FORMULA B2 FIRST

Unit 8 language test

Name: _____

VOCABULARY: Adverb + adjective collocations

Choose the correct words to complete the sentences.

1 Many people are **deeply** / **closely** concerned about the changes to air quality occurring in our environment.

2 In order to have a **widely** / **highly** effective team, we need to recruit the best people possible.

3 Self-care is **completely** / **vitally** important for everyone in today's modern world.

4 The vastness of space is almost impossible for the human mind to **fully** / **closely** comprehend.

5 One **vitally** / **incredibly** interesting aspect of modern world history is the speed of the onset of globalisation.

6 Hollywood is **widely** / **highly** believed to be the home of movies, yet far more films are actually made in India's Bollywood.

7 Juan and his twin brother are **deeply** / **completely** different from each other in personality, despite looking exactly the same.

8 Research into well-being has found that our health and happiness are more **highly** / **closely** linked than we previously thought.

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VOCABULARY: Adjective suffixes 2

Complete the text with the adjective form of the word in brackets.

One very [9] _____ (memory) experience I had was the time I went on a television quiz show. I answered most of the questions correctly, even though some were [10] _____ (trick), and I made it to the final! There was a [11] _____ (consider) amount of money to be won, and I just had one more person to beat. It was [12] _____ (understand) that both the other contestant and I felt nervous. After all, it was [13] _____ (evidence) one of us was going to be a very [14] _____ (wealth) person in the next few minutes. As the final question was asked, we both buzzed to answer… but I was too slow. I don't regret my experience as it was a [15] _____ (signify) event and taught me that money isn't everything. Sometimes the experience is almost as good as winning.

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VOCABULARY FILE

Complete the sentences with the words from the box. There are 3 words you do not need to use.

adapt	balanced	bond	darkness	eye
friendship	healthy	ingredient	loss	mess
nests	species	sunlight		

16 Many children have a _____ diet because their parents feed them a variety of foods.

17 Over time, animals are able to _____ to many changes in their environments.

18 Baby birds tend to stay in their _____ while their mothers search for food.

19 It is common knowledge that a lack of _____ in winter can make some people feel sad and depressed.

20 Trust and honesty should be an integral part of any _____.

21 In many communities, people keep an _____ out for those more vulnerable like the sick or elderly.

22 It's important to exercise if you want to maintain a _____ lifestyle.

23 Mammals like bats are often used to living in _____ in caves.

24 Do you think people _____ around on social media too much?

25 Hard work is an essential _____ for success in our competitive world.

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GRAMMAR: Tenses in the passive + Informal use of the passive with *get*

Complete the sentences with a suitable passive form of the verbs in brackets. There may be more than one correct answer.

1 Discounts of 20% _____ (give) to all students who show their university card.

2 Your essays _____ _____ (submit) to the department office by 3.00pm on Friday.

3 It is possible that we _____ _____ (ask) to take care of our neighbours' dog this weekend.

4 William would like _____ (consider) for the role of captain of the basketball _____ team.

5 Due to a decrease in sales, the marketing team _____ (not give) a bonus until March 31st.

6 My dad's car _____ (get damage) when our house and garden were flooded.

7 New branches of the company _____ _____ (open) in several capital cities at the moment.

8 Rose was skating too fast on the ice and she fell over and _____ (get injure).

9 Nowadays the internet _____ _____ (use) for an enormous range of daily tasks.

10 This dress _____ (buy) for me by my grandmother as a graduation present.

11 Susanna is delighted at _____ _____ (choose) to sing in the school concert.

12 When we bought the old farm in 2015 it _____ _____ (not occupy) for over ten years.

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GRAMMAR: Special cases + Reported structures with the passive

Put the words in the correct order to complete the sentence.

13 Because of the long delay, the passengers _____ (a / were / drink / offered / free) by the train staff.

14 The Incas _____ (invented / said / have / are / to) a very successful system of accountancy.

15 Jane _____ (by / flowers/ was / some / sent) her work colleagues when she was in hospital.

16 Although _____ (that / it / said / is / often) having a university degree is of great importance in today's job market, this is likely to change in the future when the focus moves to more practical skills.

17 The Japanese diet _____ (be / generally / is / to / thought) one of the healthiest in the world as it contains large amounts of protein from fish and vegetables.

18 The children _____ (made / to / were / sit) quietly and read for thirty minutes before going outside to play games.

19 The Prime Minister and her partner _____ (flying / are / be / to / believed) back to London tonight on flight number BZ4320.

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GRAMMAR: *have / get* something done and other related forms

Correct the mistakes in the sentences.

20 Vanessa needs having a lot more lessons before she takes her driving test next month.

21 I had my cousin to check the accuracy of my financial report because she's good at maths.

22 We have a new, modern car now so hopefully it won't need repair as often as the previous one.

23 Rania got Carlos making a reservation at the restaurant while she finished her work.

24 The children's bedroom needs tidy. They've left toys and clothes scattered everywhere.

25 The building's new fire safety system will need to explain to all staff this week.

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