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B1 TEENS

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Teacher:

Group:

Testing Period:

Student:

VOCABULARY AND GRAMMAR

A. Choose a, b, c or d.

1. I need some money. Is there a(n) around here?

- a. change b. coin c. ATM d. charge

2. Unfortunately, there is no for damaged goods.

- a. refund b. fortune. c. price tag d. expenses

3. Harry went to the grocery store and bought twenty dollars of potato chips.

- a. worth b. cost c. value d. price

4. I can't go on vacation this year. I .
- a. broke b. broken. c. 'm broke d. 'm broken
5. This MP3 player comes with a two-year .
- a. service b. receipt c. bargain d. guarantee
6. Do you usually buy famous when you shop?
- a. discounts b. brands c. staff d. sales

B. Complete the dialogues with the Past Simple, Present Perfect Simple or the Present Perfect Progressive of the verbs in parentheses.

1.

A: Hi, Violet! I (1) (not know) you come here for your shopping.

B: Yes, it's great.

A: How long (2) you (shop) here?

B: Since it (3) (open). (4) you (be) to the coffee shop on the roof before?

A: No, is it good?

B: Yeah, come on. Let's go and have some coffee.

2.

A: Be quiet!

B: What's wrong, sis?

A: It's the man across the street. He (5) (listen) to the same song all morning, and it's very loud.

B: (6) you (try) going to his house and knocking on his door yet?

A: Yes, I (7) (go) by there this morning, but he (8) (not answer) the door.

B: Come and study in my room. Maybe it's not so loud.

C. Read the e-mail and choose a, b, c or d.

Hey Katie,

I (1) about what you said in your e-mail for some time now and so I'm writing back to (2) you on your problem.

Firstly, I'm sure your brother didn't mean to break your cell phone. He probably did it (3) accident. I know you don't get (4) with him but he's your brother, so don't be so hard on him. It's important to have a good (5) with your family members. In (6) , I really think that you (7) talk to him, before doing anything else. He (8) understand how you feel but I believe he should know. I understand that you'd (9) not talk to him at the moment as you're very angry, but he should take responsibility for his actions.

Explain and make him (10) that you expect him to do something this time, for example buy you a new cell phone. He (11) be able to afford it. You've told me that he puts some of his pocket money (12) every week. He can't (13) away with everything, right? One last

thing: you (14) to be calm when talking to him. It's the only way he'll take you seriously.

Well, I hope I've been of some help to you.

Take care,

Jacqueline

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| 1. a. thought | b. think | c. 've been thinking | d. 'm thinking |
| 2. a. advise | b. recommend | c. advice | d. warn |
| 3. a. with | b. for | c. as | d. by |
| 4. a. along | b. by | c. over | d. away |
| 5. a. privacy | b. relationship | c. position | d. qualification |
| 6. a. furthermore | b. addition | c. present | d. consideration |
| 7. a. better | b. need | c. would | d. should |

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| 8. a. can't | b. needn't | c. may not | d. mustn't |
| 9. a. should | b. need | c. rather | d. better |
| 10. a. involve | b. certain | c. consider | d. realize |
| 11. a. can | b. could | c. must | d. would |
| 12. a. aside | b. off | c. up | d. out |
| 13. a. put | b. go | c. be | d. get |
| 14. a. should | b. need | c. must | d. had |

D. Circle the correct words.

1. Kate's parents were **capable** / **proud** of their daughter's high score on the test.
2. Ted and Jack are twins but they don't look **alike** / **similar**.
3. Mark sat in his **common** / **usual** place on the couch and turned the TV on.
4. Dora didn't mean to hurt you. I'm sure she didn't push you **on** / **in** purpose.
5. This essay is not well written. Actually, the last paragraph doesn't make **sure** / **sense** at all.
6. Kim upset me a lot last week. Now, she wants to take me out for dinner to **make** / **do** up for it.

