку?  
 — Да потому, что икра намного дороже, чем сама рыба, и они вылавливают тысячи рыб только из-за икры и продают её очень дорого.  
 — А можно что-нибудь сделать, чтобы остановить такое браконьерство и спасти осетра?  
 — Наверное, мы можем не покупать икру, которая продается не в магазинах, и значит добыта незаконно.
4. — Я решил ездить на работу общественным транспортом. Мне кажется, что это удобнее и экономичнее.  
 — Может быть. А в чём удобство? Не нужно думать о пробках на дороге и искать место для парковки машины?  
 — Да! И конечно ты сэкономишь деньги на бензине. Это важно, хотя конечно ехать в собственном автомобиле приятнее, чем в автобусе.  
 — Я согласен. Нужно думать об экологии в городе!

#### V. Express this text in English.

Люди иногда ведут себя по отношению к природе, как будто это не наш общий дом. Если бы только они знали раньше, какие опасные последствия наступят в результате таких действий. Когда-нибудь все поймут, что не нужно было загрязнять атмосферу и воду, вырубать леса и выбрасывать столько вредных веществ в океан. Раньше нужно было поднимать тревогу и принимать меры по защите окружающей среды. Давно пора не только подписывать, но и реализовывать международные договоры о мерах против изменения климата и глобального потепления. Жаль, что столько времени упущено в решении экологических проблем на Земле.



## **I. Give the English for:**

- A.** компьютер, модем, шнур, монитор, принтер, программное обеспечение, приложение (программа), жёсткий диск, сохранить (на компьютере), поиск (в Интернете), гиперссылка, щёлкнуть (мышкой), мышки (для компьютера), память, флешка, мобильник, программист, стиль жизни, развлечение, мода, угощение
- B.** обнаружить, садиться (об одежде после стирки), распространяться (об инфекции), уменьшить (о риске), расти (об угрозе), вредный (о веществе), подкрепить (о доказательствах), искусственный, экспериментировать, электронный, электрический, промышленность, рассмотреть (о кандидатуре), развитие, пройти (в здание), перейти (о пункте повестки дня)

## **II. Express these in English:**

- A.** единственный ребенок, расширенная семья (вся родня), фешенебельный район, посетить окрестности, нарядное платье, современный дизайн, хорошо/плохо оплачиваемая работа, высокий/низкий доход, высококвалифицированный специалист, общительный человек, спокойный район, независимая политика, терпеливый характер, трудолюбивый сотрудник, выиграть/проиграть битву с кем-либо, распространённая болезнь, уменьшить риск, вредный для окружающей среды
- B.** стать причиной неприятностей, удалить файл, личная биография, главная тема, деликатная проблема, обнаружить проблему, возражать против, забыть ключ, напомнить сделать что-либо, осуществлять исследование новых вирусов, вежливо вести себя, казаться очень знакомым, контролировать эмоции, неисчерпаемые возможности

## **III. Translate these sentences into English.**

1. Несмотря на высокую стоимость лечения, мы решили потратить деньги на здоровье.
2. Хотя общественный транспорт работает хорошо и у меня есть своя машина, я предпочитаю ходить пешком.
3. Даже если ты не получишь высокий балл на экзамене, ты всё равно можешь быть зачислен в университет.
4. У него такой напряжённый график каждый день, что он даже не может заснуть, и лекарства от бессонницы уже ему не помогают.
5. Даже маленькие дети могут получить пользу от компьютера, если они будут проводить перед экраном ограниченное время.
6. Это решение городских властей было очень неудачным, и в результате возникли большие проблемы с городским транспортом.
7. Этот семинар будет посвящён проблемам и перспективам развития нанотехнологии — науки о создании и преобразовании мельчайших частиц.
8. Наверное, каждый молодой человек мечтает об успехе в своей жизни, однако не каждый знает, что для этого нужно сделать.



9. Не успели появиться в продаже видеоманитофоны, как учёные изобрели цифровые технологии, и компакт диски заменили видеокассеты.
10. Реклама занимает очень много телевизионного времени и нередко вызывает недовольство телезрителей, которые отворачиваются от рекламных роликов.
11. Продажа товаров через Интернет становится всё более распространённой и популярной во многих странах, хотя этот бизнес не лишён недостатков.
12. В магазинах быстрого питания всегда много посетителей, однако влияние такой вредной еды на здоровье человека вызывает озабоченность.

