# Units 7–9 General Test

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**1. There is a wrong word in ten sentences. Underline it and write the correct word. Put a tick if the sentence is correct.**

1 Lets face the truth – we have no money for the trip. .....

2 Its never too late to come up with new ideas. .....

3 This countries population has been growing in recent years. .....

4 I can hardly recognize these boys faces. .....

5 There are so many things to do this morning. .....

6 Are their any spelling mistakes in my sentences? .....

7 This politicians speech was received with cheers. .....

8 We where carrying flags and slogans. .....

9 He's face was red with anger. .....

10 Were you happy when you heard the news? .....

11 My parent's are away on a two-week trip. .....

12 There's so nice to see you again. .....

**2. Complete the sentences. Choose the correct word - *so*, *such*, *enough*, or *too*.**

1 Thank you, Aunt Berta. Your present was ..... a lovely surprise for me.

2 Everyone felt ..... good that we decided to stay for one more day.

3 Have you got ..... money to pay for your lunch?

4 Mark was ..... tired last night to go out with us.

5 There wasn't ..... room in the car for all of us.

6 We never knew Mum was ..... a good singer.

7 Don't drive ..... fast or you'll be fined for speeding.

8 I think you're ..... young to apply for a summer job, Johnny.

**3. Write a question about the underlined part of the sentence.**

1 The princess walked <u>in the garden</u>.

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2 People often <u>go fishing</u>.

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3 He has <u>two</u> sons.

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4 Their daughter was born <u>in August</u>.

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5 He agreed <u>to help me</u>.

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6 <u>The wolf</u> killed two sheep.

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7 Their cat <u>hunted mice and birds</u>.

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8 The baby was covered with <u>blankets</u>.

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9 My dad returned <u>late at night</u>.

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10 <u>Breakfast</u> was being prepared at eight.

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## 4. Complete the text with the phrases. There is one extra phrase.

would often prefer  were lying  is turned off  has recommended  will last  hasn't rained
have a look  has no idea  is suffering from  haven't seen

Mrs Jenkins from Hastings, England, is writing to her sister in America:

It's been the worst heat wave in the south of England for twenty years, and it [1] ..... properly here for six months. Everybody [2] ..... the heat, and our supply of water [3] ..... for only two or three more weeks. Water is so scarce that it [4] ..... for seventeen hours a day. We use the hall as a storage place for water because it's the coolest place in our flat. My doctor [5] ..... drinking lots of hot tea with lemon, which I do, though I [6] ..... a glass of ice-cold water. As our flat faces south, it gets very hot. It's like living in a greenhouse. Recently, Bill called out to me from the living room. "[7] ....." he said, pointing out of the window. "Those children have their own method of keeping cool." In the garden, our neighbours' children [8] ..... under a tree, covered with thick layers of wet sand and earth. Yesterday, on the radio, a heavy thunderstorm was forecast for today. But I [9] ..... any signs of it yet. You simply cannot rely on the weather forecast.

## 5. Complete the sentences. Use *have sth done*.

1 I've got an appointment at the hairdresser's. I'd like to ..... (*hair, cut*)
2 No one wanted to cook, so we ..... (*a pizza, deliver*)
3 Dad's watch is broken. He ..... tomorrow. (*it, fix*)
4 Why did you go to the dry-cleaner's? – I ..... (*jacket, clean*)
5 Mum took a taxi to work. She ..... at the garage this afternoon. (*car , repair*)
6 My parents don't like the colours in the kitchen. They ..... (*walls, paint*)
7 I've lost my key. I ..... (*another key, make*)
8 If you want to wear these earrings, you ..... (*ears, pierce*)

## 6. Write the articles *a* / *an* or *the* where necessary.

[1] ..... medical student needed to read [2] ..... textbook which was far too expensive for him to buy. He couldn't get it from [3] ..... library and [4] ..... only copy he could find was in [5] ..... bookshop. So he went to [6] ..... bookshop every afternoon where he read [7] ..... book [8] ..... little at [9] ..... time.

One day, he was disappointed to find [10] ..... book missing from its [11] ..... usual place. He was about to leave when he noticed [12] ..... owner of [13] ..... shop beckoning to him. Expecting to be told off, he went towards him. To his surprise, [14] ..... owner pointed to [15] ..... book, which had been tucked away in [16] ..... corner. 'I put it there in case [17] ..... anyone was tempted to buy it,' he said, and left [18] ..... delighted student to continue his reading.

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## 7. Complete the sentences with *it's* or *there's / there are*.

- Although [1] ..... not cold, Andy is dressed as if [2] ..... January, not May.
- I'd like you to give me a hand with the housework. [3] ..... a couple of things to be done before Mum and Dad get home.
- [4] ..... picnic areas just outside of the camping site and [5] ..... a signpost which says that [6] ..... five kilometres to the nearest village.
- [7] ..... quite likely that we won't finish all this work today as [8] ..... several people who have never done any farm work before.
- [9] ..... no vacant rooms in any of the town's hotels. [10] ..... the time of the year when [11] ..... more tourists than local people here.
- [12] ..... a lack of trust between the employer and workers in this company. [13] ..... critical to restore working conditions back to normal.

## 8. Read the text and fill in the gaps 1–7 with the correct phrases A–H. There is one extra phrase.

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| A with much support | C were added | E for centuries | G were offered |
| B during their occupation | D was given | F still in use | H not included |

**Write the letters:** 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☐ 5 ☐ 6 ☐ 7 ☐

### The Red Dragon

The national flag of Wales is the Red Dragon. It depicts a red dragon on a green and white background.

The flag [1] ..... official status in 1959, but the red dragon itself has been a symbol of Wales [2] .....; indeed, the flag is sometimes claimed to be the oldest national flag [3] ..... . There is a theory that the Romans brought the emblem to what is now Wales [4] ..... of Britain, but it could be even older.

The green and white stripes of the flag [5] ..... by the House of Tudor, the Welsh dynasty that held the English throne from 1485 to 1603. Green and white are also the colours of the leek, another national emblem of Wales.

Of all the countries of the United Kingdom, the Welsh flag is the only flag [6] ..... on the Union Flag which is the national flag of the UK. There have been proposals to include the Dragon in the Union Flag but these have never been met [7] ..... .

Wales and Bhutan are presently the only countries to have a dragon on their flag.

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