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TEST – EF 3rd Ed. – Pre-Intermediate - UNIT 9

GRAMMAR

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1. Choose *for* or *since* to complete the sentences.

1 - I've been a doctor **for / since** 2006.

2 - We've lived here **for / since** a long time.

3 - I haven't seen Jamie **for / since** Tuesday.

4 - Lisa's been at work **for / since** 6 o'clock this morning.

5 - Emily and Anton have been married **for / since** three years.

2. Complete the sentences. Put the verb in brackets in the present perfect or the past simple. Use short forms.

1 - We _____ (not see) Mary since she moved to Newcastle.

2 - Gerry and his wife _____ (buy) a holiday home in Greece last year.

3 - How long _____ you _____ (work) in this factory?

4 - Monica _____ (not say) goodbye when she left.

5 - My grandmother _____ (live) in Spain for ten years. She's really happy there.

3. Complete the second conditional sentences using the correct form of the verbs in brackets. Use short forms.

Example: *If I didn't have to (not have to) work tomorrow, I 'd go out (go out) tonight.*

1 - If they _____ (have) enough money, they _____ (buy) a new car.

2 - We _____ (travel) around India if we _____ (not have) young children.

3 - Mia's parents _____ (be) disappointed if she _____ (not do) well at university.

4 - You _____ (get) better marks if you _____ (work) harder.

5 - If I _____ (be) you, I _____ (stop) smoking.

LIVEWORKSHEETS

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VOCABULARY

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1. Complete the sentences with the words from the box. Drag and drop.

heights	claustrophobia	agoraphobia	phobia	spiders

1 - I suffer from arachnophobia. I really hate _____.

2 - Liban never goes in lifts. He suffers from _____.

3 - Jenny never travels by plane. She has a _____ about flying.

4 - People who suffer from _____ don't like to leave their houses.

5 - I can't climb trees. I'm scared of _____.

2. Complete the life events with the correct verb. Drag and drop.

be	fall	get	go	have

1. _____ children
2. _____ born
3. _____ married
4. _____ in love
5. _____ to university

3. Click the odd word out.

1 – whale	chicken	dolphin	shark
2 – pig	horse	tiger	cow
3 – spider	bee	butterfly	mosquito
4 – monkey	elephant	lion	snake
5 – goat	mice	cow	bear

LIVEWORKSHEETS

READING

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1. Read the article and click the correct box (TRUE, FALSE or DOESN'T SAY).

My native animals

*This week in **Nature Weekly**, one reader from Australia, Sheila Douglas, answers our questions about the animals in her country.*

What's the most dangerous animal in your country?

In the UK, people often ask me this question. It's difficult to say which is the most dangerous animal. In Australia, we have a lot of dangerous animals and insects. There are snakes, crocodiles, spiders, sharks, jellyfish, and so on. You have to remember that animals can sometimes become aggressive if they get scared. So if you treat wild animals with respect, you should stay safe.

Are you afraid of any animals or insects?

I'm actually terrified of snakes! As a child, I lived in Northern Australia with my parents. In my opinion, the most dangerous snake there is the King Brown, which is common. It can be three metres long and is very poisonous.

So, what would you do if a poisonous snake like that bit you on the leg?

If I got bitten, I wouldn't wash the bite or suck the poison out. I'd tie something round my leg and keep completely still. It's important not to move if you've been bitten. Then I'd call for help as quickly as possible.

What's your favourite animal?

I think it would be the koala, Australia's most popular animal. Koalas have a soft, grey coat and people think they look very cute. They are not very active animals – they only move around for about two hours a day. And they eat and sleep the rest of the time.

If you could be an animal, which one would it be?

That's easy. It's not exactly an animal, but I'd be a Cairns Birdwing. It's Australia's biggest butterfly. It lives in the rainforest and flies high up in the tops of the trees. It's a beautiful green and gold colour. And if I were a female Birdwing, I'd be 20 centimetres wide – that's about 7 centimetres wider than the male.

	T	F	D/S
1 - Sheila is most afraid of snakes.			
2 - She thinks the least dangerous snake in Northern Australia is the King Brown.			
3 - The King Brown is the longest snake in Australia.			
4 - If a snake bit Sheila, she wouldn't wash the bite.			
5 - If a snake bit Sheila's leg, she would lie down.			
6 - If a snake bit Sheila's leg, she'd walk to a hospital.			
7 - Sheila's favourite animal is the crocodile.			
8 - Koalas spend most of their time eating and sleeping.			
9 - If Sheila could be an animal, she'd be a butterfly.			
10 - The female Cairns Birdwing is prettier than the male.			

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2. Read the article again and answer the questions.

1 - Why do animals sometimes become aggressive?

_____

2 - What should happen if you treat wild animals with respect?

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3 - Where did Sheila live as a child?

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4 - What do people think about koalas?

_____

5 - What size is the female Cairns Birdwing?

_____

LISTENING

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1. Listen to Kerry talking about her phobia. Choose the correct word(s).

1 - Kerry has suffered from agoraphobia for about **twenty / thirty** years.

2 - She **knows / doesn't know** what caused her agoraphobia.

3 - She starts to **cry / sweat** when she goes into crowded places.

4 - Her phobia affects **a few things / everything** she does.

5 - She has therapy **once a week / once a month** to help her overcome her phobia.

2. Listen to five conversations. Click A, B, or C.

1 - How old was Jeff when he joined the band?

A. 15 B. 18 C. 20

2 - How long has Hannah been at university?

A. For three years. B. For four years. C. For one year.

3 - How long has Nick had a fear of spiders?

A. Since he was fifteen. B. Since he was five. C. For five years.

4 - How many years ago did Holly get married?

A. 10 years. B. 2 years. C. 1 year.

5 - When was Mike injured?

A. Yesterday. B. Last Friday. C. Last Saturday.

LIVEWORKSHEETS

WRITING

Write about animals in your country. Answer these questions. (100–150 words)

- What's the most dangerous animal in your country?
- Are you afraid of any animals or insects?
- What would you do if an animal bit you?
- What's your favourite animal?
- If you could be an animal, which one would it be?

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