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Unit 8 Short Test 1A

Grammar

1 Look at the direct speech and complete the reported speech.

1 'I'm not having a good evening. '   Sara said she _____ .

2 'I heard the new Katy Perry song.'   Simon said he _____ .

3 'My parents aren't at home.'   Liam said his parents_____ .

4 'I'm going to bed.'   Cathy said she _____ .

5 'The concert starts at five.'   Rick said the concert_____ .

Mark: ___ / 5

2 There is one mistake in each reported statement. Circle the mistake and correct it in one word.

1 'I'm staying in a hotel tonight.'

He said he was staying in a hotel the night.   _____

2 'There is a lot of crime in the area.'

Mel said there had been a lot of crime in the area.   _____

3 'My brother visited last week.'

Gary said his brother had visited the week ago.   _____

4 'Reece is meeting us outside the cinema.'

The girls said that Reece was meeting us outside the cinema.   _____

5 'I don't want to watch this crime documentary.'

Jenny said she didn't want to watch this crime documentary.   _____

Mark: ___ / 5

Vocabulary

3 Complete the sentences using a different form of the words in brackets.

1 There is often a lot of _____ (loot) after a natural disaster, like an earthquake.

2 The _____ (murder) will spend the rest of his life in prison.

3 A man tried to _____ (robber) the bank on Baker Street this afternoon.

4 There are too many drug _____ (deal) on Stapleton Road.

5 Ellen called the police when a _____ (shoplift) tried to take something from her shop.

Mark: ___ / 5

4 Complete the sentences with the words below. There is one extra word.

an arrest   culprits   interview   search   study   witnesses

1 A detective is going to _____ the suspect about the crime.

2 The police appealed for _____ to come forward.

3 We're going to _____ this area until we find the victim's wallet.

4 There have been a lot of burglaries in this street, but the police hope to identify the _____ soon.

5 After a long investigation, the police made _____ early this morning.

Mark: ___ / 5