

Focus 3 Cumulative 1-4

Vocabulary, Grammar, Use of English and Reading

VOCABULARY

1 Complete the sentences with the correct preposition in each gap.

- 1 I sometimes fall _____ with my best friend, but we never stay angry for long.
- 2 I take _____ my mum with my brown eyes and small ears.
- 3 I like to hang _____ with my friends at a local café.
- 4 My family came to cheer me _____ when I entered the baking competition.
- 5 Lucia picked _____ her cooking skills from her grandmother.

2 Complete the sentences with words formed from the words in capitals.

- 1 The accident was _____. There was nothing they could do to prevent it. AVOID
- 2 Mark is a _____ person who doesn't worry about anything. CARE
- 3 The new restaurant is very _____, with all of the most fashionable dishes. TREND
- 4 It was _____ that she would lose the competition because she was such a talented cook. THINK
- 5 Tim should follow the news more closely, because he's really _____ when it comes to current affairs. INFORM

3 Complete the text with the correct form of the words in the box. There are three words you don't need.

catch	rush	easy-going	jam	stuck	fresh	miss	rude
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My friend and I decided to go to Spain for the holidays. Of course, we weren't ready on time and we were afraid we might ¹ _____ the train to the airport, so we took a taxi. Unfortunately, it was ² _____ hour, so we got ³ _____ in traffic and it took us ages to get there. Then we discovered that we were at the wrong terminal, so we had to ⁴ _____ a bus to another part of the airport and we barely made our flight. Luckily, we're both quite ⁵ _____ so we didn't get stressed, and we certainly didn't let such minor problems spoil our holiday!

GRAMMAR

4 Choose the correct verb forms.

- 1 I *don't want* / I'm not wanting / I haven't wanted to go out now.
- 2 When I was young, I *used to live* / *have lived* / *would live* on a farm.
- 3 While we *have been waiting* / *were waiting* / *had waited* for the train, I ate my sandwiches.
- 4 Everyone looks happy. England *must have won* / *will have won* / *must win* the match.
- 5 *We'll go* / *We won't go* / *We will have gone* skiing unless the insurance is too expensive.

5 Complete the sentences with the correct form of the verbs in brackets.

- 1 I _____ (not / used to / play) computer games very much, but now I love them!
- 2 I was amazed that I came third in the race because I _____ (never / run) a marathon before.
- 3 I'll call you as soon as I _____ (get) home.
- 4 By Christmas, if I stick to this diet, I _____ (lose) over ten kilograms.
- 5 Where's Tom? He _____ (forget) about the meeting because we were talking about it earlier.

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USE OF ENGLISH

6 Decide which answer, A, B, C or D, best fills each gap.

I love travelling by plane! We usually have to set ¹ _____ very early because a lot of flights leave first thing in the morning. I usually wear old, comfortable clothes during the ² _____ so that I can relax. I love that feeling when I sit down in my seat and ³ _____ my seatbelt, and I know the plane is about to take off. I don't usually have a ⁴ _____ meal before I leave, but I have a snack because the food on the plane is never very nice. Some people dislike flying, but for me it always provides a ⁵ _____ from my everyday routine, and I can sit back and enjoy being far above the earth.

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|-------------|---------|----------|------------|
| 1 A off | B away | C after | D over |
| 2 A journey | B tour | C voyage | D travel |
| 3 A lock | B join | C tie | D fasten |
| 4 A fat | B heavy | C strong | D firm |
| 5 A time | B stop | C break | D distance |

7 Read the text and think of the word which best fits each gap. Use only one word in each gap.

Two years ago, Emma Branson's seven-year-old son Adam decided that he wanted to become a vegetarian. He ¹ _____ always enjoyed meat before then, but he suddenly ² _____ stand the idea of eating animals. Emma was worried of course, but she soon realised that she couldn't ³ _____ her son eat anything he didn't want to eat. She decided to go with the flow and just make sure that he had a balanced ⁴ _____ by providing plenty of different foods. Adam has ⁵ _____ following his vegetarian diet for two years now, and he seems fit and healthy.

8 Use the word given in capitals to form a word that fills each gap.

My cousin Sam is a lovely person, but he's ¹ _____ naive and often gets himself into trouble because he believes nearly everything people tell him. The fact that he's a ² _____ musician puts him even more at risk, and people who realise that he is a ³ _____ rather than a practical person try to take advantage of him. Still, all of us are very proud of his ⁴ _____ as an artist, and it is very ⁵ _____ for us to see how he manages to get through life and enjoy himself despite the scrapes he gets into.

HOPE
SUCCESS
CREATE
ACHIEVE
EDUCATE

9 Complete the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the first sentence, using the word given. Do not change the word given. You must use between two and five words.

- 1 She isn't allowed to stay out late. LET
Her parents don't _____ late.
- 2 They finally brought the fire under control.
MANAGED
They finally _____ under control.
- 3 It's possible that Mike left early. MIGHT

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Mike _____ early.

- 4 My grandfather used to play with me every day. WOULD

My grandfather _____ every day.

- 5 We'll go outside when it stops raining.

UNTIL

We _____ it stops raining.

READING

10 Read the article. Match headings A–F with gaps 1–4. There are two extra headings.

1 ____

Have you ever dreamed of opening a restaurant? Some will tell you that it's an impossible dream, but it's actually quite possible as long as you are ready to deal with some difficulties. If you really love what you do, it may be the best step you have ever taken.

2 ____

There are a number of things to think about before you go ahead with your plan. Money is number one. Do you have access to enough to buy furniture and get the necessary supplies? Will you be able to pay your staff during times when there isn't a lot of business? Make sure there is some extra money so you don't have to get stressed about not having enough to keep going.

3 ____

The next thing to consider is how you are going to get lots of customers. Choosing a popular location is key. You may also serve an unusual type of food, or create a look or atmosphere that makes people want to come back. Perhaps offering live music or hanging original art on the walls will fit in with the type of experience you want your customers to have.

4 ____

The final aspect is becoming known to the public. Use social media and traditional advertising to make sure people hear about your restaurant. Organise special events that people will be excited to attend. Most importantly, show how passionate you are about the food you serve, the way you treat customers and the experience you offer. With enough love and dedication, you really can succeed.

- A It can take a lot of money, so be prepared.
- B Opening a restaurant can be easy.
- C There are many ways to get customers to come.
- D There are many reasons why restaurants fail.
- E Where you are and what you offer are important.
- F It may seem impossible, but it can be done.