5&6 Revise and Check

GRAMMAR

Circle a, b, or c.

1 She drives ____ than her brother.
a faster b more fast c more fastly

2 His new book isn't as good ____ his last one.
a than b that c as

3 I'm ____ tired this week than I was last week.
a less b as c most

4 Friday is ____ day of the week for me.
a the busier
b the busiest
c the most busy

5 It's ____ road in the world.
a the more dangerous
b most dangerous
c the most dangerous

6 It's the hottest country I've ____ been to.
a never b always c ever

7 My sister drinks ____ coffee.
a too b too much c too many

8 These jeans are ____ small. Do you have them one size bigger?
a too b too much c too many

9 You haven't spent ____ on your homework.
a time enough
b enough time
c many time

10 They're playing really badly. They ____ the match.
a don't win b won't win c won't to win

11 A My exam is today.
B Don't worry. ____.
a You'll pass
b You pass
c You're passing

12 A It's cold in here. B ____ the window.
a I close b I'm closing c I'll close

13 They met for the first time when they ____ in Madrid.
a were living b are living c was living

14 A Have you been to the USA?
B Yes, I ____ to New York last year.
a 've been b went c was going

15 A ____ today? B No, she's on holiday.
a Does she work
b Is she working
c Will she work

VOCABULARY

a Circle the correct verb or phrase.

1 *Two-third / Two-thirds* of adults wear glasses.
2 There are *five hundred fifty / five hundred and fifty* students here.
3 Can you *borrow / lend* me 50 euros?
4 I'm leaving tonight and I'm *coming / coming back* on Friday.
5 This is Ben. He's *teaching / learning* me to play the piano.

b Write the opposite verb.

1 buy _____
2 push _____
3 remember _____
4 pass _____
5 find _____

c Write words for the definitions.

1 cr_____ (*adj*) full of people or things
2 s_____ (*adj*) opposite of *dangerous*
3 n_____ (*adj*) opposite of *quiet* (for a place)
4 s_____ (*adj, noun*) opposite of *north*
5 m_____ (*noun*) a building where you can see old things
6 p_____ (*noun*) the place where a king or queen lives
7 h_____ (*noun*) a place on the coast where ships stop
8 b_____ (*noun*) you have 206 of these in your body
9 h_____ (*noun*) the organ which sends blood round your body
10 d_____ (*noun*) another word for *illness*

d Complete the modifiers.

1 A How are you? B V_____ well, thanks. And you?
2 I was in_____ lucky – I won £10,000.
3 She's a b_____ tired – she needs to rest.
4 You're driving r_____ fast – slow down!
5 My bag is q_____ heavy because I have my laptop in it.

PRONUNCIATION

a Practise the words and sounds.

Vowel sounds

computer up egg chair

Consonant sounds

leg flower parrot witch

b p.166–7 Sound Bank Say more words for each sound.

c What sound in **a** do the pink letters have in these words?

1 better 2 many 3 enough 4 why 5 wear

d Underline the stressed syllable.

1 im|pa|tient
2 ea|si|est
3 op|ti|mist
4 de|pend
5 for|get

LIVEWORKSHEETS

The woman who inspired *'I have a dream'*

Mahalia Jackson was a musical legend who helped to bring gospel music from the church to large audiences. She was Aretha Franklin's mentor, and in 1961 she was the first gospel singer to win a Grammy Award. She was also an important member of the Civil Rights Movement in the USA, and she was a close friend of Martin Luther King.

Mahalia often went with King on civil rights demonstrations and marches, including into the most hostile parts of the South, and she sang at the events. As a presenter from National Public Radio said, 'her voice became the soundtrack of the Civil Rights Movement'.

On 28th August 1963, there was a famous march in Washington against racism. Mahalia was with King, who was going to give a five-minute speech. Before the day itself, he and his advisers decided what he was going to say.

> ***'Tell them about the dream, Martin. Tell them about the dream'***

King began speaking to an audience of more than 250,000 people. But towards the end, he felt that his speech was not going well. Suddenly Mahalia shouted 'Tell them about the dream, Martin. Tell them about the dream'. She knew about it because she was at a previous event in Detroit, in June of that year, where King talked about his dream for African Americans. It was, in the words of King's adviser Clarence Jones, 'one of the world's greatest gospel singers shouting to one of the world's greatest preachers'. King looked at Mahalia. Then he threw away his written speech, and looked at the audience.

'I have a dream...I have a dream that my four little children will one day live in a nation where they will not be judged by the colour of their skin, but by the content of their character...'

And so he continued, and he gave one of the best-loved speeches in American history.

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6.21 Watch or listen and answer the questions.

Katelyn Susie Anna Laura Paula

1 Katelyn has more free time than three years ago because she ____.
   a has started college b only works during the day
   c doesn't have a full-time job
2 Susie likes Athens because of ____.
   a the people and the weather
   b the cafés and restaurants c the monuments
3 Anna is trying to drink ____.
   a less coffee b more juice c more water
4 Laura describes herself as ____.
   a more an optimist than a pessimist
   b more a pessimist than an optimist
   c a realist but also an optimist
5 Paula often dreams about a teacher that ____.
   a she didn't like b taught her at university
   c helped her to pass her A levels

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