Intermediate B1 - Test 3

1. VOCABULARY

A. Match the two columns.

1. interesting	☐	**a.** exhausted
2. big	☐	**b.** huge
3. angry	☐	**c.** terrified
4. scared	☐	**d.** delighted
5. pleased	☐	**e.** delicious
6. tired	☐	**f.** fascinating
7. surprised	☐	**g.** amazed
8. tasty	☐	**h.** furious

B. Complete the following sentences with the correct form of the words in capitals.

1. Brian is going to take care of all the travel _____. **ARRANGE**

2. You can always depend on Ann as she is very _____. **RELY**

3. The _____ was brilliant and everyone applauded in the end. **PERFORM**

4. I can't stand Victor any more. He is _____complaining about everything! **CONSTANT**

5. _____ help was offered to the athlete after his serious injury during the match. **MEDICINE**

6. None of the _____ had the necessary qualifications for the job. **APPLY**

C. Complete the sentences with a suitable word from the box. Make any necessary changes.

complain	provide	select	include	gather	enclose	rehearse

1. Once I have _____ enough information for my science project, I'll start writing it.

2. The company will _____the candidate with the most experience.

3. I've _____to my next door neighbours about the noise they're making but they just won't stop.

4. Does the price of the hotel room _____ breakfast as well?

5. For the past week, she has been _____for the school play they are putting on.

6. The government should _____the poor with food and accommodation.

7. Don't forget to _____ a CV with your letter of application.

D. Choose *a, b* or *c*.

1. Football is a very_____ sport.

a. relaxed **b.** creative **c.** competitive

2. It took me a long time to complete the _____ the teacher gave me.

a. responsibility **b.** duty **c.** task

3. I'm worried about my son as his _____ at school has become worse lately.

a. facial expression **b.** gesture **c.** behaviour

4. Luke is a very _____ person and never makes a mess.

a. confident **b.** ambitious **c.** neat

5. Helping out people who are in need is a _____ experience.

a. challenging **b.** rewarding **c.** stimulating

6. _____ to this natural beauty spot is only possible by car.

a. Search **b.** Access **c.** Research

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2. GRAMMAR

A. Complete the sentences with the Past Simple, Present Perfect Simple or Present Perfect Progressive of the verbs in brackets.

1. I _____ (work) all day and I feel exhausted.
2. **A:** _____ you _____ (ever / travel) to Italy?
   B: Actually, I _____ (go) to Rome last summer. It is an amazing city.
3. Susan _____ (want) to become an actress ever since she _____ (be) a little child.
4. **A:** How long _____ your sister _____ (learn) Chinese?
   B: For three years. It is an interesting language.
5. This is one of the best films I _____ (ever / see).

B. Choose the correct answer.

1. You **mustn't / don't have to** pick me up from the airport. I can take a taxi.
2. We **had better / would rather** put on warm clothes. It's very cold outside.
3. I **have to / need** be at work at 8am every morning.
4. You **can't / must** be tired after such a long journey.
5. **Need you / Do you need** to wake up so early tomorrow?
6. You **needn't / don't have** worry about me, Mum. I'm not a baby any more!

C. 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.

1. He tried as hard as he could to win the tennis match but he didn't succeed. **BEST**
   He _____ to win the tennis match but he didn't succeed.
2. It isn't necessary to wear formal clothes at the ceremony. **HAVE**
   You _____ formal clothes at the ceremony.
3. He can't be at home as he is not picking up the phone. **BE**
   He is not picking up the phone, so _____ out.
4. If you want to become a successful athlete you must train hard. **TO**
   You _____ if you want to become a successful athlete.
5. You should avoid eating fatty food in order to keep fit. **HAD**
   You _____ eating fatty food in order to keep fit.
6. Harry started surfing in 2005. **SINCE**
   Harry _____ 2005.

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3. LISTENING

You will hear five short conversations. Choose the picture which answers the question correctly.

