

Test Unit 3B

Grammar

1 Circle the correct words to complete the sentences.

- 1 It only takes **a few** / **a little** time to learn the rules of this game.
- 2 **How much** / **How many** singing did you do at your drama club yesterday?
- 3 Jenny thinks that **some** / **any** films are more imaginative than the books.
- 4 I haven't got **much** / **many** video games at the moment.
- 5 Have you got **much** / **many** homework to do this weekend?
- 6 Was there **some** / **any** food left in the fridge?
- 7 We don't have **much** / **many** juice in the fridge, but there's a lot of milk.
- 8 Hurry up! There are only **many** / **a few** tickets left.
- 9 There is **much** / **a lot of** wildlife in the park near our house.
- 10 Is there **much** / **a few** rubbish in your street?

2 Choose the correct words to complete the sentences.

- 1 We **needn't** / **mustn't** talk in the exam.
- 2 I **must** / **don't have to** buy my dad a present because it's his birthday this weekend.
- 3 We **have to** / **don't have to** do any school work tonight because the teacher didn't give us any homework.
- 4 In the UK, you **needn't** / **have to** be seventeen or older when you learn to drive.
- 5 We **needn't** / **have to** tidy the house now. We can do it later.

3 Complete the advert with the words below.

have to must mustn't needn't needn't

'My hair looks boring. I'd like it to be a bit more exciting ... A different colour. I

1 _____ do something about it.'

Does this sound like you? If it does, you ² _____ worry. Try **WONDERHAIR!**

You ³ _____ use it every day. Use it just once a week and you will have amazing, interesting hair!

Be careful though! This product ⁴ _____ be used on children!

To get **WONDERHAIR** at the special price of £9.99, you ⁵ _____ buy it before 22 December.

Vocabulary

4 Choose the correct words to complete the sentences.

- 1 The story was really **gripping** / **moving**, and we all cried at the end.
- 2 It's difficult to watch **violent** / **unrealistic** movies, with a lot of blood and guns.
- 3 It was really **embarrassing** / **imaginative** for the main character in the film when she fell over in front of everyone.
- 4 I think game shows are a bit **confusing** / **boring** because people always play the same kinds of games.
- 5 The thriller was really **spectacular** / **scary**, so I didn't sleep well after I watched it.

5 Complete the film review with the words below. There are two extra words.

characters plot scene science fiction soundtrack special effects thriller

Mars 3045 is a great ¹ _____ film. The story happens more than a thousand years from now in the year 3045, so people travel around in space. The ² _____ are fantastic, so you can really believe that the actors are living on Mars. The main ³ _____, Jenna and Blake, were also quite interesting people. I thought the ⁴ _____ was good too – an interesting story. But I really didn't understand the last ⁵ _____ in the film. That wasn't a good ending at all.

6 Complete the sentences with the words below. Add a prefix to the words where necessary.

correct honest legal polite safe satisfied

- 1 Half of your answers were _____, so you need to work harder before the next test.
- 2 We were very _____ with our hotel – it was perfect.
- 3 I don't want to go across that old bridge because it looks _____.
- 4 Ben is very _____ – he never says 'please' or 'thank you'.
- 5 It's _____ to drive a car here because this road is only for bikes.
- 6 That man was _____. He lied to us!

Reading

7 Read the text. Choose the correct answers.

Do you want to be on TV or in a film? Well, if you do, then why not become an extra? Extras play a very small part in a film or TV programme. They don't usually speak. However, they may have to walk across the set or stand with other extras as part of a crowd.

There are many agencies that are always looking for extras and some of them are online, so it's easy to apply wherever you live. You usually just need to fill in an application form and send in some photos. TV and film directors often want extras who have a particular look. For example, they may want women with long hair for period dramas and people who look a bit scary for horror films, so try to think about the kind of programme that you'd like to be in when you're choosing which photos to send.

So imagine you get a call to say a director wants you in their next film. You're really excited, but what happens next? Well, don't be anxious about how you'll look on screen, as the company will do lots of work on you when you arrive on the set. You might have to wear your own clothes, but don't worry about your hair and make-up as there will be staff to make you look perfect for the role.

Now, although it all sounds really exciting, be prepared to sit around for a lot of the day, waiting until you are needed for your scene. The time can go very slowly if you don't have anything to do, so it's a good idea to take a book with you on any job that you get. Take some food and drink, too – you'll probably get lunch, but remember it'll be a long day!

Most extras can earn about £90 to £110 a day. This isn't very good for the number of hours that you need to be available, but for the actual work that you do, it's OK. However, people usually become an extra for the chance to be on the big screen rather than for the money. Some people hope that it may lead to a real acting part. This doesn't happen very often, but there are some stories of extras becoming famous because a director saw them on a film set. However, even if you continue to just be an extra, you might get to see one of your favourite Hollywood actors one day, and it will definitely be something to tell all your friends about!

- 1 The writer thinks you're more likely to get a part in a film if
 - a you think carefully about how you look in your photos.
 - b you wear a lot of make-up.
 - c you change your appearance for each part you want.
- 2 The writer suggests taking a book so that
 - a you look more serious.
 - b you have some entertainment.
 - c you can learn about the film.
- 3 The writer thinks that extras
 - a can make a lot of money.
 - b earn a reasonable amount.
 - c never want to be rich.
- 4 What does the writer say is a benefit for extras?
 - a They will get noticed by the film director.
 - b They might meet famous actors.
 - c They can get jobs for their friends.
- 5 What is the best title for the article?
 - a My life as a film and TV extra
 - b From TV extra to film star
 - c What to expect as a film and TV extra

