Unit Test 8

A Grammar: Past simple

Complete the sentence with the correct form of the word in brackets.

1 My friends _____(come) to my house for dinner last night.
2 My sister _____(like) basketball when she was a teenager.
3 We _____(try) to catch the bus, but we missed it.
4 Anjali _____(leave) home to go to school at 6 o'clock this morning.
5 I _____(walk) for a long time yesterday.
6 Kate and Molly _____(make) me a very nice cake for my birthday.

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B Grammar: Past simple

Read the dialogue and choose the correct answer.

1 **Boy** You were late for school this morning.
Girl I know. I woke up late, and I __ any breakfast. Now I feel very hungry!
A ☐ had B ☐ didn't have C ☐ don't have

2 **Man** Did Esra stay at home yesterday?
Woman Yes, she __. She was feeling very tired and she didn't want to go out.
A ☐ did B ☐ didn't C ☐ did stay

3 **Girl** How is Jack?
Boy I don't know. I __ him today. He wasn't in school. I hope that he's OK.
A ☐ don't see B ☐ saw C ☐ didn't see

4 **Boy** Did you and your brother visit your grandparents last Saturday?
Girl Yes, __. I always go to their house at the weekend.
A ☐ we did B ☐ did C ☐ we didn't

5 **Girl** We had a very nice time at the beach yesterday.
Boy Great! __ in the sea? Or was it too cold?
A ☐ Did swim B ☐ You swim C ☐ Did you swim

6 **Girl** I finished all of my homework last night.
Boy Great! __ it quickly? It was very difficult for me.
A ☐ You finished B ☐ Did you finish C ☐ Do you finish

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C Grammar: Past simple

Complete the sentence with the correct form of the word in brackets.

1 William Shakespeare _____(be) born in 1564 in Stratford, England.
2 The Wright brothers _____(fly) the first plane in 1903.
3 After she finished school in 1999, she _____(start) a new job in the city.
4 Richard's dad _____(buy) him his first car in 2010.
5 Last year Andy _____(walk) to work every day. Now he drives his car.
6 Maya Angelou _____(write) her first book, *I Know Why the Caged Bird Sings*, in 1969.

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D Vocabulary: Understanding topic vocabulary

Read the text and complete each gap with one word.

I don't know if I ever want to get [1] _____ and become someone's wife. How do you choose a person to stay together with all your life until you [2] _____? I don't think it's possible! Also, when I'm old and I [3] _____ from work, I think I'd like to be alone! Lots of teenagers talk about falling in [4] _____ with the perfect person and sharing their lives with them. But when they grow [5] _____ and become adults, real life can be very different. For example, life with another person isn't always easy. People sometimes leave their husband or wife and get [6] _____. I think I'm happy to stay single!

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E Vocabulary: Recognizing affixation

Complete the sentence with the correct form of the word in brackets.

1 What a _____(beauty) day! Let's go for a long walk in the forest together.
2 Katie's a _____(wonder) teacher. She spends a lot of time planning her lessons.
3 Max likes taking photos of the _____(nature) world, like trees, flowers and animals.
4 Did you know that Priya's going to play for India's _____(nation) football team
5 Linda's a _____(power) tennis player. She wins a lot of her matches.
6 Sam is going to be a very _____(success) writer. He has a lot of interesting ideas.

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F Vocabulary: Recognizing collocations

Choose the correct phrases from the box to complete the dialogue. There are three phrases you do not need.

take photos take place take part take turns take a break take control take a test
take care take a chance

1 **Man** When does the concert _____?
Woman Next Wednesday.
2 **Woman** Dave's not coming with us.
Man No, he needs to _____ of his son.
3 **Man** I want to _____ in the festival.
Woman Great! Do you want to sing?
4 **Woman** Let's go to the beach!
Man I'll bring my camera to _____.
5 **Man** She's studying a lot.
Woman Yes, she has to _____ on Tuesday.
6 **Man** You're working too hard!
Woman Yes, I need to _____.