1. What is the man's main job at the office?

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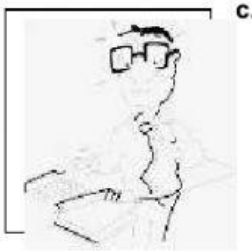
b. 

c.

2. What will the woman buy her mum?

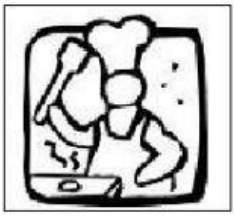
a.

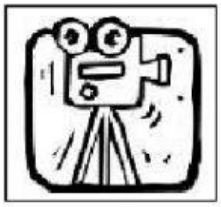
b.

c.

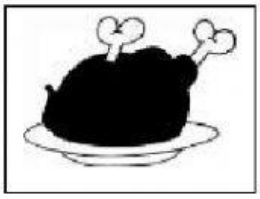
3. Which class will the man take?

a.

b. 

c. 

4. What will the people most likely have?

a. 

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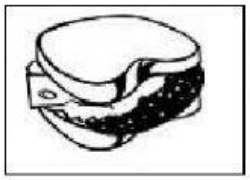
c. 

5. What time will James leave work?

a.

b.

c.

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4. READING

Read the following statements and decide which one applies to each person. Write S for Shirley, D for Daniel, P for Pam or Z for Zack.

Shirley

When I got my first job, there weren't many choices available for women. At the time, girls were expected to stay at home and help raise the children and take care of the house. So the only job that was available for me then was as a waitress at a local restaurant. My parents knew the owner, so he agreed to let me work there a couple nights a week. I started working there when I was 16. My parents thought I was too young, but I was really excited to get out of the house and make my own money. It was a good job, and I had a really nice boss. Plus, it was fun, because all my friends from high school would come in the evenings and I was able to hang out with people I knew while I worked. It was the perfect job!

Daniel

I spent a lot of time in my dad's dental office as a child. Even when I was very young, I understood how things worked there and I helped out whenever I could. So, everyone knew that someday I would follow in my father's footsteps and take over the family business. After I got my degree in Dentistry, I started working in my dad's practice as his partner until he retired a few years later. I learnt a lot from my dad and from watching him in surgery. I learnt how to love my job and be really good at it. I'm glad I didn't have to go to a bunch of interviews. Now, my son helps out at the office and it seems he has already decided on his future career. What can I say? Dentistry runs in our blood.

Pam

My first job in the 'real world,' was really hard to get. I don't know what the problem was; I mean I had my Master's degree and all the necessary qualifications and I was hard working. Still, no one wanted to hire me. Maybe it's because I had so little real-world experience. I went to at least three job interviews every week for more than six months. It was a lot of driving around for nothing and it was very tiring. Not having a job for that long was really stressful, because I kept eating away at my savings so I could pay rent and bills. Eventually, I did manage to find a job with a good company. My salary was a lot more than I expected, so I guess in the end, the wait finally paid off!

Zack

I consider myself pretty lucky when it comes to my life. I'm 22, I've just graduated from university, and I already have a great job. I design websites. It's funny, actually. The day I got my degree, I put my CV on Monster.com, and within a few hours, I had a few companies interested in me. I decided on one and we had a brief phone interview and that was that. I e-mailed them my portfolio, they liked what they saw and hired me. They didn't even need to meet me! The best part is I can work from home and they pay my salary right into my bank account and I never even have to leave my house. The only problem is I still live with my parents. So it's really time I did something about that. I'm tired of my friends making fun of me for my mum still cooking for me and doing my laundry! But hey, with this great new job, now I can afford to live on my own.

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1. This person still depends on other people. ☐

2. This person did something that was not very common at the time. ☐

3. This person started working in high school. ☐

4. This person didn't have to have an interview. ☐ ☐

5. This person had to wait a long time to get a job. ☐

6. This person got a job through the Internet. ☐

7. This person's lack of experience might have been the reason they couldn't get a job. ☐

8. This person improved by working with someone else. ☐

5. WRITING

A friend of yours has recently moved to a different city. Write to your friend telling him/her your news.

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