

## Unit 5 Progress Test B

## Grammar

## 1 Circle the correct words to complete the sentences.

- 1 I just heard some great news – I'm going to / I'll be an aunt!
- 2 I think we're going to / we'll have Miss Jones for English next year, but I'm not sure.
- 3 I'll / I'm going to give you your video game back tomorrow – I promise!
- 4 Sorry, you can't use the phone now. My boss is going to / will call me at 5.30.
- 5 What will you / are you going to do this weekend? Have you got any plans?
- 6 Here's an invitation for the party I'll / I'm going to have on 22 May. Can you come?
- 7 That bag looks heavy, Mum. I'll / I'm going to help you with it.

Mark: \_\_\_ / 7

## 2 Write first conditional sentences using the phrases below.

get really fit    have no money left    build one    buy you a present  
 meet famous actors    help people who are sick    get any qualifications

- 1 If I don't go to university, \_\_\_\_\_.
- 2 If you pass your exam, \_\_\_\_\_.
- 3 If I can't afford to buy a house, \_\_\_\_\_.
- 4 If I buy that DVD, \_\_\_\_\_.
- 5 If I work in Hollywood, \_\_\_\_\_.
- 6 If you become a surfing instructor, \_\_\_\_\_.
- 7 If you become a paramedic, \_\_\_\_\_.

Mark: \_\_\_ / 7

## 3 Read the dialogue and find four mistakes (an unnecessary word, a word missing or an incorrect word). Circle the mistakes and write the corrections. There are no mistakes in two of the lines.

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| <b>Dan</b> I'm going to be a doctor when I'm older, so I need to study at university for five years. | 1 _____ |
| <b>Liz</b> Well, if you watch the documentary about hospitals tonight, you find out more about it.   | 2 _____ |
| <b>Dan</b> Oh, but I need to finish my homework first. Will you help me with it?                     | 3 _____ |
| <b>Liz</b> My mum's going pick me up in a minute, so there isn't enough time.                        | 4 _____ |
| <b>Dan</b> Oh, I forgot: she called and probably she'll be late because she's at the dentist.        | 5 _____ |
| <b>Liz</b> Oh, OK. I'm going to help you until she arrives, then!                                    | 6 _____ |

Mark: \_\_\_ / 6

# Vocabulary

4 Match the words below with the definitions. There are two extra words.

builder	cleaner	engineer	estate agent	pilot	pizza delivery man / woman	police officer	programmer
receptionist	sales assistant	travel agent	waiter				

- 1 This person is really good with computers. \_\_\_\_\_
- 2 You can find this person in a hotel, welcoming people into the building. \_\_\_\_\_
- 3 This person is in charge of a plane and travels all over the world. \_\_\_\_\_
- 4 This person is good at fixing different types of machines. \_\_\_\_\_
- 5 You talk to this person to get help in a shop. \_\_\_\_\_
- 6 This person serves you in a restaurant or café. \_\_\_\_\_
- 7 If you see a crime, you will need to talk to this person. \_\_\_\_\_
- 8 If you need to make your house bigger, this person will be able to help. \_\_\_\_\_
- 9 This person will bring food to your house. \_\_\_\_\_
- 10 If you want to buy a house, this person will sell you one. \_\_\_\_\_

Mark: \_\_\_ / 10

5 Dan is talking about the type of job that he would like. Complete the missing words and then decide which job you think is best for him. The first letter of each word has been given.

- 1 I'm always making things and getting good ideas, so I think I'm a c\_\_\_\_\_ person.
- 2 I don't mind working in a team, but I'd prefer to work a\_\_\_\_\_.
- 3 I want to work o\_\_\_\_\_, in the middle of the countryside somewhere.
- 4 I get bored when I'm sitting down so I'm happier if I'm on my f\_\_\_ all day.
- 5 I've got two children so I'd really like a nine-to-f\_\_\_ job.
- 6 I don't mind doing the same thing every day so a r\_\_\_\_\_ job would be OK.
- 7 E\_\_\_\_\_ a lot of money isn't important to me.
- 8 I don't really want to work with a\_\_\_\_\_, especially cows, because I'm frightened of them!
- 9 I'd like an active job and I don't mind if it's really t\_\_\_\_\_.
  
