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*** Grammar review /10**

Give the correct forms of the verbs.

- Mary (cook) _____ dinner last Sunday but she (not clean) _____ the kitchen.
- Percy (not take) _____ a shower yesterday. He (go) _____ swimming.
- My mother (work) _____ so late last night.
- It (be) _____ late, so Mary (not have) _____ dinner. She (eat) _____ some hamburgers.
- _____ You (go) _____ to school yesterday?
- Last Sunday, we (be) _____ home and (watch) _____ our favourite films.

*** Listen to Chloe talking to a man about a sailing holiday. You will hear the conversation twice.**

1. How many times had Chloe been sailing before? A never B once C twice	4. Chloe would like to sail on A a lake. B the sea. C a river.
2. How much can Chloe spend? A £300 B £380 C £450	5. How does Chloe want to pay? A by cheque B with cash C by credit card
3. Chloe will go in A August. B September. C October.	

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Mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the word whose underlined part differs from the other three in pronunciation in each of the following questions.

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| 1. A. <u>co</u> astal | B. <u>ar</u> ound | C. <u>ov</u> erseas | D. <u>wi</u> ndow |
| 2. A. <u>cl</u> oud | B. <u>so</u> und | C. <u>h</u> ouse | D. <u>th</u> ough |
| 3. A. <u>ch</u> air | B. <u>y</u> ear | C. <u>r</u> are | D. <u>h</u> eir |
| 4. A. <u>h</u> ome | B. <u>to</u> mato | C. <u>c</u> ome | D. <u>m</u> ost |
| 5. A. <u>tr</u> ains | B. <u>st</u> amps | C. <u>h</u> otels | D. <u>c</u> aves |
| 6. A. <u>vi</u> sited | B. <u>w</u> anted | C. <u>d</u> ecided | D. <u>l</u> ooked |

Complete these sentences, using "Used to"

- My family (not/travel) _____ during summer vacation but now we really enjoy it.
- As a kid, Josh (have) _____ his grandfather pick him up from primary school.
- This boy band (be) _____ popular before they disbanded.
- My mother says that she (not scope) _____ with much work stress five years ago.
- In the past, people in my village (raise) _____ poultry or castle to earn a living.
- I can't believe my father (be) considered a bad boy before he married my mother.
- Who _____ (you/confide) in when you were a teenager?
- They (not use) _____ folk and knife when they first moved to America.
- Jim (not like) _____ me much when we were at school but now he is my husband.

Complete the sentences using the phrasal verbs in the box.

pick up	come down	get around	carry out	get up
cut down on	hang out	throw away	come across	come up with

- The air pollution in the city is making many people _____ with respiratory illnesses.
- After finishing work, Sarah wants to _____ with her friends at a local cafe.
- They need to _____ a creative way to fundraise for the new park project.
- It's raining cats and dogs! I can't _____ my friend on my bike without a raincoat.
- I was surprised to _____ an old classmate performing in a small music venue during my visit.
- I prefer exploring the city on foot as it allows me to _____ hidden alleys and charming cafes.
- We live in a busy city, so there's always something to see and do once you _____ in the morning.
- We need to be responsible citizens and _____ our trash in designated bins, not on the street.

24. The local council is planning to _____ a project to improve the city's public transportation system.
25. With so many cars on the road, air pollution is a major problem. We need to _____ our reliance on private vehicles.

Read the passage and choose the best answer to each of the questions

Cities are fascinating places filled with a unique energy. They are home to a diverse population, with people from all walks of life and countless cultures coming together. These concrete jungles, as they are sometimes called, are constantly evolving, with new buildings reaching for the sky and innovations changing the urban landscape.

One of the most striking features of a city is its towering skyscrapers. These steel and glass giants offer breathtaking views and house businesses, offices, and even residential apartments. Beneath these giants, a network of subways and buses weaves through the city, forming the lifeblood of its transportation system. Thousands of people rely on this network to get to work, school, and appointments, creating a constant flow of movement.

Cities are also cultural hubs, bursting with museums, art galleries, and theaters. These institutions offer opportunities to learn about history, appreciate art, and enjoy live performances. From traditional museums showcasing ancient artifacts to modern galleries featuring contemporary art, cities offer a diverse range of cultural experiences.

However, city life also presents challenges. Traffic congestion can be a major issue, causing delays and frustration for commuters. Additionally, the high cost of living in a city can be a burden for some residents. Nonetheless, the vibrant energy, diverse culture, and endless opportunities make cities a **unique** and captivating environment for many people.

26. What are skyscrapers often used for in cities?

- A. Parks
C. Farming
B. Homes, offices, and businesses
D. Airports

27. How do many people in cities get around according to the passage?

- A. By car
C. By airplanes
B. By walking
D. By using subways and buses

28. Cities are known for offering a variety of what?

- A. Quiet places
B. Small businesses
C. Cultural experiences
D. Farming opportunities

29. One challenge of city living is _____.

- A. Lack of nature
C. Lack of job opportunities
B. Traffic congestion
D. Too many cultural activities

30. The word "unique" in the last sentence is closest in meaning to _____.

- A. special
B. common
C. modern
D. developed

31. The main idea of this passage is _____.

- A. Cities are bad places to live.
C. Skyscrapers are important.
B. Cities have both positive and negative aspects.
D. Public transportation is the only way to travel in cities

Rewrite each sentence, beginning with the words provided.

32. They once started these machines by hand.

→ They used to _____

33. We lived in a small apartment 3 years ago, but now we live in a spacious house.

→ We used to _____

34. Have you repaired your motorcycle yet? (Passive)

→ Has _____

35. I finished my English homework last night (Passive)

→ _____

You will hear Kate and Jeremy talking about a party. You will hear the conversation twice.

Kate's Birthday Party

Kate will be: 17 years old

Day: 36. _____

Time: 37. _____

Place: 38. _____

Address: 39. _____ Street

Bring some: 40. _____