3 **Complete the text with the words and word combinations from the box.**

final exams	Headmaster	~~school year~~
Vice Principle	the Certificate of Basic Secondary Education	
ninth-formers	parent-teacher meeting	

Two weeks ago the *school year* (1) started. Now we are _____ (2)! It's an important year as we're taking our _____ (3) at the end of May. At the _____ (4) our parents were told about all the procedure of getting _____ (5). The _____ (6) of our school together with the _____ (7) explained everything and answered all of our parents' questions.

4 **Ask questions using the following question words.**

1) Basic secondary education in Ukraine includes forms from 5 to 9.

Where does basic secondary education include forms from 5 to 9 ?

2) The Ministry of Education and Science specifies the programme of studies.

What ?

3) Subjects are introduced in different forms from the 6th to the 9th.

When ?

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4) Different subjects aren't taught by the same teacher.

By whom ?

5) The semester evaluation is influenced by the results of the thematic evaluations.

By what ?

6) Pupils usually get the Certificate of Basic Secondary Education at the age of 15.

At what age ?

5 **Choose the correct verb forms to complete the sentences.**

1) In Ukraine secondary school ... primary school.

a) follows b) is followed c) is following

2) The Ministry of Education and Science is responsible for ... the programme of studies for each school form.

a) specified b) specifying c) is specifying

3) Different subjects ... by different teachers almost always.

a) are taught b) are teaching c) teach

4) To study English or any other foreign language, the class ... into groups.

a) divides usually b) is usually dividing c) is usually divided

5) Each thematic unit ... with a thematic evaluation.

a) are finished b) finishes c) finish

6) It's the end of the school year. The ninth-formers ... their final exams.

a) are taking b) are taken c) take

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