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# 5TH ADOLESCENTS – MID-TERM TEST

**Name:** _____

## VOCABULARY

**1. Complete the text with the correct answer (A, B, C or D).**

A few months ago, I decided to have a go at origami. I'm in my final year at school and I was finding school work quite **1**……so I wanted to do something to help me relax. I liked doing origami because it was both relaxing and **2** …….. I have a book that shows me how to make paper models step-by-step. **3** ……. Out the instructions isn't always as easy as it looks. When I complete a difficult model, I feel good that I **4**……. adifficult project. I never thought I would **5** ……..doing origami but I'm glad I tried it.

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| **1** | **A** stressing | **B** stressed | **C** stressful | **D** stressfully |
| **2** | **A** creative | **B** creatively | **C** playful | **D** playfully |
| **3** | **A** Taking | **B** Going | **C** Putting | **D** Carrying |
| **4** | **A** overcame | **B** came first | **C** beat | **D** accomplished |
| **5** | **A** build up | **B** end up | **C** get up to | **D** put up with |

**2. Complete the sentences with the correct form of the words in the box.**

able agree aware comfort secure

1 I'm not sure we're_____of finding a solution.
2 She seems to have an_____of the difficulties.
3 He's quite an _____person. He seems to lack confidence in himself.
4 I'm in_____with Brian. I also think we should get this bus.
5 This seat is quite _____. I'm getting a pain in my back.

**3. Write one word in each gap.**

**Learning from Hobbies**

You might think that what you learn at school will help you succeed **(1)** _____ getting a job. **(2)** _____, whenyou go for an interview, employers are just as interested in your hobbies and the activities you take part **(3)** _____ as well as your knowledge. **(4)** _____ example, if your hobby

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is a sport, this could suggest you **(5)** _____ learnt skills such **(6)** _____ teamwork or discipline. If your hobby is drawing this might show that you are patient and pay attention to detail. Whatever activity you have **(7)** _____ doing for a long time, try to think of what you have learned from it. You never know, it might be just what the employer is looking for.

**4. Write a form of the word in capitals in each gap to complete the text.**

**Car-free Cities**

As populations continue to grow in cities, the danger to health caused by harmful pollution is increasing. Many cities are taking **(1)** _____ by trying to reduce the number of cars in cities. But will we ever have a car-free city? The answer seems to be yes. Before the invention of the car, all cities were car-free and many functioned **(2)** _____ well. The benefit of cars was to increase mobility and make the cities more **(3)** _____ to more people. With the **(4)** _____ of tram networks in many cities to support those of buses and metro, it has become easier for people to move around without a car. Also, with the successful introduction of bicycle schemes, people use cars less. In addition, many shops are **(5)** _____ from the cities and moving their businesses online or to out of town shopping centres where costs are reduced. As for the future, Paris has already taken the **(6)** _____ to introduce car-free days which have reduced pollution significantly, and the city of Oslo is preparing to be car-free by 2019. So, although it may sound **(7)** _____ the car-free city could soon be a reality.

***ACT***
***REASON***
***ACCESS***
***CREATE***
***APPEAR***
***DECIDE***
***BELIEVE***

**5. Choose the correct word or phrase for each gap.**

**Back to Bed**

If you are **(1)**_____up of hearing your parents telling you to get up, you should tell them that studies have shown that sleeping is good for you and especially good for teenagers. In fact, doing **(2)**_____ the necessary sleep could affect your brain. Tests **(3)**_____out on teenagers in Britain showed that students who slept 10 hours did better in exams than those who slept between six and eight hours. Some schools have **(4)**_____to a decision to start classes later so that school children can get an extra hour's sleep. However, this only works if the students go to bed on time. Since studies suggest that teens find it difficult to fall asleep before 11, you should **(5)**_____your best to be in bed by 11 o'clock. If you can, you will be **(6)**_____yourself a favour and maybe you will manage **(7)**_____your marks.

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|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | **A** angry | **B** fed | **C** taken | **D** eaten |
| 2 | **A** none | **B** no | **C** less | **D** without |
| 3 | **A** carried | **B** done | **C** made | **D** marked |

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|---|---|---|---|---|
| 4 | A decided | B come | C made | D gone |
| 5 | A decide | B favour | C make | D do |
| 6 | A making | B doing | C having | D liking |
| 7 | A improving | B in improving | C to improve | D on improving |

## GRAMMAR

**6. Complete the sentences with the correct form (past simple or past continuous) of the words in brackets.**

1 I _____ ***(make)*** good progress on my essay when my computer _____ **(crash).**

2 He _____ **(decide)** to stay at home because he _____ ***(want)*** to go to the exhibition.

3 I think they _____***(teach)*** us lots of interesting things at school.

4 When you saw her, she _____***(send)*** a text message. She _____ **(just/check)** the time.

5 I_____ ***(take)*** your advice and stayed at home. Now I feel much better.

**7. Complete the sentences with a modal verb in each gap. Sometimes more than one answer is possible.**

1 I think she _____ be crying because she's just had some bad news.

2 That _____ be Liam's mum over there. She's gone away on holiday.

3 I'm not certain but your keys _____ be on the table. I saw them there earlier.

4 I saw her driving a car so she _____have a licence.

5 That story _____ be true. No one believes we can really travel back in time

**8. Complete the sentences using the correct form (present perfect simple or continuous) of the verbs in brackets.**

1 I _____ ***(stay)*** at my grandmother's house for the last two weeks.

2 They _____ ***(see)*** the play yet but they hope to see it on Saturday.

3 Justin Bieber _____***(sell)*** more than 40 million records around the world.

4 I _____ ***(just/speak)*** to my mum and she said I can have you round for dinner.

5 I _____***(study)*** for my exam all morning but I still don't feel very confident about passing.

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**9. Complete the sentences with a question tag.**

1 Let's go to the music festival, _____? It'll be great fun.
2 Your sister was at the birthday party, _____?
3 It's not as beautiful as people say, _____?
4 You can't play the guitar, _____?
5 Open the door, _____? It's really hot in here.

**10. Complete the second sentence so it has a similar meaning to the first. Do not change the word given. Use two to five words, including the word given.**

1 The city authorities would prefer to build a block of flats than a car park.
The city authorities _____ a block of flats than a car park. ***RATHER***

2 Could you lend me your headphones?
Would you _____ me your headphones? ***MIND***

3 Jess never swam when she was younger, but now she swims for her school team.
Jess didn't _____ swim when she was younger, but now she swims for her school team. ***TO***

4 Are you making good progress with your report on city centre services?
Are you _____ well with your report on city centre services? ***ON***

5 It's not necessary for you to be experienced to be a vlogger.
You _____ experienced to be a vlogger. ***HAVE***

6 This is the first time Sarah has used a tablet.
Sarah _____ a tablet before. ***NEVER***

**DO YOUR BEST!** 😊

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