Units 12,13

1 Listen to the text. Put a tick (v) after the actions that bring actors good luck and a cross(x) after those that bring them bad luck. Put a zero (0) after the actions that are not connected with either good or bad luck in the text.

BREAK A LEG AND OTHER THEATRE SUPERSTITIONS

1 Saying "Macbeth" in the theatre. ……..

2 Breaking your leg. ……..

3 Hearing "break a leg" from another actor. ……..

4 Getting flowers after the performance. ……..

5 Knitting on stage. …….

6 Wearing real jewellery on stage. …….

7 Speaking the last line of the play before

the first performance. ……

8 Whistling in the theatre. ……

9 Seeing a ghost in the theatre. ……

2 Complete the sentences with the words.

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1 I didn't want dadto drive ……. he was so sleepy and tired.

2 I didn't know what to tell you ……. now.

3 Denis woke and ate a few bites ……. going back to sleep.

4 I waited ……. she poured herself a cup of tea.

5 …….. I know the truth, I'll tell you.

6 ……. talking to Timothy, John asked about me twice.

7 I'm going to have a shower …… I get home.

8 We went to bed and slept …….. morning.

9 "Hold on …….. you fall off, " Alex warned Jon.

10 Hour …… hour he stood and watched.

11 We can stop right here …….. you want, Celia.

12 …….. many adventures in China, they eventually returned to Europe.

13 As always, he had been there ……..she needed him.

14 I won't pay …… you proovide the goods immediately.

15 Sometimes we have to accept change …… we want to move forward.

3 Complete the sentences with relative pronouns.

whom **that** **which** **whose** **who**

1 Far up in the air was an object …… looked like a balloon.

2 The boy …… sat beside him was his son.

3 Long, lõng ago, there lived a prince ……. name was Cyrus.

4 Then he looked up to find the nest from ……. the bird had fallen.

5 In a corner of her bag was one biscuit …….. was left over from her lunch.

6 The only person ……. I would trust with my secret is my dad.

7 The shutters were all closed, except for one window, ……. was open.

8 He saw the kind faces of those ……. he loved.

9 He stopped and picked up a bird's nest ……. had fallen upon the ground.

10 Then she looked at the boy, …… face was blue and ……. hair was pink, and gave a little laugh …….. sounded a bit nervous.

11 One day, a friend of his, ……. lived in Boston, came to see him.

12 Another thought has just occurred to me, …… is even better than the first one.

13 "…… did you get this from? " she asked.

14 "There is nothing else …… I care less about than money, " the wise man said.

4 Complete the sentences with the words.

believable **disbelief** **unbelievable** **believe** **belief** **unbelievably**

1 It was …….. kind of him to say such things. His mates were speechless.

2 For a moment he stared at her in ……. – we hadn't anticipated such talent.

3 It's hard to …….. Andy would do what you said he did.

4 I know it sounds …….. but actually I never wanted to cheat.

5 The reaction to the burglaries was one of shock and …….. .

6 She was ……. brave for her age and the situation.

7 It is my firm ……. that nuclear weapons should be banned.

8 I find her story hardly …….. I think she made it all up.

impatience **patient** **patiently** **impatient** **impatiently** **patience**

9 Although he was …… in temper and sometimes even a bit rude, he was warm-hearted and generous.

10 No one was fidgeting. They were waiting ……. for their names to be called.

11 Try to be …… - he will call you as soon as he arrives.

12 Don't put up with such arrogance. Show him that your …….. is at an end.

13 Everybody was waiting ……. for the show to begin. Why did it take so long?

14 He was trying to be calm, not wanting to show any ……. in his voice.

15 We can't be …… any longer. It has to be stopped for good.

5 Write the sentence again, add the missing words if necessary.

1 Is this V-neck pink maxi dress sale? …….

2 Can I get a discount these blue lace-up trainers? ……..

3 Do you have this cardigan red and white? ……

4 This offer means that you can buy two the price of one.

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5 I don't think you should spend money that scarf. ……..

6 How would you like me to pay – cash or card? ……

7 Do you like the suits display the window? ……...

8 Jo is standing the queue for the checkout. ……

6 Write which you prefer – going to the theatre or going to the cinema. Give at least 4 reasons.

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