- 10 The best job for Dan is
  - a a sports coach.
  - b a gardener.
  - c a farm worker.

Mark: \_\_\_ / 10

## Use of English

### 6 Rewrite the sentences with the words in brackets. Decide if you need one or two sentences.

1 My sister has a degree in engineering. She can't find a well-paid job. (even though)

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2 The film was really gripping. She fell asleep. (although)

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3 She works long hours. She always finds time to do sport. (nevertheless)

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4 It's a low-paid job. It keeps me fit working outside. (however)

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5 He's a doctor. He's terrible at communicating with people. (however)

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6 I can't speak Spanish. I still want to travel around Spain. (even though)

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7 Liam failed his driving test. He can take it again next month. (although)

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8 She prepared for hours for the interview. She didn't get the job. (even though)

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9 It takes two hours to get to school by car. All my friends go there. (nevertheless)

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10 Cycling on the roads is very stressful. It's better than taking the bus. (however)

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Mark: \_\_\_ / 10

## Listening

### 7 5 Listen to an interview about how to get a job. Are the sentences true (T) or false (T)?

- 1 Sue says that people on low salaries are as happy as people on high salaries.
- 2 Her advice is to send a covering letter and a CV with an application form.
- 3 She believes that you don't need a degree if you can work well with others.
- 4 She says it's important to think about your appearance in advance.
- 5 She believes that being unsuccessful can sometimes be a good thing.

Mark: \_\_\_ / 5

## Reading

### 8 Read the text. Match paragraphs A–E of the text with questions 1–7. There are two extra questions.

#### Mystery shopper

**A** Rita Adams (not her real name) has an interesting job, but she's not allowed to tell anyone about it in real life: 'I'm a Mystery Shopper. That means that if I go shopping or go to a restaurant for a meal, people think that I'm a normal customer, but actually I'm there to check that everything's OK.'

**B** Rita is paid by the company that owns the restaurant or shop. 'Large companies want to know what's happening in their business, but it's difficult for them to find out what the service is like or if the tables are clean, because if a manager visits, everyone will make a special effort.' Most companies want to know what things are like for a normal customer – that's why Rita's job is so important. 'If I go to a restaurant, I'll check the time it takes for the food to arrive and if the table is clean. I also make sure the waiters say what they're supposed to say.'

**C** Although Rita looks for things that are wrong with a place, she likes it when staff are doing a good job. 'I can usually find problems, but I really like it when I get good service. Sometimes a member of staff is very good at their job and they do everything they can for me as the customer. In my job, we call that "going the extra mile".'

**D** 'For every job I do, I have to write a report. I have to describe members of staff or write down their names if they are wearing a badge. The company can then use my report to sort out problems and also to give rewards to staff that are doing a good job.'

**E** Rita enjoys the job, but it isn't as easy as people think: 'I get lots of free meals, but I never really relax when I'm working. I don't do the reports until later, but I have to make notes or I'll forget things.' And there's one thing that she needs to be particularly careful about: 'If staff find out I'm a mystery shopper, I'll lose my job. So I have to look like a normal customer. I'm quite good at that now, but I'm always slightly anxious that one day someone will guess what I do!'

#### In which paragraph does the mystery shopper tell us ...

- 1 about one waiter who gave her excellent service?
- 2 something positive that she enjoys about her job?
- 3 what her role is?
- 4 what she has to provide for the company?
- 5 why it's difficult for companies to check their own staff?
- 6 something she's worried could happen in the future?
- 7 what she's going to do one day?

Mark: \_\_\_ / 5

## Writing

9 Read the job advert below and write an application letter.

### **SHOP ASSISTANTS NEEDED**

A busy London shoe shop is looking for hard-working, reliable staff to join the team at the weekends. Experience of dealing with the public is an advantage.

Apply in writing, enclosing your CV, to *The Manager, Genie Shoes, Regent Street, London.*

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Total: \_\_\_ / 70