

TEST 3: YOUNG ACHIEVERS

1) Read the paragraph. Choose and write the best options on the lines.

WHAT TO DO AFTER SCHOOL?

After finishing school, some may think of doing a 1) _____ job whereas others want to fill in an 2) _____ for university and have a 3) _____. There are several options too, apart from those ones, such as 4) _____ a course on something or starting working to gain some 5) _____. The truth is that young people should 6) _____ to think of the possibilities that suit best for them because not all of teenagers want to work or continue studying. On the one hand, some just want to do 7) _____ in their neighbourhood; on the other hand, others might develop 8) _____ themselves to start their own 9) _____ in the future. To sum up, teenagers should listen and 10) _____ from the people who experienced the same situation they are living now in order to make the best decision for their lives.

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| 1) A) community B) part-time C) training D) career | 7) A) voluntary work B) a project C) a course D) a job |
| 2) A) entrance exam B) university fees C) application form D) training course | 8) A) a career B) an exam C) a project D) a community |
| 3) A) university degree B) application form C) voluntary D) career | 9) A) job B) business C) training course D) career |
| 4) A) taking advice B) taking up C) taking time D) taking place | 10) A) take up B) take place C) take advice D) take off |
| 5) A) business B) qualifications C) work experience D) training course | |
| 6) A) take advantage B) take time C) take place D) take up | |

2) Read and complete the sentences with the right linking words from the box.

ALTHOUGH - HOWEVER - AS A RESULT - BECAUSE - IN ADDITION

- A) _____ Clare is quite young, she is determined about what to do after school.
- B) Charlie made a fortune in his thirties. _____, he has invested in many companies in the last years.
- C) Fred will break records at football. _____, he will win a lot of awards. That's for sure!
- D) Sarah sat for her entrance exam last week. _____, she couldn't pass it and will start working with her family.

3) Read the paragraph. Choose the right future form or modal verb.

MY ACTING CAREER

What 1) **will I be doing / am I going to do** in twenty years? I really don't know but I can tell you this: I 2) **will be / may be** a famous star! I've decided something recently; I 3) **will be taking up / am going to take up** an acting course to be an actress. The course 4) **is starting / starts** next month and it 5) **will last / lasts** six months. I'm not sure about what kind of actress I'd like to be. I 6) **may work / might work** in romantic films because I'm fond of love stories. Oh! Guess what? I haven't started the course yet and I have an interview for a commercial on TV! I 7) **will meet / am meeting** Mr. Stephen at 10 am at his office next Monday. I'm really excited about this opportunity. Perhaps, in twenty years, I 8) **will be living / will live** in a big house but I 9) **won't have / 'm not going to have** any children. I 10) **might get married / may get married** but I don't know because I like to be single! This is my dream and I hope it will soon come true.