

## **FINAL EXAM Business Result Intermediate**

### **1. Match these words**

- 1 You should take more \_\_\_\_\_ at work – that way you might get promoted.
- 2 We're too similar. We have the same strengths. Our skills aren't \_\_\_\_\_.
- 3 Maybe we should join \_\_\_\_\_ and find a solution together.
- 4 The two companies are hoping to form an \_\_\_\_\_ in order to survive this current recession.
- 5 Nigel isn't much of a team \_\_\_\_\_, I'm afraid. He prefers to work alone.
- 6 Let's start by finding some common \_\_\_\_\_, rather than focusing on our disagreements.
- 7 I'd like you two to work more \_\_\_\_\_ together in the future.
- 8 It's a joint \_\_\_\_\_ between a coffee company and an electronics firm to produce vending machines.

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| RESPONSABILITY | FORCES  | ALLIANCE | PLAYER | GROUND | CLOSELY |
| COMPLEMENTARY  | VENTURE |          |        |        |         |

### **2. Choose the correct answer from the words in *italics*.**

1. You *should* / *'re going to* come along if you have time. The CEO will be there.
2. Profits *will* / *might* definitely fall a little next quarter. Don't worry. They always go back up around Christmas.
3. Look at the awful findings on customer feedback. They're terrible. I think we *should* / *'re going to* lose some of our key clients based on this report.
4. I'm not 100% sure, but I think I *might* / *will* apply for that job in the paper.
5. Let me check with the warehouse, and then I promise that I *'ll* / *'m going to* call you straight back.
6. There's usually a shuttle bus that leaves the conference centre at 3 p.m. If it's running today there *is going to* / *should* be one in about five minutes.

### **3. Choose the correct answer from the words in *italics*.**

Hi Jeff

Thanks for your advice. If you <sup>24</sup>*will* / *could* answer one or two more questions about our idea, I'd be really grateful. First of all, if we choose your idea of going online (and I think we probably <sup>25</sup>*will* / *would*), what <sup>26</sup>*will* / *would* the start up costs be – approximately? Would you know the name of someone who could design a site if we <sup>27</sup>*need* / *needed* help with this? If we could, it <sup>28</sup>*will* / *would* be fun to try and design it ourselves, but maybe that's a bad idea. What <sup>29</sup>*will* / *would* you do in our situation?

I look forward to hearing from you. If it's OK with you, I <sup>30</sup>*will* / *would* give you a call next week so that we can talk about this some more.

Best wishes  
Ilse

#### 4. Complete these conversations with the missing words.

- A So what's the <sup>11</sup>m \_\_\_\_\_ exactly?  
B It's this DVD. It <sup>12</sup>k \_\_\_\_\_ on switching off.  
A When you say it switches off, do you <sup>13</sup>m \_\_\_\_\_ it stops, or there's no power at all?  
B No power. It goes dark.  
A Are you using it on battery, or mains?  
B Battery I think.  
A Have you <sup>14</sup>t \_\_\_\_\_ plugging in the power cable?  
B Is there one?  
A What appears to be the <sup>15</sup>t \_\_\_\_\_?  
B My boss is <sup>16</sup>a \_\_\_\_\_ giving me more projects when we haven't finished the last ones. I just can't keep up.  
A It <sup>17</sup>m \_\_\_\_\_ be useful to talk to her.  
B But she's never here. I just get notes stuck on yet more reports.  
A The <sup>18</sup>b \_\_\_\_\_ thing would be to ring her. Just talking should solve the problem.
- A Hello, how can I <sup>19</sup>h \_\_\_\_\_?  
B Well I bought this from you last week, but it doesn't work.  
A What's wrong with it <sup>20</sup>e \_\_\_\_\_?  
B It won't come on, and there's a smell when you plug it in.  
A What <sup>21</sup>s \_\_\_\_\_ of smell?  
B A kind of burning.  
A It sounds <sup>22</sup>l \_\_\_\_\_ there's a problem with the electrics. I'll give you another one.

#### 5. change the incorrect sentences into correct.

- 23 I think you should to ask for help. \_\_\_\_\_  
24 You have to get it approved by your boss. \_\_\_\_\_  
25 I'd speak to her if I would be you. \_\_\_\_\_  
26 What would you do in this situation? \_\_\_\_\_  
27 Is it enough easy for you? \_\_\_\_\_  
28 Sorry, but I don't have enough time for that. \_\_\_\_\_  
29 This is really too complicated to fix. \_\_\_\_\_  
30 The main problem is that we don't have too resources. \_\_\_\_\_

#### 6. Listening comprehension

► 9.3 Listen to part of a meeting between a sales manager and a member of staff. What does the employee report on? What does the manager decide?