Grammar

A. Complete the sentences with the questions with the correct tense

1. I think that we are not alone in this world. _____ you ever _____ (seen) a UFO?
2. What _____ you _____ (do) yesterday? I called your house all morning and no one answered.
3. I think Martha is upset with me because I unfriended her. _____ I _____ (call) her and apologize?
4. Where _____ you _____ (go) on the weekends to have fun?
5. _____ (be) you at the mall last night? I can swear I saw you coming out of a store.

B. Label the sentences with one of the phrases in the box

tend to be	don't use	am visiting	'll just stop	usually texts

1. If I don't see a clear sign, I _____ calling for a girl. It's just not worth it.
2. People _____ very touchy about instant messaging. If you don't reply quickly, they will get upset!
3. When I _____ my parents, I always go to a chocolate store on my way.
4. My sister _____ me. If she calls me that means it's an emergency.
5. We prefer the microwave. We _____ the stove so much.

C. Put the verbs in simple or in continuous forms

Dear Cassie,

Thank you for your e-mail. I've _____ (feel) very lonely these days. You _____ (know) I broke up with my boyfriend but I think it's great you _____ (see) someone. He _____ (seem) quite a gentlemen. I can't wait to meet him, you _____ (look) good together in the photos that you sent me. So, _____ you _____ (invite) him to your family meeting? Because that's a huge thing! Or _____ you _____ (think) it's better to wait and see how it goes?

Write me soon!

Jenny

D. Unscramble the words to make sentences

1. never / with / my friends / I / video chat

_____

2. have / she / visits / doesn't / on weekdays / normally

_____

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3. once a week / other / see / always / at least / we / each

_____

4. sometimes / before / to sleep / check / I / my e-mail / going

_____

Vocabulary

E. Match the word with its meaning.

1. eccentric
2. a pain
3. self-confident
4. arrogant
5. thoughtful
6. open-minded

a. someone annoying and irritating
b. having or revealing an exaggerated sense of one's importance or abilities
c. unconventional or slightly strange
d. showing consideration for other people's needs
e. willing to consider new ideas; unprejudiced
f. trusting in one's abilities or judgement

F. Place the adjective in the correct column

touchy	sweet	pushy	chatty	badmouth	aggressive
narrow-minded			laid-back		

Good personality traits	Bad personality traits

G. Choose the correct word according to the sentences

1. Gabriela swears she saw him with another girl but he continues _____ everything.

a. promoting b. denying c. regretting

2. We _____ the right of admission to any person who is in an alcoholic state

a. accuse b. obtain c. withheld

3. They offered me a better job but I _____ it because it was far from home

a. rejected b. denied c. regretted

4. First, you need to _____ your passport before you can have a visa.

a. withhold b. promote c. obtain

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Useful language

H. Complete the conversation with the correct phrases

John: Hey Lisa, what's wrong?
Lisa: Well, I went to lunch with Wendy and she was so rude
John: _____
Lisa: She was all the time in her phone, she didn't even pay attention to what I was saying
John: _____
Lisa: Pretty much. When she finished looking at her phone, I didn't really want to talk
John: _____
Lisa: Hmm actually I didn't, but she should know what she did wrong
John: _____
Lisa: Maybe
John: Maybe she had something very urgent to attend.
Lisa: You're right, I should just call her and talk about it

a. So, she ignored you entirely?

b. And don't you think will be a good idea to sort things out?

c. But, you told her something, right? To let her know how you felt

d. And why was that?

Listening

I. Answer the questions

1. Write one adjective that Sara mentions about Brad:
2. Why did James unfriend Judy?:
3. Write one adjective that James mentions about Judy:
4. Write one adjective that Sara mentions about Judy:

Writing

J. Write a paragraph about the pros and cons of influencers. Use contrasting phrases. Write at least 70 words.

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Reading

K. Read the text and write T for true of F for false

Reading text: Social media influencers

It is estimated that about 40 per cent of the world's population use social media, and many of these billions of social media users look up to influencers to help them decide what to buy and what trends to follow.

So what is an influencer and how do we become one?

An influencer is a person who can influence the decisions of their followers because of their relationship with their audience and their knowledge and expertise in a particular area, e.g. fashion, travel or technology. Influencers often have a large following of people who pay close attention to their views. They have the power to persuade people to buy things, and influencers are now seen by many companies as a direct way to customers' hearts. Brands are now asking powerful influencers to market their products. With some influencers charging up to $25,000 for one social media post, it is no surprise that more and more people are keen to become influencers too. If you are one of them, then here are five tips on how to do it.

1. Choose your niche

What is the area that you know most about? What do you feel most excited talking about?
Find the specific area that you're most interested in and develop it.

2. Choose your medium and write an interesting bio

Most influencers these days are bloggers and micro-bloggers. Decide which medium - such as your own online blog, Instagram or Snapchat - is the best way to connect with your followers and chat about your niche area. When you have done that, write an attention-grabbing bio that describes you and your speciality area in an interesting and unique way. Make sure that people who read your bio will want to follow you.

3. Post regularly and consistently

Many influencers post daily on their social media accounts. The more you post, the more likely people will follow you. Also, ensure that your posts are consistent and possibly follow a theme.

4. Tell an interesting story

Whether it is a photo or a comment that you are posting, use it to tell a story that will catch the attention of your followers and help them connect with you.

5. Make sure people can easily find your content

Publicise your posts on a variety of social media, use hashtags and catchy titles and make sure that they can be easily found. There is no point writing the most exciting blogposts or posting the most attractive photographs if no one is going to see them. Most importantly, if you want to become a social media influencer, you need to have patience. Keep posting and your following will gradually increase.
Good luck!

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1. An influencer needs to know about as many topics as possible, e.g. fashion, travel technology, etc. _____
2. Companies are paying some influencers up to $25,000 to post about their products. ____
3. Most influencers write regular posts on their blogs or micro-blogs. _____
4. You can chat with your followers using your bio. _____
5. Your posts should not only be attractive but should tell a story. _____
6. You can become a social media influencer in a short time. _____

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