

Test 8 (Units 29–32)

Reading

1 Choose the best heading for each paragraph and one for the whole passage.

- a Life as it used to be
- b Local students on work camp experiment
- c Clean water?
- d Back from three weeks in Africa
- e A hole in the ground

Marks ____ 5 (5 x 1)

2 Tick ✓ true. Cross ✗ false.

- 1 Rachel, Neil, Gary and Emma are all in the same class. ☐
- 2 The students helped to find the water under the ground. ☐
- 3 Soon the local people will be able to fill water cans. ☐
- 4 The water was fine for drinking if it was boiled. ☐
- 5 The students missed their televisions and computers. ☐

Marks ____ 5 (5 x 1)

1 _____

2 _____

Four local young people were members of an international group who went to work on a water project in Sudan. That country suffers badly from drought. Rachel, Neil, Gary and Emma, all from Harewood High School, have just returned. This is the first time school students have worked on a project like this. They stayed in Africa for three weeks.

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Neil (16) said it had been hard work. He spent each day digging a large hole which would become a lake when the project was finished. Gary (17) told us that water had been found below the ground a few weeks previously.

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Emma (16) was asked to help the local people to make a place where they could fill cans with water. She said that she and the other students at the camp used the same water. They were told not to drink it unless it was boiled, but for washing it was fine.

5 _____

Rachel (14) told us there was no electricity anywhere in the camp so there were no TVs, computers or movies. All the students agreed that the experiment was a success, and they said the only thing they had missed was their mobile phones.

Vocabulary

3 Match.

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| 1 computer | ☒ | a the box |
| 2 art | ☐ | b interest |
| 3 take up | ☐ | c gallery |
| 4 glued to | ☐ | d monitor |
| 5 show | ☐ | e a hobby |
| 6 pull | ☐ | f out |

Marks ____ 5 (5 x 1)

4 Complete with a preposition.

He's given up playing the piano. It was too hard.

- 1 They were so happy together. I never thought they would break up with each other.
- 2 TV doesn't have a good influence on children.
- 3 What can I do? My work is dependent on my computer and it has broken down.
- 4 We aren't really addicted to chocolate. We just like to have some every day.
- 5 I don't want to interfere with your plans, but I don't think visiting him is a good idea.

Marks ____ 5 (5 x 1)

5 Complete. Use these words.

lost loudly addiction rediscovered installed asked

'Do you remember, my people,' the president (ask) asked, 'that many years ago gold was discovered in our mountains? We ¹ _____ equipment and machines and the country became richer. Then the

earthquake came and everything was destroyed or ² _____. At last I can give you some good news. The gold has been ³ _____. The crowd cheered ⁴ _____. 'And so I want 100 young men to work in the mountains,' he smiled 'but they must be young men who do not suffer from gold ⁵ _____. We will make this country rich again, rich for everyone.'

Marks ____ 5 (5 x 1)

Grammar

6 Complete the report of this dialogue.

- John** Hi, Laura. How are you?
Laura Fine, thanks.
John Has Michelle finished her exams?
Laura Yes. She finished yesterday.
John Then she can come on the class picnic tomorrow.
Laura Yes, I'm sure she can. Why?
John I'm planning to take her photograph for the school magazine. She is the student with the highest marks this year.

John asked Laura how she was. She said she was fine.

- 1 John asked Laura if Michelle _____ her exams.
- 2 Laura said that she had finished them _____.
- 3 John noted that then _____ on the class picnic the next day.
- 4 Laura _____ that she could, and asked why.
- 5 John explained _____ Michelle's photograph for the school magazine as she was the student with the highest marks that year.

Marks ____ 5 (5 x 1)

7 Circle the correct words below, a, b or c.

- Lee called last week. He ¹ _____ me to go to a meeting of the team the ² _____ day, which was Thursday. I was busy, so I asked him ³ _____ to have the meeting until Monday. He told me he ⁴ _____ like to, but Lisa had asked him to arrange it for Thursday. He added that the rest of the team ⁵ _____ all able to come. I said that I ⁶ _____ going to finish my project, but he told me ⁷ _____ I might enjoy the meeting. When I asked him why, he told me not ⁸ _____ ask so many questions. So I went to the meeting and I got the job of team captain for next year! I ⁹ _____ them I ¹⁰ _____ amazed. I was glad I ¹¹ _____ left my project until the weekend.

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| 1 a said | b told me | c asked |
| 2 a previous | b following | c that |
| 3 a not | b that | c when |
| 4 a will | b would | c had |
| 5 a is | b could | c were |
| 6 a was | b am | c wanted |
| 7 a not to | b to | c that |
| 8 a that | b to | c don't |
| 9 a said | b told | c confessed |
| 10 a am | b would be | c was |
| 11 a was | b have | c had |