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REVIEW TEST 4 • GROUP A

Vocabulary, Grammar, Use of English and Reading

Name: _____

Class: _____

Total: _____/60

Vocabulary

1 Complete the text with the missing words. The first and last letters are given.

It was more like a hotel than a school.

Last year my class and the teachers went away for two weeks. We had lessons in the morning and sports and games in the afternoon. The [0] **a** *c c o m m o d a t i o* **n** was in single rooms with their own bathroom. We went [1] **k** _ _ _ _ _ _ **g** on a river near the hostel and we played [2] **v** _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ **l** in the local gym. Our class teacher made the [3] **a** _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ **s** at the tourist office before the trip so we could visit the tourist [4] **s**_ _ _ _ **s** like castles and old houses. At the weekend we visited the local [5] **m** _ _ _ _ **m** of transport. I loved those two weeks of school very much!

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2 Complete the sentences with the correct form of the words in the box.

cloud	danger	~~colour~~
charm	reserve	ski

0 This isn't a very interesting town and but is very *colourful* at night when all the lights in the centre are on.

1 I'm meeting three important business leaders today. Can you make a _____ for lunch for us at La Belle Surprise?

2 Don't swim too close to the coral reef. It's _____ and three or four people die there every year.

3 The sun is shining at the moment but it will be _____ later.

4 Her boyfriend is intelligent and _____ – everybody likes him.

5 The mountains are full of walkers in the summer and _____ in the winter but it's quiet here at other times of the year.

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3 Complete the sentences with the words in the box. There are four extra words.

booked	brochures	~~by~~	chess
corridor	made	mind	stand
passengers		platform	

I hate travelling [0] *by* plane. I can't [1] _____ all the waiting. That's why I always take the train. Last year, I went to Spain. My friends flew but I went by train. I [2] _____ the tickets on the Internet. I went from London to Paris then got a night train to Madrid. It was great.

The other [3] _____ were a lot of fun and I played [4] _____ with a Russian man until about three in the morning. In Madrid, I just got off the train, crossed onto a different [5] _____ and got on the fast train to Malaga. My friends thought I was crazy to travel by train but I had a great time.

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Grammar

4 Complete the text with the correct form of the verbs in brackets.

I [0] *have never been* (never be) on a working holiday before. Last year, two of my friends [1] _____ (go) to France for a month. They came home with €500 each. I [2] _____ (not go) because I had a girlfriend at that time and I didn't want to be away from her but things are different now. She [3] _____ (just find) a new boyfriend so I'm free! My friends [4] _____ (be) very happy there last year and want to go back again so I'm going to go with them. We are going [5] _____ (leave) on July 18th and stay on a farm near Bordeaux. I'm getting really excited – and it's only April 10th!

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5 Complete the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the first. Use the words in CAPITALS. Write between two and five words.

0 We played football yesterday and the day before. ALREADY
We *have already played football* twice.

1 My advice is to get a taxi from the airport to the hotel. SHOULD
You _____ from the airport to the hotel.

2 Our plan is to film the hunters and send the film to the police. GOING
We _____ the hunters and send the film to the police.

3 I wasn't in Spain last year. I was in Portugal. GO
I _____ last year. I went to Portugal.

4 Tom arrived home a few seconds ago. JUST
Tom _____ home.

5 This is my first time eating such delicious spaghetti! NEVER
I _____ such delicious spaghetti!

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6 Complete the sentence with one word in each gap.

0 You *mustn't* be late for your date with Elaine. She won't wait for you!

1 If I do _____ in exams, my parents don't let me go to parties at the weekend.

2 I'm hungry. I haven't had breakfast _____.

3 The bus _____ left on time for a change! It's usually late.

4 We're _____ to rent motorbikes and visit some places that the buses don't go to.

5 I enjoyed primary school, but really _____ like secondary school. But I love university!

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Use of English

7 Read the blog and complete each gap with one word.

Hi Everyone! Well, I [0] *have* just arrived in New York! Now, I [1] _____ getting ready to start my new job. My apartment in Brooklyn is amazing and I can't believe I'm really here! Last night, I [2] _____ to a restaurant with some new friends. They work [3] _____ the company too, so we are going to be colleagues. They seem like great people and we [4] _____ a lot of fun together at the restaurant. The meal was amazing. It was a [5] _____ restaurant so there was no meat on the menu at all. The day after tomorrow, they are [6] _____ to take me to an activity centre by the ocean. It's a place where they look after the environment and protect wildlife and they think we [7] _____ see dolphins and maybe even some small whales. I can't wait!

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8 Decide which answer, A, B or C, best fits each gap.

