

## DAY 54: PRACTICE TEST\_Vocabulary

Practice 1: Complete the sentences with words from the box to form a verb with *get*. The verb with *get* should have the same meaning as the verb or phrase in brackets.

away    back    by    off    out of    over    to

- 0 We didn't get to (arrive in) London until midnight.
- 1 I don't earn very much but I get \_\_\_\_\_ (manage to live) OK.
- 2 It took him a long time to get \_\_\_\_\_ (recover from) the flu.
- 3 What time do you think you'll get \_\_\_\_\_ (return)?
- 4 He was shot while trying to get \_\_\_\_\_ (escape) from the police.
- 5 You have to get \_\_\_\_\_ (leave) the bus at the shopping centre.
- 6 I can't seem to get \_\_\_\_\_ (stop) the habit of biting my nails.

Practice 2: For questions 1-8, read the text below and decide which answer (A, B, C or D) best fits each gap. There is an example at the beginning (0).



### Graeme Black

Scottish designer Graeme Black talks about how he became (0) \_\_\_\_\_ in fashion.

'I didn't have any contact with the fashion (1) \_\_\_\_\_ from within my family but I always wanted to design. My first real (2) \_\_\_\_\_ of understanding I wanted to be a designer was when I saw a Karl Lagerfeld fashion show on TV and was so excited by seeing the clothes, the girls – the whole world (3) \_\_\_\_\_ so exotic I was hooked. I then began to study (4) \_\_\_\_\_ so I could get into art school, doing every possible art, pottery, creative course to improve my (5) \_\_\_\_\_ of getting a place.'

Black was the (6) \_\_\_\_\_ boy in the sewing class at his school, soaking up knowledge and working with whatever fabrics he could lay his hands on. 'I once made a dress out of one of my mother's sheets. I tore it up into strips, then knotted it together to form a dress with a hand-painted back panel. I didn't (7) \_\_\_\_\_ my mother's permission and, yes, I did get into (8) \_\_\_\_\_ for ruining a perfectly good sheet.'

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| 0 A keen      | B enthusiastic | C <u>interested</u> | D fond     |
| 1 A industry  | B affair       | C style             | D activity |
| 2 A reminder  | B remembrance  | C memory            | D souvenir |
| 3 A resulted  | B worked       | C affected          | D seemed   |
| 4 A much      | B strong       | C hard              | D heavy    |
| 5 A occasions | B chances      | C applications      | D risks    |
| 6 A lonely    | B own          | C alone             | D only     |
| 7 A ask       | B demand       | C look              | D search   |
| 8 A blame     | B fault        | C trouble           | D problem  |