

1A She is an inspiring woman



1 GRAMMAR Review of tenses

a Underline the correct words to complete the text.

The other day I was walking down the street when I ¹*have seen / was seeing / saw* Sam Carter, you know, the famous film director. I was really excited because he ²*has been / is / was* one of my favourite directors for ages and I watch his films all the time. 'What ³*is he doing / does he do / has he done* here?' I thought to myself. There was only one way to find out. Sam ⁴*went / was going / has gone* into a café, but I stopped him before he got inside and said, 'Hi, Sam!' He smiled at me and we started to talk outside. Me and Sam Carter! He always ⁵*is looking / looks / has looked* so serious in photos, but he's a really friendly guy. In the end, Sam ⁶*invites / has invited / invited* me for a coffee. Then he told me why he was in town. His film company ⁷*made / have made / were making* a new film and they ⁸*have / have had / are having* lots of new faces in it, just ordinary people, but they need some more. 'How about you?' Sam asked. '⁹*Did you watch / Have you watched / Are you watching* any of my films? Do you want to be in one?' I was so shocked I ¹⁰*have dropped / was dropping / dropped* my cup on the floor! The hot coffee went all over Sam; he screamed and ran outside. I lost my big chance!

b Listen and check.

c Complete the sentences with the correct forms of the verbs in the box: present simple, present continuous, present perfect, past simple or past continuous.

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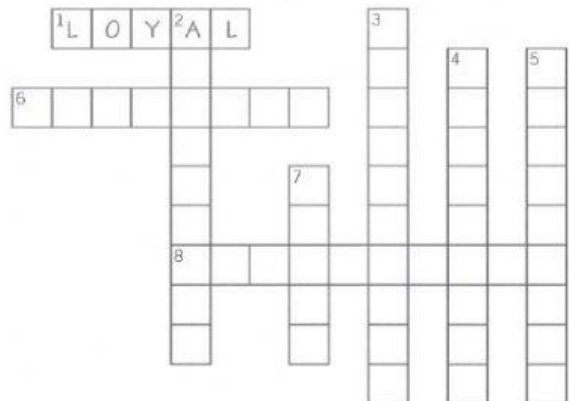
- John is working in a small marketing agency at the moment.
- _____ you ever _____ anybody famous?
- A What _____ you _____?
B I'm a student.
- Shakespeare _____ plays and poetry, and thousands of words in English come from them.
- Our friends _____ for dinner, but had to cancel because they were ill.
- Not many people _____ her well now.
- He was rich and famous, but he _____ many friends.
- The game _____ yet, there are five minutes to go.
- Things _____ slowly _____ worse in the office now that Mrs Andrews has retired.
- I _____ it's a great idea to go skiing while we've got some snow.

2 VOCABULARY Character adjectives

a Underline the correct words to complete the sentences.

- Don't be so *motivated / stubborn / ambitious*! You know what I am saying makes sense.
- I wanted him to help me, but he was very *unsympathetic / inspiring / passionate* and didn't want to do anything.
- Margarita is a really *inspiring / sensitive / arrogant* woman and an example to everyone.
- Susan is *motivated / optimistic / passionate* about basketball and trains every day.
- He's rude and *sensitive / determined / arrogant* – he thinks he's better than everyone else.
- If you are *motivated / self-confident / pessimistic*, you do things because you really want to do them.

b Complete the crossword puzzle.



→ Across

- showing firm friendship or support
- not listening to people's opinions or changing your mind
- thinking about the future in a positive way

↓ Down

- wanting to be successful
- making a decision and not letting anyone stop you
- easy to hurt or upset
- people have a good opinion of you
- having no experience and expecting things to be all right

3 PRONUNCIATION Sound and spelling: e

a How is the underlined letter e pronounced in each word in the box? Complete the table with the words.

concerned desert desire dessert helpful identity
prefer prizes revise sensitive service slept

Sound 1 /c/ (e.g. <i>respected</i>)	Sound 2 /ɪ/ (e.g. <i>determined</i>)	Sound 3 /ɜ:/ (e.g. <i>serve</i>)
		<i>concerned</i>

b Listen and check.