

GRAMMAR AND VOCABULARY

1 Complete the text with one word in each gap.

Carol Ladies and gentlemen. The ¹**groom** will now ²g_____ a speech.

Andy Thank you, everyone! Thank you all for coming to our ³w_____. It's lovely to see so many people here. Not just our families, but our ⁴c_____ friends, too. It means a lot to us both that you're here. Thank you for all the wonderful ⁵g_____. It was very kind and ⁶g_____ of you and we appreciate them all very much. I'd also like to thank my beautiful ⁷b_____ for agreeing to marry me, and her parents for helping us to organise this amazing ⁸r_____ today. I won't talk too long. I know you all want to enjoy ⁹y_____ on the dance floor but let me tell you how Marie and I first met ...

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2 Choose the correct words to complete the sentences.

- Promise to ___ in touch when you leave.
a keep b spend c share
- My best friend would never let me ___ if I needed help.
a out b off c down
- It's important to have a friend you can rely ____.
a in b on c to
- It must be very difficult for a(n) ___ mother to work and look after her children.
a single b half c adopted
- Don't forget to ___ your aunt and uncle a drink when they arrive.
a share b offer c arrange
- Her English is very good, but she still ___ some mistakes with tenses.
a gets b does c makes

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3 Complete the sentences with the correct Present Simple or Present Continuous forms of the verbs in brackets.

- Do you speak** (you/speak) more than one language?
- Oh good, it _____ (not rain) this morning, so I can walk to school.
- Why _____ (you/cry), Helen? What's the problem?
- Everybody _____ (know) that it isn't easy to be a single mother.
- Jim _____ (hardly ever/share) his thoughts and feelings - even with his closest friends.
- What _____ (this word/mean)? Let's check in a dictionary.
- _____ (you/design) your invitation? Isn't it too late? You're getting married next week!

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4 Choose the correct indefinite pronouns to complete the sentences.

- There isn't *nowhere* / *anywhere* interesting to go and I'm really bored!
- Listen! *Everyone* / *Someone* is ringing the doorbell.
- Excuse me. Is *anybody* / *nobody* sitting in this seat?
- Maria isn't shy and gets on well with *everybody* / *somebody*.
- There's *anything* / *nothing* to eat - let's eat out.
- Who? Where? When? Tell me *everything* / *nothing*.

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USE OF ENGLISH

5 Choose the correct words a-c to complete the texts.

1 *John & Alison* have the pleasure of inviting you to their ___ reception on Saturday, 12th July.

- a newlywed b married c wedding

2 **DO YOU WANT TO IMPROVE YOUR ENGLISH?**
Do you sometimes have problems to ___ the right word? Join First English classes.

- a find b make c keep

3 **TAUNTON TOWN FESTIVAL**
Family fun, food, music and much, much more!
There's something for ___ at Taunton town festival.

- a anyone b everyone c someone

4 **Student EXCHANGE programme**
Spend two weeks in France. Meet local people who will ___ you around the town and help you to improve your French.

- a invite b turn c show

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6 Complete the second sentence using the word in bold so that it means the same as the first one. Use no more than three words including the word in bold.

- Mum isn't dressing my sister Mia today. **HERSELF**
My sister Mia is *dressing herself* today.
- Let's stand at the bar - there's nowhere to sit. **ANYWHERE**
I'm not staying here - there _____ to sit.
- I don't need your help, but thank you anyway. **MYSELF**
I can do _____, but thank you anyway.
- My English isn't always correct when I speak. **MISTAKES**
I sometimes _____ I try to speak English.
- I hope the students are having a good time on the school trip. **ENJOYING**
I hope the students _____ on the school trip.

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