



## MID TERM EXAM – BASIC 3 – TOUCHSTONE 1 – UNIT 6

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Score: \_\_\_\_\_

### PART I. LISTENING

**A. Instructions:** 🎧 Bill is calling Meg. Listen to the conversation. Circle the correct answers. (2 marks)

1. Meg is in San Francisco **on vacation / for work / for school.**
2. Meg is staying **at a hotel / with friends / with her brother.**
3. Meg goes to yoga class every **morning / afternoon / night.**
4. The weather in San Francisco is **cloudy / cold / sunny.**

### PART II. GRAMMAR

**B. Instructions:** Complete the phone message. Use the present continuous of the verbs in parentheses. Use contractions where possible. (2 marks)

Hi, Rick. This is Jennifer. I \_\_\_\_\_ (1) (call)  
from home. I hope you \_\_\_\_\_ (2) (not work)  
today. My friend Alicia \_\_\_\_\_ (3) (visit) from  
Los Angeles. It \_\_\_\_\_ (4) (rain) and cold, so we  
\_\_\_\_\_ (5) (not go) out. Do you want to come over?  
Give me a call.

**C. Instructions:** Write questions with the present continuous. (2 marks)

1. (you / get / enough sleep / these days)

\_\_\_\_\_ ?

2. (how much / your brother / study / this semester)

\_\_\_\_\_ ?

3. (what / your parents / do / right now)

\_\_\_\_\_ ?

4. (you / spend / a lot of time / with your friends / this month)

\_\_\_\_\_ ?

5. (your best friend / play / any sports / this year)

\_\_\_\_\_ ?

### PART III. VOCABULARY

**D. Instructions:** Circle the correct words. (-- marks)

1. Anita is **playing / doing / going** basketball this season.
2. We usually **play / do / go** bowling on Saturday night.
3. I **play / do / go** aerobics every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday.
4. My brothers aren't **playing / doing / going** karate this fall.
5. My sister **plays / does / goes** running in the park twice a week.
6. I'm not **playing / doing / going** soccer this year.

**E. Instructions:** Complete the conversation with the questions in the box. Use each question only once. There is one extra question. (2 marks)

Are you enjoying your vacation?    Do you like surfing?    What are you studying?  
 Do you like Hawaii?    How's it going?

**Olivia** Hey, Ben, this is my friend Marissa.

**Ben** Hi, Marissa. Nice to meet you. Are you here on vacation?

**Marissa** No, I'm here for school.

**Ben** Really? \_\_\_\_\_  
 (1)

**Marissa** I'm studying law.

**Ben** That's cool. \_\_\_\_\_  
 (2)

**Marissa** The classes are hard, but I'm enjoying school.

**Ben** That's great! \_\_\_\_\_  
 (3)

**Marissa** Oh, yes, it's a wonderful island! It's my first time here. The weather's great, and I really love the beaches.

**Ben** I know! I spend a lot of time at the beach. \_\_\_\_\_  
 (4)

**Marissa** Yes! Actually, I'm taking lessons!

**F. Instructions:** Read the advertisements. Then correct the false statements. Cross out the wrong information. Write the correct information.

*Are you feeling tired this winter?  
 Is it cold and rainy, and do you  
 need some sun?*



**THE ALL SUN VACATION**

Well, how about a beach vacation in Mexico?  
 It's hot and sunny here in the winter.  
 Come and join us.  
 Go swimming and scuba diving, and play beach volleyball!  
 Or just relax on the beach. Don't wait.  
 Call All Sun Vacations at 689-555-1029.  
 Ask about our vacations in the sun!



**THE WINTER FUN VACATION**

Do you like snow? Do you enjoy skiing?  
 Then Canada is the perfect place for your  
 next winter vacation. It's sunny, snowy, and beautiful!  
 During the day, ski or walk in the snow. It's great exercise!  
 In the evening, relax in the hotel or go to the theater.

Come and enjoy!  
**Call Winter Fun Vacations at  
 689-555-0093.**



1. It's hot and humid in Mexico in the winter.
2. On the All Sun Vacation, people go swimming and skiing.
3. Canada is a great place to play beach volleyball or walk in the snow.
4. On the Winter Fun Vacation, people relax on the beach or go to the theater in the evening.