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G Reading: Recognizing key words

Read the text from an article about family. Match the statements to one of the four texts (*A*, *B*, *C* or *D*).

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Friends For Life

Thanks for sharing stories about your best friends. Here are some of the responses I received. Please share more in the comments below.

Text A: My Friend Alison

I am so lucky to have my friend Alison. We met when we were only 5 years old and we have been friends for over twenty years. She is always happy, and she has lots of energy and loves adventures. We travelled a lot together after university. Now we are both working we have less time together, but we still enjoy meeting for coffee or dinners in restaurants.

Text B: Friends for 10 years

Tom and I have been friends for 10 years, but I knew him before that from a work trip. He invited me to play football after work one day and we quickly became good friends. We are very similar to each other and we both love sports and competition, but I also like that we can talk about our lives, too.

Text C: Always Fun

Any time I feel a bit sad I know I can call Filip and he will make me feel better. He has a great way of showing me how to enjoy my life and not be too serious. We met about two years ago in a cafe, but it feels like much longer. I'm so happy we met when we did. It's amazing to find a new best friend at my age.

Text D: Help when I need it

I think that true friends are people who you can call when you need help. My friend Katy is that person for me. She always has great advice for me when I need it and she is never too busy to chat. I hope that she feels the same way about me. Best friends are more like family in my opinion.

1 Text ___ mentions a friend who helps the writer feel happier.
2 Text ___ mentions a friend who always finds time to talk.
3 Text ___ mentions friends who visited many new places together.
4 Text ___ mentions friends who like eating and drinking together.
5 Text ___ mentions friends who both like to exercise.
6 Text ___ mentions being surprised about when they met their friend.

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H Listening: Using visual clues

Listen and choose the correct picture.

1 Two friends are talking about their weekend. Where did the boy go?

A ☐ B ☐ C ☐

2 A husband and wife are choosing their transport for a holiday. What do they agree to take?

A ☐ B ☐ C ☐

3 A girl is telling her dad about her day. What did she forget?

A ☐ B ☐ C ☐

4 A man is giving children instructions about washing their hands. Where does the man want them to wash their hands?

A ☐ B ☐ C ☐

5 A woman is talking about her interest in sport. What sport does she still do?

A ☐ B ☐ C ☐

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6 A woman is calling to try to speak to someone. What time does she need to call back?

A ☐ B ☐ C ☐

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I Speaking: Suitable language for the situation

Match the sentences with the replies. There are three replies you do not need.

1 I had to look after my brother last Friday. __
2 We won the last match of the season. __
3 My brother is getting married next month. __
4 I met a famous actor when I was in Oxford. __
5 I left my phone on the train yesterday. __
6 We didn't go to London yesterday. __

A No way! Congratulations!
B You're joking! He wasn't surprised.
C That's awful. Did anyone find it and return it?
D Oh no! So you didn't go to the party?
E It was fantastic!
F Oh no! Did you have problems with your car again?
G No way! I didn't know he had a girlfriend.
H You're joking! Did you take a photo together?
I Brilliant! What about your weekend?

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J Writing: Telling a story

Read the sentence and choose the correct answer.

1 I liked the painting so much that I bought it __.
A ☐ at first B ☐ suddenly C ☐ immediately

2 Mariam and I met at primary school and very __ we became best friends.
A ☐ at first B ☐ soon C ☐ immediately

3 The man woke up __ when his phone rang at six o'clock.
A ☐ soon B ☐ suddenly C ☐ at first

4 I was happy when that boring movie finished and I could go home __.
A ☐ at last B ☐ suddenly C ☐ soon

5 Katy didn't understand the article __, so she decided to read it again.
A ☐ soon B ☐ suddenly C ☐ at first

6 When the boys got to the lake, it __ started to rain.
A ☐ at first B ☐ suddenly C ☐ soon

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