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Read carefully and complete the test. Good luck!

1. Choose the correct synonym

- a. James is **hard-working** which is positive for any employer
  - i. tireless
  - ii. smart
- b. Olivia's **relaxed** personality makes her an excellent candidate for the job.
  - i. easy-going
  - ii. single minded
- c. Tom's really **focused** and knows what he wants.
  - i. single-minded
  - ii. smart
- d. Kim is an **intelligent** student who always achieves her best
  - i. focused
  - ii. bright
- e. Alex's weakness is sometimes he's too **relaxed** and doesn't get enough done
  - i. laid-back
  - ii. tireless
- f. Hannah is an **ambitious** person who would be great in any job she chooses
  - i. conscientious
  - ii. determined

2. Write the past simple form of the irregular verbs

been showed under	didn't work out	get into
got into	has set up	is stepping down

- My brother would like to \_\_\_\_\_ journalism when he's older.

- I can't believe a career in computers \_\_\_\_\_ for John.
- The manager \_\_\_\_\_ due to health reasons.
- Julia \_\_\_\_\_ her own events management business.
- I've really \_\_\_\_\_ volunteering not only do I help others.
- I've \_\_\_\_\_ with revision and homework since May.

### 3. Match the dialogues

Your face is really red	I know. I've been exercising at the gym
Emily looks really stressed	It's been hailing all morning!
The street is covered in large bits of ice	Yes, I've been lying in bed all morning with a headache
What's that smell	I know. She's been revising for her exam all day
You look unwell	I've been speaking to a woman about a job in a sports centre
You look excited	It's Maria. She's been cooking for the last hour

### 4. Complete the sentences with the present perfect continuous

- Julia has been doing (do) volunteer work at the orangutan reserve.
- She \_\_\_\_\_ (learn) about endangered animals.
- Julia \_\_\_\_\_ (think) about training to be a vet.
- Rene \_\_\_\_\_ (work) as a journalist.
- She \_\_\_\_\_ (report) for the newspaper.
- Alex \_\_\_\_\_ (live) in the city for five months.

5. Write questions using the present perfect continuous.

a. How long / have / you / **train** / to be a lawyer?

How long have you **been training** to be a lawyer?

b. How long / has / Samuel / **work** / as a chef at the restaurant?

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c. What / has / Siobhan / **do** / all morning?

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d. How long / has / Simon / **apply** / full time jobs?

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e. How long / have / you / **look** / for a job?

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f. What / have / you / **think** / during the train ride?

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6. Put the words in order to make sentences

a. process / job / the / a / right / is / long / finding

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b. promised / the company / to / career / help / develop / me / my

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c. working / I / nine to five / mind / do not

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d. is planning / Amelia / enrol / graduate / to / on / scheme / a / training

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e. firefighter / is / becoming / Martin / keen on / a

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7. Choose the correct option in each case

a. Where do you prefer \_\_\_\_\_ (study) at school?

b. Do you like \_\_\_\_\_ (listen) to music when you're revising?

- c. Have you ever forgotten \_\_\_\_\_ (do) your homework?
- d. \_\_\_\_\_ (go) to bed early or stay up late?
- e. What kind of job do you not want to end up \_\_\_\_\_ (have) when you're older?