

Module 3 Test

1. Listening. You will hear a man talking about his childhood. For statements 1-7 choose A, B or C.

1. The narrator says that as a child he

- A. lived on a farm in the country.
- B. enjoyed playing in fields.
- C. wanted to be a farmer.

2. The farm the narrator describes

- A. was close to houses
- B. had a lot of cows on it.
- C. was a very large one.

3. The narrator was fascinated by the spring because

- A. he liked sheltering under the trees around it.
- B. he couldn't understand how the animals got there.
- C. there were so many different things to do there

4. The dams that the children made

- A. were always destroyed by Mr Jones.
- B. had to allow some water to pass.
- C. followed a professional design.

5. The tree the narrator used to climb was unusual because

- A. it was a peculiar shape
- B. it didn't have a name.
- C. he could hide in it.

6. The children avoid going to Third Field and Fourth Field mainly because

- A. the cows in the fields frightened them.
- B. it took too long to get to them
- C. they were dirtier than the others.

7. The narrator thinks the children today

- A. miss out on a lot of simple pleasures.
- B. have better lives than he did as a child.
- C. are lucky that they can now play golf.

2.1. Vocabulary. Complete the sentences with the correct word or phrase from the list: *hive, regular, beady, prolong, glimpsed, part, peered, go, carried, pass, time*.

- 1. On long journeys I used to.....the time reading novels.
- 2. She.....out of the window but she couldn't see anything through the rain.
- 3. There was enough food to.....round.
- 4. Mary is very reluctant to.....with any cash.
- 5. Fairs are a..... feature of our country life.
- 6. Jack played for.....by telling funny stories.
- 7. He only.....the thief as he ran away, so he wasn't able to describe him to the police.
- 8. Even at 7 am our city is a..... of activity.
- 9. We were.....away by the music and couldn't stop singing.
- 10. To.....the fun, we followed a street procession.
- 11. His.....eyes made me laugh.

2.2. Vocabulary. Complete the sentences with the correct word or phrase from the list: *reserves, frontier, mind, voyage, border, sight, boundary, abundant, goods, preserve, renovate, repair, restore*.

- 12. Nature.....are strictly controlled by rangers.
- 13. It is said that space is the final.....
- 14. You should keep butter in the fridge to..... it.
- 15. To.....their old house the Parsons hired painters.
- 16. The.....train transports merchandise and food.
- 17. We couldn't.....our old car.
- 18. Sarah cannot make up her.....about where to go this summer.
- 19. The.....across the Pacific was rather tough.
- 20. Breathtaking sceneries and.....wildlife make New Zealand quite attractive to visit.
- 21. It took months to.....the picture to its former glory.
- 22. A long.....divides China from Russia.
- 23. I knew her by.....but I never spoke to him.
- 24. The fence marks the.....of my property.

3. Grammar. Complete with quite, rather, pretty, fairly.

1. It's a.....more advanced smartphone than I had before.
2. He is.....good at cooking.
3. It has taken me.....a long time to complete the task!
4. Unfortunately, I have a.....good reason for being late for the meeting.

4. Grammar. Fill in: be/get used to, used to, would in the appropriate form.

1. I.....go skiing a lot, but I hardly have the time any more.
2. He doesn't go swimming now, but he.....
3. Spoilt children.....getting their own way.
4. I should.....the new working conditions quickly.
5. He couldn't.....the fact that he had lost his job.
6. As a child, she.....ride her bike for hours.
7. You will.....the weather conditions after a few months.
8. It took me a while to.....the noise in my new flat.
9. They.....live in the country some years ago.
10. While staying at our cottage we.....get up early.