#### IV. Express the same in English.

1. — Ты покупал уже что-нибудь в интернет-магазинах?  
— Да, несколько раз, хотя каждый раз не был уверен в качестве товара.  
— Но ты считаешь, что покупка товаров через Интернет удобна?  
— Думаю, что да. По крайней мере, такая торговля экономит наше время.
2. — Что ты думаешь о магазинах быстрого питания?  
— По-моему, эта сеть очень хороша для занятых людей.  
— А что ты скажешь о пользе всех этих бутербродов и гамбургеров?  
— Да, здесь есть проблема. Говорят, люди прибавляют вес от такой еды.
3. — Я очень хочу купить что-нибудь модное, но недорогое.  
— Но ты уже купила себе модные туфли и они достаточно дорогие.  
— Купила на прошлой неделе, а ты к тому времени уже купила себе сумку.  
— Когда я купила себе сумку, ты уже купила себе новую шляпку!
4. — Ты отлично выглядишь в этой рубашке с короткими рукавами.  
— Спасибо. Рубашка действительно красивая, но к ней нужен галстук.  
— Я думаю, ты найдёшь красивый и модный галстук в магазине одежды.  
— Да, я собираюсь пойти туда после обеда. А вечером у меня свидание!
5. — Что бы ты делал на моём месте, если бы лучший друг предал тебя?  
— Может быть, я бы обиделся, а может быть понял причины. Не знаю.  
— Ну хорошо. Не говори об этом никому (hat). Я подумаю, как поступить.  
— Конечно подумай. Время покажет, и возможно вы останетесь друзьями.

#### V. Express this text in English.

Я никак не могу успеть за модой. Юбки становятся то короче, то длиннее. Шляпы — каждый год то больше, то меньше. Каблуки — то выше, то ниже. Цвета одежды меняются каждый год. Цена тоже меняется и за модные аксессуары нужно платить всё больше. А кроме того, ещё нужно платить за популярную фирму. Если бренд одежды широко известен, она стоит намного дороже. А так хочется быть модно одетой! Конечно, можно одеваться и в недорогих магазинах. Там тоже продают красивые вещи, но всё-таки, хочется похвастаться чем-нибудь от известного производителя или модельера. А где ты покупаешь свою одежду? Ты всегда одета со вкусом, и на тебя многие обращают внимание.



# Irregular Verbs

Base Form	Simple Past	Past Participle	Base Form	Simple Past	Past Participle
be	was, were	been	lend	lent	lent
bear	bore	born(e)	let	let	let
beat	beat	beaten	light	lit/lighted	lit/lighted
become	became	become	lose	lost	lost
begin	began	begun	make	made	made
bite	bit	bitten	mean	meant	meant
blow	blew	blown	meet	met	met
break	broke	broken			
bring	brought	brought	pay	paid	paid
build	built	built	put	put	put
burst	burst	burst			
buy	bought	bought	read	read	read
			ride	rode	ridden
can	could	(been able to)	ring	rang	rung
catch	caught	caught	rise	rose	risen
choose	chose	chosen	run	ran	run
come	came	come			
cost	cost	cost	say	said	said
cut	cut	cut	see	saw	seen
			sell	sold	sold
deal	dealt	dealt	send	sent	sent
dig	dug	dug	set	set	set
do	did	done	sew	sewed	sewn
draw	drew	drawn	shake	shook	shaken
drink	drank	drunk	shine	shone/shined	shone/shined
drive	drove	driven	shoot	shot	shot
			show	showed	shown
eat	ate	eaten	shut	shut	shut
			sing	sang	sung
fall	fell	fallen	sit	sat	sat
feed	fed	fed	sleep	slept	slept
feel	felt	felt	speak	spoke	spoken
fight	fought	fought	spend	spent	spent
find	found	found	stand	stood	stood
fly	flew	flown	steal	stole	stolen
forbid	forbade	forbidden	stick	stuck	stuck
forget	forgot	forgotten	sting	stung	stung
forgive	forgave	forgiven	swear	swore	sworn
freeze	froze	frozen	sweep	swept	swept
			swim	swam	swum
get	got	got			
give	gave	given	take	took	taken
go	went	gone	teach	taught	taught
grow	grew	grown	tear	tore	torn
			tell	told	told
have	had	had	think	thought	thought
hear	heard	heard	throw	threw	thrown
hide	hid	hidden			
hit	hit	hit	understand	understood	understood
hold	held	held			
hurt	hurt	hurt	wake	woke	woken
			wear	wore	worn
keep	kept	kept	win	won	won
know	knew	known	write	wrote	written
lead	led	led			
leave	left	left			