

FCE. USE OF ENGLISH FURTHER PRACTICE SECTION 1-60

a) Multiple-choice.

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- a. I am really put _____ by her attitude in class. It annoys me.
1. In 2 out 3 on 4 into
- b. Paul would love to _____ his own company one day.
1. Set in 2. Brought on 3 set up 4 make up
- c. The houses in this neighbourhood are really _____.
1 run-down 2 well off 3 better off 4 worn out
- d. We were _____ hungry and ordered some takeaway.
1. Absolutely 2. Highly 3. Slightly 4 extremely
- e. We need to _____ our kitchen. It needs to look more attractive.
1. Do up 2 make up 3 do all 4 do without.
- f. We work hard _____ he want to pass our exams.
1. Due to 2 because of 3 owing to 4 since
- g. Paul came _____ with a great idea. Do you want to hear about it?
1. On 2 down 3 up 4 into

b) Sentence Completion

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Use **one word only** to complete each gap.

(1) the fact that the classes Mark enjoyed most at school were the art classes, he chose to study physics at university so (2) to have a career in science. (3) only did he do well in his studies, he also found a job in a research laboratory which he found interesting and satisfying. It looked as if all his dreams had come true.

(4), Mark was not completely happy. He still dreamt of being an artist. And (5) matter how hard he tried, he couldn't get the idea out of his head. After work, he would go home and paint, and he spent most of his weekends painting too, but he never felt he had enough time to create something he was really proud of. On (6) of that, he was becoming exhausted because he worked in the lab for so many hours every day.

In the end, Mark spoke to his boss, and they agreed he could take six months off work, as (7) as he promised to return to work after that. Mark devoted himself to his painting for six wonderful months, producing a series of beautiful pictures. However, he began to miss his colleagues, (8) to mention the interesting work he did at the lab, so he didn't mind returning to work when the time came. Mark's paintings still hang on his walls at home, and he continues to combine his work and his art as best he can.

b) WORD FORMATION

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1. Do not pop in at _____ times. CONVENIENT.
2. During our _____ we realized how important Fleming's discoveries were. SEARCH
3. This test is _____ easier than the last one. RELATIVE
4. We need to _____ our minds if we want to study abroad. BROAD
5. The _____ of personal belongings is the owner's responsibility. LOST
6. Do not forget to _____ your back while doing exercise. STRONG
7. _____ between lovers is common. CORRESPOND

8. The vast _____ of people like pizza.

MAJOR

c) Key word transformation sentences.

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1- Even though the president was sick, they continued with the negotiations. DESPITE
They continued with the negotiations _____.

2- Make a decision now or we will not close the deal. UP
Unless you _____ will not close the deal.

3- It wasn't necessary for you to bring your laptop. We've got plenty of them here. NEED
You _____ your laptop as we've got plenty of them here.

4- "Why did you read my e-mail?" Helen said to me. OF
Helen _____ her mails.

5- The student never pays attention to the teacher's advice. NOTICE.
The student _____ his teacher's advice.

6- He rarely ate meat when he was a kid. HE
Rarely _____ when he was a kid.

7 I'll graduate 21st December. I
By 21st December _____.

8. "You shouldn't call people names." CRITICISED
She _____ people names.