E. Complete the blanks with the correct form of the words in capitals.

1. Maria has a(n) fear of the dark. She always sleeps with the lights on. **LOGICAL**
2. I failed the test because most of my answers were . **CORRECT**
3. It would be to have a pet and not take care of it properly. **RESPONSIBLE**

F. Complete with the Future *will*, the Future *going to* or the Future Perfect Simple of the verbs in parentheses.

1. Sam, come and clean up this mess at once or you (be) in trouble.
2. **A:** So, when are you moving?
B: In a month. Just think, by the time I see you again, I (move) into my new house.
3. **A:** Are you busy this evening?
B: Well, I (have) dinner at 6:00 with my brother and sister.
What about you?
A: I really haven't made any plans. I probably (watch) some TV or read a book.
4. **A:** Hey, Lucy, can we go shopping a little later? My parents (not return) home by 5p.m. and I need to wait for them.
B: Sure, no problem. I (wait) for you to call me and let me know what time to meet at the bus stop.

G. Choose a, b, c or d.

1. Neither my cousins ☐ I could go to the beach because we all had the flu.

- a. and b. or c. nor d. not

2. It might sound strange but I love ☐ horror and romantic films.

- a. neither b. either c. both of d. both

3. **A:** Should we buy the blue or pink curtains? ☐

B: _____. I don't mind.

- a. Neither b. Both c. Either d. None

4. You can ☐ have a piece of cake or a bag of potato chips, but not both.

- a. either b. neither c. both d. or

5. ☐ of the clothes in my closet are suitable for the occasion. I need to get something new.

- a. All b. Both c. None d. Neither

Communication

Complete the dialogue with the phrases in the box.

- a. Cost an arm and a leg
- b. Shopped around
- c. Check this out
- d. Was great value for

A: Hey, Linda, (1) .

B: Nice bag, Louise. Is it new?

A: Yeah, I needed a new bag for a long time. I (2) a little but I couldn't find anything I

really liked. Then the other day I saw this one in a store window, and it just (3) .

B: It looks like a good quality bag. Did it (4) _____?

A: Actually, it (5) . I got it during the sales, you see.

B: Of course. Maybe I'll get one too.

Reading

Read the three texts and write **B** for Becky, **E** for Eric or **N** for Natasha.

Becky

I have bought many things online and I don't find it complicated at all. You can shop around and find the best bargains because it's so quick to move from one site to the next. I know that some people get nervous about using credit cards online but I've never had any problems. I can't stand it when sites try to promote other products for me to buy. I have my own mind, you know. Even if I like what they have to offer, I refuse

Eric

I shop online sometimes for things like DVDs, but I'd rather buy other things like clothes and shoes from stores. I mean, you can't try on anything to see if it fits, so I think there's no point. So, I usually go to a department store which is close to my house. I enjoy window shopping a lot, and if I'm feeling down, a good shopping spree always makes me feel better. Also, my cousin has her own clothing store with lots of

Natasha

I have a huge family and I buy all my gifts for people online. It's so convenient because it's so easy to browse, there is a wide variety of things to buy and most sites gift wrap items, too. I know that you have to pay for delivery, but things are usually cheaper online and some sites even suggest ideas about what you might like to buy. Most of these aren't really worth it, but it's a good way to level up what the site offers.

to buy it, because it annoys me. Also, some sites don't mention how much the delivery will cost. That can be a rip-off.

handmade clothes, so I ought to help her out by buying stuff from there every now and then.

Also, I live quite a long way away from any good stores so it's difficult for me to go on shopping trips. I'm a little worried about using my credit card a lot, but what can I do?

1. I think buying certain things online just isn't practical. ☐
2. I believe in shopping therapy. ☐
3. I hate it when a website recommends things that I might like. ☐
4. It's inconvenient for me to buy things from stores. ☐
5. I don't mind using my credit card to buy things online a lot. ☐



Instructions:

Write an essay about the topic "People love shopping".

Remember to follow this structure: **introduction, development, and conclusion.**

Organize your ideas and write your text in a logical way. You can add more information, if necessary. Include the vocabulary about shopping.

You can get ideas from these questions:

- Why do you think people love shopping?
- Do you enjoy going shopping? Why?
- Do you think buying many things is very important? Why?
- What kind of items do you consider most vital to buy and why?

**WRITE THIS ACTIVITY IN YOUR NOTEBOOK.
SEND A PICTURE OF YOUR WORK TO YOUR TEACHER.**

PRESENT	PAST	PARTICIPLE	TRANSLATION
1.-			alimentar
2.-			sentir
3.-			luchar
4.-			encontrar
5.-			volar
6.-			Prohibir
7.-			olvidar
8.-			perdonar
9.-			helar
10.-			obtener
11.-			dar
12.-			

13.-			crecer
14.-			moler
15.-			colgar