6 Progress Test 50 minutes

Name Score /100

1 CD2 21 **Listen to five conversations. Choose the correct answers.**

a Listen to two friends talking. What kind of pet did Jamie get for his birthday?
1 a dog
2 a cat
3 a snake

b Listen to part of a radio play. What did Joanne find annoying about the English?
1 their polite way of speaking to people
2 their habit of talking about the weather
3 nobody talks to strangers on the tube

c Listen to part of a travel programme. Where are the speakers?
1 in a private garden
2 on a hill in the country
3 in a public park

d Listen to a woman leaving an answerphone message. Why has she called?
1 to change the time of a meeting
2 to suggest a different activity
3 to arrange a shopping trip

e Listen to two students talking. What subject is Nick studying?
1 history
2 photography
3 film studies

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2 **Listen to John MacLeod, a marine biologist, giving a talk about dolphins. Are these sentences true (T) or false (F)?**



1 ☐ The dolphins that John has been studying live off the east coast of Scotland all year.
2 ☐ These dolphins are slightly smaller than bottlenose dolphins in the Mediterranean.
3 ☐ Some people think that the marks on the dolphins' skin might be caused by pollution.
4 ☐ Dolphins make sounds under water to find out what else is close to them.
5 ☐ They make these sounds by using a bone in the lower part of the mouth.
6 ☐ Dolphins have their own individual sound, which other dolphins sometimes copy.
7 ☐ Researchers agree why dolphins make all the different sounds.

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3 **Fill in the gaps with the correct form of these phrases.**

~~take a long time~~ take advantage take seriously take responsibility take sides take for granted take any notice

1 I usually *take a long time* to do my homework.
2 He never listens to my advice. I just don't think he _____ me _____ .
3 I never _____ my parents _____ . I think they're amazing and I often tell them so.
4 When he was released from prison, he finally started _____ for his actions.
5 Rachel never _____ when her children argue with each other.
6 That student has never _____ of what his teachers tell him to do.
7 Clive's been living in your house for weeks! I think he _____ of you.

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4 **Complete the compound adjectives describing character.**

1 S*elf-centred* people are only interested in themselves.
2 L_____ people are very relaxed.
3 B_____ people are often annoyed or impatient.
4 A_____ people tend to forget things.

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