

A. Choose a, b or c.

- I'm sick _____ doing housework every weekend.
a. with b. to c. of
- I've got a _____ signal in here, so I can't call Jerry.
a. weak b. nasty c. challenging
- You shouldn't _____ about your friends.
a. gossip b. discuss c. mention
- I'm fed _____ with Mike's behaviour. He's so rude!
a. off b. up c. out
- Andy _____ to talk to anyone about his problem because he was embarrassed.
a. refused b. accepted c. argued
- Fay's jokes are _____. I can't stop laughing.
a. powerful b. hilarious c. flexible
- I need to _____ an antivirus program on my new computer.
a. install b. charge c. store
- Let me fill you _____ on what happened yesterday.
a. out b. up c. in

Score: / 8

B. Complete with the Present Simple or the Present Progressive of the verbs in brackets.

- A: I _____ (think) of going to the cinema on Saturday. _____ you _____ (come)?
B: I _____ (not think) so. My brother _____ (need) help with his Maths, so I have to stay at home.
- My sister _____ (always / talk) on the phone! When she's at home, I _____ (never / get) the chance to use the phone!
- A: _____ Peter _____ (work out) every day?
B: Usually, but these days he _____ (study) for an exam, so he hasn't been to the gym much.
- Ethan _____ (receive) e-mails from his cousins in Australia every day. At the moment, he _____ (send) a reply to one of them.

Score: / 10

C. Circle the correct words.

- I still can't get used to **wake / waking** up early in the morning.
- Did you **downloaded / download** any new songs yesterday?
- Linda isn't used to **live / living** alone, so sometimes she feels lonely.
- Monica **come / came** across some old pictures as she was tidying her desk.
- My father didn't use to **walk / walking** to work, but now he does.

Score: / 5

D. Choose a, b or c.

- Alice is _____ creative person I know.
a. the most b. more c. as
- The journey was _____ than expected.
a. long b. as long c. longer
- The _____ we leave for the train station, the better.
a. early b. earlier c. earliest
- Postcards are not _____ popular as e-mails.
a. as b. more c. much
- Betty is getting taller and _____ every day.
a. taller b. tallest c. much tall
- I think Science is _____ difficult than History.
a. much more b. a lot c. the most

Score:

E. Choose the correct response. There are two extra responses which you do not need to use.

- Give me a call on Monday so we can chat.
- What are you going to tell your brother now that you broke his mobile phone?
- I need to have a word with Tom.
- I lost touch with Jack after he got married.
- I'm visiting Sam next weekend.
- Are you coming to my football match on Saturday?
- Absolutely. I wouldn't miss it for the world.
- Sure. What's your phone number?
- You can bring him along.
- That's too bad. You were such good friends.
- You can count him in.
- Really? Give my regards to him.
- Why? Is he in trouble again?
- I'll come up with something.

Score: / 6

TOTAL SCORE: / 35

Now I can...

- ☐ talk about various aspects of communication
- ☐ distinguish between permanent and temporary situations
- ☐ make comparisons
- ☐ talk about what I like or dislike
- ☐ write a personal webpage
- ☐ refer to past habits and events
- ☐ write an informal letter/e-mail based on prompts
- ☐ express enthusiasm, accept or refuse an invitation and give news

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