0 Do you *A* your homework before dinner or after you eat?
A do **B** make **C** have

1 When we got to the campsite we _____ up our tent very fast as it was already raining.
A made **B** built **C** put

2 The plane has _____ landed. I hope Mike doesn't have to wait too long for his luggage.
A just **B** yet **C** soon

3 What _____ your room at the guesthouse like?
A were **B** did **C** was

4 It was a great holiday and we _____ to go home but, now that we are back, it's nice to be home again.
A don't want **B** didn't want **C** haven't wanted

5 You mustn't _____ when the seatbelt signs are on.
A stand up **B** standing up **C** to stand up

6 People _____ smoke – it's bad for their health.
A can't **B** mustn't **C** shouldn't

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9 Complete the dialogue with sentences A-J. There are more sentences than you need.

Wendy: Hi Sam! I'm going to Paris next week. Would you like to come with me?

Sam: [1]_____

Wendy: Wednesday, and coming back on Saturday.

Sam: [2]_____

Wendy: What clothes are you going to take?

Sam: [3]_____

Wendy: No. Do you think it'll rain?

Sam: [4]_____

Wendy: Me too. And something smart and stylish if we go out for dinner.

Sam: [5]_____

Wendy: I'll pay! I've just got some money from my grandparents.

Sam: [6]_____

Wendy: You're welcome!

Sam: [7]_____

Wendy: Come to my house on Wednesday morning at about eight o'clock. We can get a taxi to the airport.

A That's very generous of you – thanks very much!
B I don't know. Have you seen the weather forecast?
C I don't think I've got enough money for an expensive meal.
D What time are we going to get home?
E I'd love to. When are you going to leave?
F In Paris? No, I think it'll be sunny so I'm going to take light, comfortable clothes.
G I can't speak a lot of French.
H That's perfect. I won't miss work on Sunday then.
I So what time do we have to leave?
J I don't know, but I like French food.

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Reading

10 Read the text. For questions 1–5 choose the correct option A–D.

From Pam's Journal

I have always loved exploring new places and doing something useful at the same time, so when a friend told me about an animal centre in Thailand where I could help animals, I knew it was for me. I packed my bag, got on the plane to Bangkok and travelled as far as Chiang Mai to spend a week in the Elephant Nature Park – a place where sick, lonely elephants and other animals find their home. Together with twenty volunteers from Europe, ready to work hard for food, accommodation and the animals' happiness, I got on a bus which took us to the park.

When we arrived, we walked around the place and the local guides told us what working in the park involved. After a simple vegetarian lunch, we went to our rooms which were right next to the elephant boxes, where the animals slept at night. Later that afternoon we watched the elephants taking a bath in the mud and eating melons. This view of happy and free animals filled my heart with joy, which is still with me when I think about the time I spent there. After a long but exciting day, we all decided to go to bed early so we would be ready for another incredible day.

The next morning, we all woke up at five a.m. because one of the elephants had a bad dream and started making a noise. After breakfast, our team spent the morning working in the field. It wasn't an easy job, but not as bad as we thought. Then, we helped to wash the elephants in the river. It was just lovely to be so close to them and play in the water with them.

On the other days, one of our tasks was to clean up the park of the food elepants left there – this was my favourite because I could watch the elephants in the park playing and eating.

One day some of the baby elephants decided they wanted to get into our van when we were loading the

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corn onto it. The girls who were in the van got really scared. They didn't like it as the van started to move. I immediately called the guide who was with us. When the animals saw him, they went back to their mothers.

On the final night in the park, the park staff invited us for a special Northern Thai meal and fantastic entertainment by the local schoolchildren – they all danced for us, dressed in traditional costumes. We had a brilliant night together and were ready to say goodbye to them the next day. In such a short time we became a family. The next morning, we went back to Chiang Mai and we all went shopping at the local market. It was the perfect end of one of the best weeks of my life.

1 Why did the narrator choose the Elephant Nature Park for her holidays?
A She wanted to explore this place very much.
B A friend recommended it to her.
C She hoped to find a home for sick animals.
D She wanted to go to Thailand.

2 What did the narrator enjoy the most on her first day?
A The vegetarian lunch.
B The view of elephants having a good time.
C Walking around the park.
D Sleeping next to elephants.

3 Why did the narrator wake up at five on her second day?
A She had to get up early every day.
B She had a bad dream.
C Her team had to work in the field very early.
D A crying elephant woke her up.

4 What did the narrator do when the baby elephants got into their van?
A She asked for help.
B She stayed in the van with the other girls.
C She didn't do anything.
D She walked the elephants back to their mothers.

5 In the text the author
A explains why she decided to go on a working holiday.
B describes the park and the animals who live there.
C invites other students to go to Thailand.
D describes her experience in the park.

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