TEST CORRECTION

# Vocabulary

**1. Complete the compound nouns with the words below.**

guide park resort transport trap holiday

1. Newport Southside is a popular beach _____ in Miami, Florida. It has a large hotel complex and is close to some great beaches.
2. We used public _____ to travel around Florida. It's cheaper to use the local buses than to hire a car.
3. Many people consider Miami to be a tourist _____ . Everything is expensive and, in the shops, you can only buy overpriced souvenirs.
4. Our tour _____ was fantastic. She knew so much about the city and was really helpful.
5. We decided to go on a package _____ because we wanted to have our hotel, food and all our trips organized by our travel company.
6. Biscayne is a national _____ near Miami where you can see marine wildlife.

**2. Complete the text with the words below. You can use some words more than once.**

**take get see escape soak track up out in**

If you want to [1]_____ off the beaten [2]_____ and go somewhere unusual this year, why not [3]_____ the crowds and [4]_____ time [5]_____ on the Corn Islands off the coast of Nicaragua? They're hot and sunny, so you can lie on the beach and [6]_____ [7]_____ the sun for hours and hours. You can also [8]_____ to know the friendly local people and [9]_____ part [10]_____ one of their exciting festivals, or [11]_____ a tour and [12]_____ the sights.

**3. Match the words (1–6) to a type of journey (A–F).**

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|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | plane, check-in, boarding card | A | trek |
| 2 | explorer, a lot of planning, discover | B | tour |
| 3 | ship, cross the ocean, cabin | C | expedition |
| 4 | on a coach, stop at different places, friendly guide | D | voyage |
| 5 | through the mountains, long distance, walking in boots | E | excursion |
| 6 | day trip to Warwick Castle, short journey, leisure activity | F | flight |

# Grammar

**4. Complete the sentences with the present simple or present continuous of the verbs in brackets.**

1. Let's go out. It _____ (not rain) now!
2. Julia is very good at languages: she _____ (speak) four languages fluently.
3. Come on! Hurry up! Everybody _____ (wait) for you!
4. _____ (you/ listen) to the radio? No, you can turn it off.
5. The river Nile _____ (flow) into the Mediterranean.
6. Rachel is in London right now. She _____ (stay) at the Park Hotel. She always _____ (stay) there when she _____ (go) to London.

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7. What _____ (your brother/ do)? He is an architect, but he _____ (not work) at the moment.

**5. Complete the sentences with the past simple of the verbs in brackets.**

1. Last summer, my parents and I _____ (visit) London, but we _____ (not go) on the London Eye.
2. The Second World War _____ (start) in 1939.
3. We _____ (wait) for hours at the airport on Sunday. Our plane _____ (be) 2 hours late! Can you believe it?
4. My grandfather _____ (travel) all over the world when he was young.

**6. Complete the sentences with the past continuous form of the verbs in brackets**

1. Where _____ (you/ go) when I saw you yesterday?
2. Peter _____ (study) for a test when his brother arrived.
3. It was a beautiful summer day and the children _____ (swim) in the lake.
4. It _____ (snow) but I couldn't go out to play because I _____ (revise) for my Maths test.

**7. Complete the sentences with the past perfect form of the verbs in brackets**

1. The bus was late, so when I got to the cinema, the film _____ (already/start)
2. It was the first time my little sister _____ (travel) by plane and she was really excited.
3. When we got to the airport I realised we _____ (leave) our passports at home...what a disaster!
4. I recognised Monica after all these years because I _____ (see) her pictures on her Instagram page.
5. _____ (you/study) English before you moved to New York?

**8. Choose the correct tense to complete the sentences.**

1. Last summer, Penny **visited** / **had visited** London with her friends for a long weekend.
2. They stayed at a hotel that Penny's parents **had booked** / **were booking** for them on the internet.
3. Penny was a little worried about the trip because she **never went** / **had never been** on holiday without her mum and dad before.
4. On the first day, while they **were walking** / **had walked** through London, Penny and her friends saw a lot of famous sights.
5. They wore sunglasses because the sun **was shining** / **had shone** and the sky was blue.

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6. Penny **wanted / was wanting** to buy some souvenirs that she had seen in a shop.
7. Penny couldn't find her purse. She realized that she **lost / had lost** it.
8. Then, suddenly, one of her friends ran into the shop. She **was holding / had held** Penny's purse. Penny was so happy!

**9. Complete these short stories with the past simple or the past continuous.**




1. I _____ (see) Sue in town yesterday, but she _____ (not see) me. She _____ (look) the other way.
2. I _____ (meet) Tom and Jane at the airport a few weeks ago. They _____ (go) to Paris and I _____ (go) to Rome. We _____ (have) a chat while we _____ (wait) for our flights.
3. I _____ (cycle) home yesterday when a man _____(step) out into the road in front of me. I _____ (go) quite fast, but luckily I _____ (manage) to stop in time and I _____ (not/ hit) him!

**10. Complete the text. Use the past simple, past continuous or past perfect form of the verbs in brackets.**

In 2007, while they [1]_____ (live) in Brazil, Doug Lewis and his best friend Philippe Bouchet [2]_____ (decide) to go on a long trek through the Amazon rainforest. They [3]_____ (never organize) such a challenging adventure before, so they [4]_____ (place) an advertisement on the internet asking for advice. Hundreds of people [5]_____ (respond), asking to come on the trek! Doug and Philippe [6]_____ (be) surprised, but pleased. They invited four young Brazilians to come with them. The two friends [7]_____ (try) to learn Portuguese at the time, so it [8]_____ (seem) a good idea to ask some Portuguese speakers to come along!

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