C. VOCABULARY

Exercise 1: Complete using the correct form of the words and phrases in the boxes.

achieve	**fail**	**pass**

1. We had our English exam this morning. I hope I've _____!
2. Pete couldn't answer any questions, so he thinks he has _____.
3. Our teacher said that we've all _____ a lot this year.

degree	**experience**	**instruction**

4. I've left you a list of _____ on the kitchen table. Make sure you follow them!
5. Meeting Brad Pitt was an amazing _____!
6. My sister left Warwick University after she got her _____.

course	**qualification**	**skill**

7. Being able to use a computer is a very useful _____.
8. I'm thinking of going on a computer _____.
9. You can only apply for this job if you've got a _____ in website design.

make progress	**make sure**	**take an exam**

10. You've all _____ a lot of _____ this year. Well done!
11. I always get nervous before I _____.
12. I _____that I'd answered all the questions and then I handed in my test paper.

Exercise 2: Underline the correct word in each sentence.

1. I have to **read / study** hard because I have a test tomorrow.

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2. If you don't understand a word, **look it out / look it up** in a dictionary.

3. Please do the rest of this exercise for **homework / housework**.

4. Mrs Jackson **learns / teaches** us Geography.

5. At the end of the lesson, put the books back on the **bookshelf/ library**.

6. Paul tried **hard / hardly** this year, and made progress.

7. Why were you **absent / missing** yesterday, Angela?

8. Jim **lost /failed** the Maths test.

9. Sue asked the **teacher / professor** to explain what the word meant.

10. David was asked to read the first paragraph **loud / aloud**.

11. Please **put up / rise up** your hand if you want to answer.

12. Anna makes too many **faults / mistakes** in her written work.

Exercise 3: Choose the most suitable word or phrase for each space.

1. Could you tell me what _____?

A. does this word mean B. means this word C. this word means

2. What's the difference _____ 'say' and 'tell'?

A. between B. of C. from

3. If you don't know the answer, _____ a guess.

A. do B. make C. say

4. Please pay _____ to what I am saying.

A. meaning B. knowledge C. attention

5. If you're not sure, _____ a question.

A. make B. ask C. do

6. I don't understand. Can you give me a/an _____?

A. example B. sample C. model

7. Please _____ yourself, John.

A. behaving B. behaviour C. behave

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8. I'm sorry, but I don't _____ the question.

A. know B. understand C. realize

9. Please stop talking and _____ to your teacher.

A. hear B. attend C. listen

10. Could you _____ that, please?

A. resay B. repeat C. retell

Exercise 4: Complete each sentence. Use a word from the box.

copy	**explain**	**fail**	**have**	**make**
mean	**practise**	**share**	**take**	**underline**

1. We have to _____ books because there aren't enough for one each.
2. Don't worry if you _____ the exam. You can take it again in December.
3. I must remember to _____ this book back to the library today.
4. During the exam, Jack tried to. _____ Sarah's work.
5. Some teachers don't _____ things very clearly.
6. What exactly does this word _____?
7. We didn't _____a history lesson today, because our teacher was ill.
8. It's a good idea to _____ important words with a pencil.
9. If you don't _____ a foreign language, you soon forget it.
10. I can't _____ up my mind about the answer to this question.

Exercise 5: Complete each sentence. Use a word from the box.

attendance	**break**	**class**	**lesson**	**notes**
project	**subject**	**term**	**timetable**	**uniform**

1. We had an interesting _____ today about Ancient Egypt.
2. At the end of the _____ our teachers write reports about us.
3. Please make _____ as you read chapter two.

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4. This is a very small _____. There are only eight students.

5. Kate's _____ been good. She has only missed one lesson.

6. Our _____ has changed, and now we have English on Monday at 11 o'clock.

7. The boys usually play football outside when they have a _____.

8. Chris has to wear a _____ at his new school.

9. Physics was Rebecca's favourite _____ when she was at school.

10. I went to the library to find some information for my history _____.

Exercise 6: Put the story in order.

a. where he learnt to read and write.	
b. He stayed there until he was sixteen,	
c. When Tom was three,	**1**
d. and then he went to college.	
e. After that, he went to secondary school.	
f. He left college when he was 18	
g. At the age of five,	
h. he started nursery school.	
i. he went to primary school,	
j. and got a job in a bank.	

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