

# Progress test 1 Units 1-2

## 1 Match sentence halves a-f with 1-6.

- 1 Please go away and leave
- 2 That man's loud voice is getting
- 3 I'm living abroad and I've lost
- 4 Everyone's away, so please keep
- 5 I love Jo, so I'm going to propose
- 6 I get very upset if a friend takes

- a touch with my friends.
- b me company.
- c me for granted.
- d me alone.
- e on my nerves.
- f to her soon.

## 2 Complete the dialogue with the correct form of the verbs in brackets. Use the present simple or the present continuous.

- Marcos: Hi Felipe. (1) ..... (you / get) this bus every day?
- Felipe: No, I (2) ..... (usually / take) the 64 to work, but I (3) ..... (not / go) to the office today.
- Marcos: Oh, why not?
- Felipe: Well, I (4) ..... (get) a bit tired of that job, and I (5) ..... (think) of leaving soon. In fact, I'll do that as soon as I (6) ..... (find) something better.
- Marcos: (7) ..... (the boss / know) you (8) ..... (take) the day off today?
- Felipe: Not yet. I'll call him later when he (9) ..... (arrive) at the office. I don't like him very much. He (10) ..... (always / criticise) the staff, and most of us (11) ..... (not / deserve) that.
- Marcos: It (12) ..... (not / surprise) me that you want to leave.

## 3 Use a form of the word in capitals to complete each sentence.

- 1 Simon is very ..... He COMPETE feels he always has to win.
- 2 It was ..... of you to GREED eat all that cake and leave none for me!
- 3 Antonio always tells the truth, but I'm afraid Louis is rather ..... HONEST
- 4 That dog becomes quite ..... whenever you AGGRESSION walk past the garden.
- 5 I felt so ..... that I ENERGY went for a ten-kilometre run in the countryside.
- 6 It's ..... to lend a lot of money to someone who you don't know. FOOL
- 7 Seeing my sister again after so many years apart was an ..... EMOTION experience.
- 8 Jeff's motorbike is really ..... It breaks down RELY almost every day.
- 9 I really wanted to go surfing, but Chloe was less ..... than ENTHUSIASM me.
- 10 The shop assistant was ..... so I demanded to see the manager. HELP

4 Choose the correct alternative.

When I (1) *was / had been* just 16, my parents (2) *were telling / told* me that I would have to go to a new school, as they (3) *decided / had decided* to move to another town. For me it was a big change in my life, as I (4) *used to grow / had grown* up in that area and all my friends (5) *were going / went* to the same school. We also (6) *were spending / used to spend* a lot of time together in the evening, and since the previous summer I (7) *'d gone / 'd been going* out with a boy in the same class as me.

It was very difficult for the first few weeks after we (8) *had moved / had been moving*. I really (9) *would miss / missed* my friends, and every day I (10) *would send / was sending* an email or text message to at least one of them. At the same time, though, I (11) *was getting / used to get* to know some of my new classmates quite well, and by the time I (12) *was / 'd been* there a few months I (13) *used to begin / 'd begun* to make some good friends. It was at that point that I (14) *was realising / realised* that I (15) *moved / 'd moved* on from my old life, although I'll never forget my friends back in my home town.

5 Choose the correct word (a, b or c) to complete each sentence.

- 1 Some people ..... meals and just have a coffee instead, which is very unhealthy.
  - a chop
  - b skip
  - c slice
- 2 Can you please stop making that silly noise. It's really ..... I
  - a irritating
  - b challenging
  - c fascinating
- 3 A ..... company provided all the food for my sister's wedding reception.
  - a consuming
  - b cooking
  - c catering
- 4 Karl always thinks the worst will happen, and his brother is very ....., too.
  - a optimistic
  - b pessimistic
  - c sympathetic
- 5 I feel more ..... to work when I know that other people will benefit from what I do.
  - a distracted
  - b motivated
  - c refreshed
- 6 You should try to have a more ..... diet consisting of different kinds of healthy food.
  - a balanced
  - b organised
  - c serious
- 7 Jenny is extremely ....., so you must be careful not to say anything that might upset her.
  - a sensible
  - b thoughtful
  - c sensitive
- 8 That steak was so ..... that I couldn't cut it with my knife.
  - a tough
  - b hard
  - c ripe

