VOCABULARY

1 Put the letters in order to make words for objects you can find in a house.

1. I don't have a ***evdut*** on my bed in the summer. It's too hot. _____

2. I only use one ***olwilp*** when I am sleeping. _____

3. Put the dirty plates in the ***kins*** and I'll wash them later. _____

4. Don't forget to put the milk back in the ***drfeig***. _____

5. We often make popcorn in the ***vwiromace*** before we watch a film at home. _____

6. Have you got a ***elwot*** I can use to dry my hands? _____

7. I looked in the ***rorimr*** to see if I had chocolate on my face. _____

2 Complete the dialogues with the correct past simple form of the verbs in the box. You need to use some of the verbs more than once.

DO	**EARN**	**GO**	**HAVE**	**MAKE**	**MEET**	**SPEND**	**TAKE**

1 A: Yesterday, I _____ three hours doing those physics exercises for homework.

B: It _____ me a long time, too. _____ you _____ the maths problems?

2 A: My sister _____ a music degree at university and now she plays in an orchestra.

B: _____ she _____ a lot of money when she started?

A: No, but she _____ fun.

3 A: I _____ to a summer camp last July.

B: _____ you _____ many friends?

A: Yes, I _____ people from lots of different countries.

4 A: I _____ (not) very well in the exam last week. I know I _____ a lot of mistakes.

B: That's because you _____ (not) much time revising.

A: I know. I thought I _____ a good memory, but I was wrong!

GRAMMAR

3 Put the words to make sentences.

1. a / go / gym / I / the / to / twice / week.

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2. an / hour / I / more/ hardly ever/ spend / than / there.

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3 an / for / half / hour. / I / run / sometimes.

_____

4 I / I'm / listen / music / running. / to / usually / while

_____

5 always / exhausted. / get / home, / I / I'm / When

_____

6 every / Friday. / friends / go / I / my / out / with

_____

4 Complete the sentences with the present simple or present continuous form of the verbs in the box.

COST	HAVE	HELP	OWN	PREFER	SMELL	THINK
			WANT	WEIGH		

1. A: How much _____ you _____, Ben?

B: I don't know. About 60 kilos, maybe? I _____not to know actually.

2. Paul is a computer expert. He _____ people with their IT problems.

3. The flowers in our garden _____ beautiful.

4 My flatmate _____ a lot of problems with his car at the moment.

5 A cinema ticket _____ €15! I _____ that's a lot of money.

6 Lucas _____ a new bike, but he _____ to sell it.

5 Complete the sentences with the past simple or the past continuous form of the verbs in brackets.

1 I _____ (switch off) the computer because it _____ (make) a strange noise.

2 My dad _____ (listen) to classical music when I _____ (arrive) home from school.

3 We _____ (play) video games when my mum _____,(say) 'Turn the volume down!'

4 My cousin _____ (meet) his wife, Bianca, while he _____ (live) in Italy.

5 My little sister _____ (draw) a picture while I _____ (study) for my French exam.

6 While they _____ (try) to fix the computer, all the lights _____ (go out).

7 When we _____ (leave) school yesterday, it _____ (pour) with rain.

8 When you _____ (see) Paul, he _____ (wear) a black jacket?

9 I _____ (try) to log on when the WiFi _____ (stop) working.

10 While Dad _____ (print) an article, the printer _____ (run out) of paper.

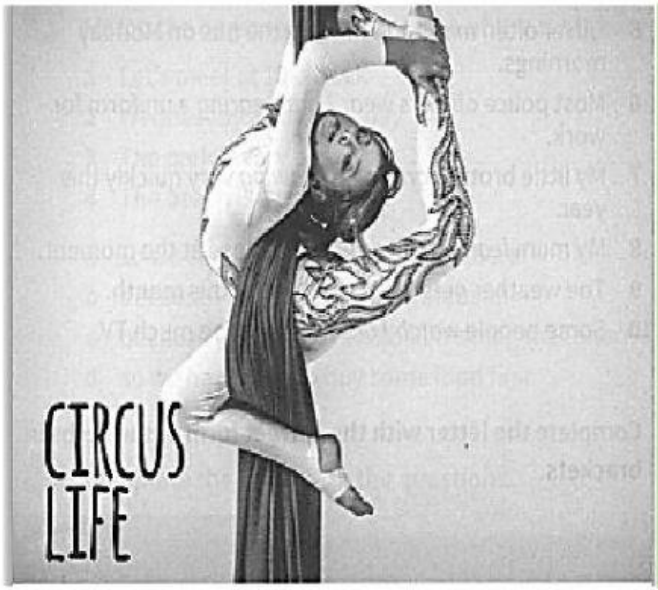
6 Complete the story with the correct past tense form of the verbs in brackets.

Sometimes I hate computers! Once, when I 1 _____ (try) to do my English homework on my laptop, the battery 2 _____ (run out). I 3 _____ (lie) on my bed and I was listening to music on Spotify. It helps me to concentrate. I 4 _____also _____ (chat) to my friend Daniel on Facebook. OK, so I 5_____ (not concentrate) very hard on my homework and I 6 _____ (forget) to plug in my laptop! I didn't notice that the battery was getting low. I was just finishing the essay when the screen 7 _____ (go) black. I 8 _____(lose) everything. I 9 _____ (scream) in frustration. My dad 10 _____ (come) running into my bedroom. I 11 _____ almost (cry) so he 12 _____ (give) me his laptop.

I 13_____ (try) to remember everything in my essay – it 14 _____ (be) quite difficult especially because Daniel was sending me lots of funny videos. Anyway, while I was watching one, the WiFi stopped working. In the end it was probably better because I 15 _____ (manage) to finish the essay.

READING

7 Read the text and choose the correct option.



Saran is an acrobat. She works in a circus that travels around the world. What is unusual is that she is eleven years old and already a full-time circus performer. Her daily **(1)** _____ is actually quite strict. Most days she gets up late and **(2)** _____ maths, science and English classes with the rest of the children in the circus. The she trains for two hours every afternoon before the **(3)** _____ in the evening. Normally, Saran, like all of the other members of the circus, does five or six performances a week, so it's **(4)** _____ work. Her parents are also part of the circus and make sure Saran gets enough sleep and has a healthy **(5)** _____. Although she doesn't have many hours of school, she speaks four languages and has been to many countries, so her **(6)** _____ of the world is greater than most children her age.