

## Grammar

### 1 Underline the correct alternative.

- 1 A: I 'm having/will have a party tonight. Do you want to come?  
B: I'd love to. What time is it going to/might it start?
- 2 A: Mel will travel/is travelling around Italy for work next month. Lucky thing!  
B: Might she go to/Will she visit Rome?  
A: Yes, I think she 's staying/won't stay there for a few days when she first arrives.
- 3 A: What are you going to/will you do tomorrow?  
B: I might not/'m going to do anything! I'm so tired, I think I 'll just relax/'m relaxing.
- 4 A: I'm so excited because our team won our semi-final match and so we 're playing/might play in the finals on Saturday.  
B: That's fantastic! Well, let me know what time it starts and I 'll/'m going to bring the boys along to watch.  
A: OK then. I 'm checking/'ll check with the coach when I see him later and let you know by text.

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### 2 Complete the predictions with the words and phrases in the box.

could be   going to (x2)   may not  
not going to   probably   unlikely   will (x3)  
won't

- 1 Tom won't be there yet. Let's face it, he's always late.
- 2 A: So, do you think it's likely you \_\_\_\_\_ get the job?  
B: Well, it's \_\_\_\_\_. Over 500 people have applied and I guess they're \_\_\_\_\_ looking for someone with more experience than me.
- 3 I really don't like the look of those black clouds. I'm sure there's \_\_\_\_\_ be a big storm very soon.
- 4 Mia's doing very well at school. I hope she continue her studies at university. I'm sure she make an excellent teacher.
- 5 We \_\_\_\_\_ be able to sell our house in the current weak economic climate but we're \_\_\_\_\_ try. We \_\_\_\_\_ lucky and find the right buyer. You never know!
- 6 I'm sorry but I'm \_\_\_\_\_ be at work this week. The doctor said I have 'flu and must stay at home.

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## Vocabulary

### 3 Rearrange the letters to complete the sentences to do with organisation.

- 1 Diane uses her time wisely (liywes) and makes a list of all the things she needs to get done at the beginning of each day.
- 2 My daughter tends to get \_\_\_\_\_ (seacitddr) very easily when doing her homework. She (sawtes) a lot of time on social networking sites when she should be studying.
- 3 I tend to do things \_\_\_\_\_ (adeha) of time so that I always meet the \_\_\_\_\_ (decdain) set on a project.
- 4 When you have a lot of tasks to do, it's best to (tripierios) them so you complete the most important ones first.

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### 4 Find and correct the mistakes. Tick (✓) the correct sentences.

- 1 I think the way we work will change a lot in the next ten years time.
- 2 The short term, it is expected that wages will stay low.
- 3 Robots could play an important part in our lives in perhaps ten to twenty years time.
- 4 Don't worry, you'll get your exam results in a day or two.
- 5 We may all work from home in near future as it is likely that companies will want to reduce office costs.

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### 5 Complete the idioms with one word.

- 1 They were running out of time and only had three minutes to score a goal.
- 2 He didn't say he had a new job. He's such a dark \_\_\_\_\_!
- 3 Can you keep an \_\_\_\_\_ on the kids while I cook dinner?
- 4 These days children find using computers a piece of \_\_\_\_\_.
- 5 I'll give you a \_\_\_\_\_ with your suitcase – it looks very heavy.
- 6 Mia wants to get out of the \_\_\_\_\_ race. She says it's too competitive and stressful.
- 7 Golf isn't my \_\_\_\_\_ of tea. I prefer tennis.

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**6 Put the words in the correct order to make sentences.**

1 missed / the / because / date / got / I / the / I / party / wrong.

I missed the party because I got the date wrong.

2 concert / 7.30 / started / left / we / at / because / thought / home / at / we / the / 8.

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3 answered / didn't / me / door / he / when / the / Cesar / recognise / at first.

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4 realise / prepare / was / meeting / as / I / I / didn't / didn't / presentation / the / the / today.

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5 told / wrong / were / same / after / two / with / I / was / the / calling / the / number / there / that / hotels / name.

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6 to / had / see / who / at / party / but / was / it / different / I / old / my / expected / Dan / the / schoolfriend / a / Dan / came.

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**Function**

**7 Complete the conversation with the correct answer, a), b) or c).**

A: Hello, I'm just calling to ask what time check-in is. I have a booking for today in the name of James Chang.

B: I'm sorry sir, but we don't have a reservation in that name and I'm afraid we're fully booked for the next week.

A: Sorry, can you <sup>1</sup> b that again?

B: I said I'm afraid we don't have a reservation for you and we're fully booked.

A: Do you mean <sup>2</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ that the double room I booked for the week isn't available? I don't <sup>3</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ what you're saying.

B: I'm sorry sir, but we have no record of your booking. Are you sure you're at this hotel?

A: Did you <sup>4</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ me if I'd called the wrong hotel? I <sup>5</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ booked a room for today, the 16th of August. Do you really think I don't know which hotel I booked a room at?

B: I'm sorry sir, what I <sup>6</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ was that sometimes people make this mistake.

A: So, you're <sup>7</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ that although I've got a reservation number for a double room from August 16th to 23rd at the Hotel Sheraldton, I don't actually have a room.

B: Sorry sir, I didn't <sup>8</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ what you said at the end – it's a very bad line. Could you <sup>9</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ the last part please?

A: I said I booked a room at the Hotel Sheraldton from August 16th to 23rd.

B: Ah, so you're booked in at the Sheraldton!

A: What exactly do you <sup>10</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ ?

B: Well, we're the Charlton Hotel, not the Sheraldton. In other words, your booking is with a different hotel!

A: You've <sup>11</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ me! Do I have a room or not?

B: Well, yes, sir, you do – let me give you the number for the Hotel Sheraldton ...

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| 1 a) speak     | b) <u>say</u> | c) tell    |
| 2 a) say       | b) saying     | c) to say  |
| 3 a) mean      | b) get        | c) take    |
| 4 a) ask       | b) tell       | c) check   |
| 5 a) generally | b) definitely | c) finally |
| 6 a) meant     | b) understood | c) spoke   |
| 7 a) telling   | b) talking    | c) saying  |
| 8 a) listen    | b) take       | c) catch   |
| 9 a) repeat    | b) say        | c) speak   |
| 10 a) need     | b) mean       | c) say     |
| 11 a) missed   | b) lost       | c) caught  |

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