

English in Mind Starter
Test 7-8

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Grammar

1 Correct the underlined words in each sentence.

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| 0 Max <u>does often</u> his homework on the bus. | <i>often does</i> |
| 1 I go swimming <u>one time</u> a week. | |
| 2 Mum cooks Italian food <u>two times</u> a month. | |
| 3 Paul <u>ever hardly</u> watches television. | |
| 4 Dad goes to work at 8 o'clock every <u>afternoon</u> . | |
| 5 We always eat fish <u>at</u> Fridays. | |

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2 Complete the sentences with a positive (+) or negative (-) imperative. Use the verbs in the box.

<i>drink</i> cry worry come walk go

- 0 *Don't drink* this water because it's not clean. (-)
- 1 Please back. I'm sorry. (+)
- 2 on the grass! (-)
- 3 about your English exam. I'm sure you know all the answers. (-)
- 4 Why are you sad? Please ! (-)
- 5 away! I don't want to talk to you. (+)

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3 Write the words in each sentence in the correct order.

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| 0 to / cinema / the / We / go / often | <i>We often go to the cinema.</i> |
| 1 always / You / early / in / are / bed | |
| 2 usually / Tim / for / late / work / is | |
| 3 bored / is / Dad / because / has / never / lots of / he / hobbies | |
| 4 test / once / have / We / test / English / an / week / a | |
| 5 friends / My / ever / out / with / goes / hardly / brother / his | |

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Vocabulary

4 What are these television programmes? Write the words in italics in the correct order.

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| 0 How often do you watch the <i>swen</i> ? | <i>news</i> |
| 1 I sometimes enjoy a good <i>demcoy</i> when I feel sad. | |
| 2 Children love <i>onotcras</i> because they're full of colour and fun. | |
| 3 Mum watches her favourite <i>posa reapo</i> every afternoon. | |
| 4 I like <i>truncodmeesia</i> because I learn a lot. | |
| 5 What's your favourite <i>mega whos</i> ? | |

___/5 marks

5 Complete the words. The first letter has been given to you.

- 0 Peter is very sad because he doesn't like school.
- 1 I'm so **e**..... because it's my birthday tomorrow.
- 2 Claudia is often **b**..... because she never goes out with her friends.
- 3 Our teacher is **a**..... when we don't listen to him.
- 4 I don't know why, but I'm really **s**..... of cats.
- 5 I don't know what to do. I'm really **c**.....

___/5 marks

Listening

6 Listen to these people. How do they feel? Use the words in the box. You don't need all of them. Now listen again and mark the statements T for true or F for false.



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	bored	happy	excited	angry	worried	scared	sad	confused
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Speaker 1 sad Speaker 3 Speaker 5

Speaker 2 Speaker 4

- 0 Example: Jane and Suzy don't want to go out. F
- 1 Speaker One says Dan is ten years old.
- 2 Speaker Two doesn't know where the shops are.
- 3 Speaker Three is a new student.
- 4 Speaker Four has three new rabbits.
- 5 Speaker Five plays football.

___/10 marks

Reading

7 Julia is from Bulgaria. Read about her life. Write T (true) or F (false).

Julia is fifteen years old and she lives in Stara Zagora in Bulgaria. She's got a brother who is seventeen and they live with their parents and their grandmother in a small flat in the centre of the town. She goes to a language school and studies English for four hours every day. She also studies all the other subjects like Maths and Geography but her favourite subject is English. Every evening after school she does her homework and then she listens to music. She hardly ever watches television because she doesn't like the Bulgarian programmes. She enjoys English comedies and American films and she sometimes watches sports programmes because she plays tennis.

Julia's mother works in an office and her father works in a factory. They are very busy and they don't have much free time but at the weekends they usually visit friends and family. Julia and her cousin Magda go to the cinema every Saturday evening and on Sundays they study together because they're in the same class at school.

Julia likes Stara Zagora because there are a lot of places to visit and she's got a lot of friends there. When she finishes school, she wants to go to university and study English because she wants to be an English teacher.

- 0 Julia is Bulgarian. T
- 1 Julia is a teenager.
- 2 Four people live in the flat.
- 3 Julia loves English.
- 4 Julia does her homework at school.
- 5 Julia never watches television.
- 6 She watches programmes in English.
- 7 Her parents work in a factory.
- 8 Julia and Magda are together every day.
- 9 Julia and Magda go to the cinema once a week.
- 10 Stara Zagora is an interesting town.

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Writing

- 8 Read this email from Max about television programmes. Now write an email to your friend. Tell him/her about the TV programmes you like. Use Max's email to help you.

Hi Paul

Do you watch television at home? What kind of programmes do you watch in your country? I have a television in my bedroom but I don't watch it often. I have a lot of homework so I don't usually watch television after school. My favourite programmes are documentaries because I love animals. I never watch the news because I get angry! And I never watch comedies or soaps because I think they're stupid. At the weekends I sometimes watch sports programmes because I like football.

Max

___/15 marks

Everyday English

- 9 Underline the correct answer.

- 0 A: *What's wrong*, / *The thing is*, why are you sad?
B: I want to watch the cartoons, but Mum wants to watch the news.
- 1 A: **The thing is** / **I think** Dad's angry.
B: Yes, look – his face is red!
- 2 A: Would you like to watch TV?
B: No, I haven't got time. **I think** / **Anyway**, there are no good programmes on today.
- 3 A: Paul's very sad.
B: Yes. **The thing is** / **Anyway**, he doesn't like his new school.
- 4 A: **The thing is** / **What's wrong**? You look bored.
B: I'm very bored. I never go out.
- 5 A: Linda doesn't like animals.
B: No. **What's wrong?** / **The thing is**, she's scared of cats and dogs.

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