

1 Complete the text with the words in the box.

choice data general knowledge guess memory
mind note down options score solve

Better brain power!

- When you read or hear interesting facts, 1 _____ the information in a book or on your phone. Then, you can remember the facts and increase your 2 _____ of the world.
- If you want to 3 _____ a problem, but you can't think of how, look at all the 4 _____ you have and then stop thinking about it. When you focus on the problem later, your 5 _____ will often have an answer.
- If you see a word you don't know, 6 _____ the meaning. Use a dictionary to check.
- If you can make the 7 _____ between revising for two hours on one day, or revising for 20 minutes on several days, take the second of the two 8 _____. It helps the information to go into your long-term 9 _____.
- When you get test results back, don't focus on the grade or 10 _____. Think about what you did well and what you didn't do so well. This will help you to do better in the future.

2 A Complete the words.

- I need to memor _____ thirty new English words.
- I left my exam revis _____ until the last minute.
- My underst _____ of science is not very good.
- Have you found a sol _____ to the problem yet?
- Elena's know _____ of history is excellent.
- Practice tests are good prep _____ for a real exam.

B Choose the correct word to complete the sentences.

- I did a lot of **knowledge** / **memory** / **revision** before the exam, so I think it went well.
- The headteacher **knew** / **informed** / **prepared** us that the school was closing.
- Marina has a terrible **information** / **knowledge** / **memory** and forgets everything.
- I need to **inform** / **memorise** / **solve** all the information in this book for my science exam!
- I'm not sure if a business course was the best **choice** / **guess** / **knowledge** for me.
- If you don't know the answer, just have a **guess** / **preparation** / **solution**.

GRAMMAR

question forms

3 A Put the words in the correct order.

- music / to / What kind of / usually / you / listen / do ?
- about / told / the accident / Who / you ?
- you / for / What / looking / are ?
- have / you / done / What / about the problem ?
- the answer / What / to the question / you / gave ?
- talking / you all / about / are / What ?

B The sentences below have a mistake. Choose the best option to correct the mistake.

- Which student did they get the highest grade in?
a got their b get c got
- What car you have bought?
a car have you b car has c have you car
- Who write the song that's playing now?
a did you write b wrote c write you
- Who does this coat belong?
a belonged b belong to c belonged to

B 3.02 | Listen to the conversation. Choose the correct answers (a–c).

- On what day do the speakers decide to hold the quiz?
a Saturday 1st
b Saturday 8th
c Sunday 9th
- What time will the quiz be?
a 7 p.m.–9 p.m.
b 8 p.m.–9 p.m.
c 8 p.m.–9.30 p.m.
- What is the highest number of people a team can have?
a four
b five
c six
- Which of these topics will the speakers ask ten questions about first?
a general knowledge
b music
c sport
- Who will write the quiz questions?
a the man
b the woman
c both the man and the woman
- What did the man read about yesterday?
a a new department store
b a shop closing soon
c a terrible game of football

C **3.03 | Listen and fill the gaps.**

- 1 That _____ me, I'm meeting up with my old school friend Ryan next week.
- 2 OK, so _____ on to the next decision. What time shall we start and how long should we go on for?
- 3 By the _____, did you watch the match last night?
- 4 This is completely _____ topic, but I read yesterday that the department store in town is closing.