

Test 9th grade

Vocabulary

1 Complete the sentences with the words in the box. There are two extra words.

appetite	attack	breathe	cough
keep	throat	take	faint

0 I'm not hungry – I've lost my appetite.

1 I've felt awful since last week. I've had a sore _____ and runny nose.

2 Now _____ in and out for me.

3 Ear thermometers can _____ your temperature in seconds!

4 Have you got any ideas on how I can _____ fit?

5 Call an ambulance! I think he's having a heart _____!

3 Complete the sentences with the correct form of the verbs in brackets. Use the Past Perfect or Past Simple.

0 He had lost (lose) a lot of weight before he went on holiday.

1 I didn't have to do my homework yesterday because I _____ (do) it before.

2 Before she _____ (go) to bed, she checked her phone for messages.

3 When Mary was at school today, she was very tired because she _____ (not sleep) well.

4 The physiotherapist pressed my shoulder and _____ (ask) me how it felt.

5 How many tennis matches _____ (you / lose) by the time you won your first?

4 Complete the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the first.

0 'I am asthmatic,' Pascal said.
Pascal said that he was asthmatic.

1 'I don't know much about badminton,' he said.
He said that _____.

2 'I can drive you to the health centre,' my mum said.
My mum told me that _____.

3 'We've been to the swimming pool,' they said.
They said that _____.

4 'They didn't understand the results of the tests,' Ann told her friend.
Ann told her friend that _____.

5 'I'm waiting for the nurse,' he said.
He said that _____.

Use of English

5 Choose the correct option, A, B or C to complete the text.

DEALING WITH STRESS

Everyone stresses ⁰__ when they're preparing for exams. So what's the best way to ¹__ through this difficult time? I went to see my doctor about this problem last year and we ²__ it over. She told me I ³__ take breaks and do some exercise every hour. That was interesting because I ⁴__ about exercise before. But I tried it and she was right. I felt great after jogging and it really ⁵__ my anxiety. When I sat at my desk again, I was able to study with a clear head and I did extremely well in my exams.

0 **A** out B at C about

1 A do B get C figure

2 A spoke B discussed C talked

3 A could take B can take C will take

4 A didn't think
B hadn't thought
C haven't thought

5 A reduced B dropped C fell