

## Unit Test – Unit 5

### I. Reading\_ Read the following text and answer the questions.

#### From Taransay to the South Pole

Ben Fogle is a famous TV presenter in the UK but he has done many exciting and interesting things in his life. He became famous in the year 2000 when he was in a reality TV show called *Castaway*. He was part of a group of people who lived alone on a remote Scottish island called Taransay for a year. There were thirty-six people and they had to build their own houses and grow their own food. Since then he has presented a lot of TV programmes about nature and animals including *Animal Park*, *Wild in Africa*, and *Extreme Dreams*. These programmes have taken him all over the world. He has also made documentaries about the British explorer Captain Scott, Prince William and crocodiles in Botswana. Ben loves exploring and he has done some very difficult and dangerous expeditions. In 2005/6 he rowed across the Atlantic with Olympic rowing champion James Cracknell. They were in a small boat and they had many accidents during the journey. Then in 2009 he skied across Antarctica in a race to the South Pole. One of the people in his team was his old rowing partner James Cracknell. This journey took 18 days. They didn't win. The Norwegian team beat them but it was a great achievement to complete the journey. Ben nearly didn't go on this last trip. While he was working in Peru he became very ill and nearly died. But he recovered and immediately started training for the Antarctic race. He has written five books about his adventures and his life and he writes a regular column for a British newspaper. The only question remains. What will Ben do next?

Complete the sentences. Egészítsd ki a szöveget EGY oda illő szóval a szöveg alapján!

1. Ben first appeared on TV in a programme called \_\_\_\_\_.
2. He lived with 36 people on a \_\_\_\_\_ island called Taransay for one year.
3. He has made TV programmes all over the \_\_\_\_\_.
4. He has done a lot of very dangerous \_\_\_\_\_.
5. Ben rowed across an ocean in a small \_\_\_\_\_ in 2005/6.
6. The Norwegian team came \_\_\_\_\_ in the race to ski to the South Pole.
7. He skied to the \_\_\_\_\_ with James Cracknell.
8. He has \_\_\_\_\_ to a lot of different countries.

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Choose the correct answer.

1. Why did Ben Fogle become famous in 2000?
  - A.  He took part in a reality programme
  - B.  He explored a remote Scottish island
  - C.  He became a TV presenter
2. What did the people have to do on the island of Taransay?
  - A.  Present a TV programme
  - B.  Grow their food and build their houses
  - C.  Make their clothes and cook their food
3. What kind of TV programmes has Ben presented?
  - A.  Cookery programmes
  - B.  News programmes
  - C.  Wildlife and animal programmes
4. Which two people has Ben made documentaries about?
  - A.  Captain Scott and Prince Harry
  - B.  Captain Scott and Prince William
  - C.  Prince Charles and Sir Walter Scott
5. Which Ocean did Ben row across with James Cracknell?
  - A.  The Atlantic
  - B.  The Antarctic
  - C.  The Pacific
6. How long did it take for Ben to ski to the South Pole?
  - A.  36 days
  - B.  2 days
  - C.  18 days
7. What happened to Ben while he was working in Peru?
  - A.  He met James Cracknell
  - B.  He became ill
  - C.  He wrote a column for a newspaper
8. How many books has Ben written?
  - A.  Five
  - B.  Four
  - C.  Two