

### 1 Circle the odd word out.

- 1 exhibition – journey – trip – voyage
- 2 mission – event – expedition – adventure
- 3 satisfied – amazed – enthusiastic – disappointed

- 4 allergy – health – fever – rash
- 5 caravan – cottage – cruise – hotel

### 2 Fill in: *drag, adapt, book, participate, explore.*

- 1 It's so interesting to ..... new places.
- 2 Max decided to ..... in a volunteer programme last summer.
- 3 Grizzly bears ..... to living in cold climates by hibernating in the winter months.

- 4 I always ..... my aeroplane tickets online.
- 5 On their expedition across the Antarctic, the explorers had to ..... their supplies along behind them on sledges.

### 3 Choose the correct item.

- 1 The people who took part in the marathon managed to **give / donate / raise** a lot of money for charity.
- 2 Seeing the volcano erupt was the **challenge / detail / highlight** of my holiday.
- 3 The explorers had to cope with tough **conditions / temperatures / winds** in the Arctic.

- 4 Lydia wants to take a year out after she **stops / leaves / abandons** school.
- 5 The charity really **develops / makes / does** a difference to the lives of the city's homeless.

### 4 Choose the correct item.

- 1 My parents are very proud **for / of** me for passing my exams.
- 2 Martin found it difficult to climb the mountain, but he didn't give **up / off** and he eventually reached the top.
- 3 Paul doesn't know what to study at university and he is faced **with / by** a difficult decision.

- 4 I just found **out / on** that Julie is moving to New Zealand!
- 5 They put **on / off** the expedition until next week because of the bad weather.

**5 Write complete sentences using the *present perfect* or the *past simple*.**

1 you / ever / try / scuba diving?

2 I / not hear / from Susie / for three weeks.

3 they / fly / to Rome / two days ago.

**6 Choose the correct item.**

1 How long **have you waited / have you been waiting** for the train?

2 Ryan **has slept / has been sleeping** for 10 hours!

3 Karen **hasn't packed / hasn't been packing** her suitcase yet.

4 I / never / be / to New York.

5 he / visit / India / in 2012?

**7 Fill in: so, such or such a/an.**

1 The resort was ..... fun that we booked to go again next year.

2 We had ..... nice weather that we spent most of the holiday on the beach.

3 Laura got ..... bad sunburn that she went to see a doctor.

4 Mike's tired because he **has driven / has been driving** all day.

5 I **have called / have been calling** the travel agent five times this morning.

4 They were ..... late that they missed the flight.

5 Daniel had ..... awful time that he complained to the tour company.

**8 Read the dialogues (1-5). Complete the dialogues (1-5) with appropriate responses by circling the appropriate letter (A or B).**

1 X: I was working with baby monkeys.

Y: .....

**A** You must have really loved it.

**B** I was so impressed.

2 X: Where have you been?

Y: .....

**A** I was abroad for the last two months.

**B** I had the time of my life.

3 X: Did you release the tiger cubs back into the wild?

Y: .....

**A** I'll always remember that moment.

**B** Yes, that was a moment I'll never forget.

4 X: .....

Y: Yes, it was amazing.

**A** Did you have a good time?

**B** What was it like?

5 X: How was your gap year?

Y: .....

**A** I've been abroad all summer.

**B** It was an unforgettable experience.

## Reading

### 9 Read the texts. In tasks 1-4, choose the correct answer by circling A, B or C.

#### 1 Text A

Emma,  
Lauren called. She can't come to Paris with you  
and the other girls this weekend because she's  
got a fever. Give her ticket to someone else if you  
can't get a refund.  
Dad

#### Text B

Alex,  
I've gone to pick Grandma up from the hospital. She's  
feeling better and the doctor says she can go home. I  
haven't made dinner so get a takeaway pizza. There's a  
20% discount at Gino's this week, so order from there.  
See you later,  
Mum

#### 1 Text A and B are both about.

- A special offers.
- B health problems.
- C holidays.

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#### WIN TICKETS TO NEW YORK!

Do you want to spend Christmas in the Big Apple? There's no need to hunt for cheap flights online – just enter our in-store competition. Spend over £20 and you could have a chance of winning. We're calling the lucky customer live on local radio this Saturday.

#### 2 To take part in the competition you have to

- A buy something from a shop.
- B go on the Internet.
- C call the radio station.

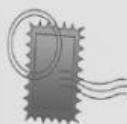
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Hi Lisa!

Here I am in Tuscany! I'm having a great time but I miss you – it's a shame you had to stay behind to take your Italian exam. I hope you can come next year – I'd love to have a fluent Italian-speaker with me! Plus my cousins here really want to meet you – they've heard so much about you!

Take care,

Jenny



3 Which is true about Jenny?

- A She's staying with Lisa.
- B She's visiting relatives.
- C She's fluent in Italian.

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From:	Tom Smith
To:	Mark Lowry
Subject:	Hi

Hey Mark,

A group of us are going to Istanbul this summer after the exams. Do you want to come? We need to know by Thursday so that we can book the tickets. Sorry I didn't let you know earlier – I tried to call but your phone doesn't seem to be working. Have you got a new number? Call me – my number's still the same.

Tom

4 Tom wrote the email.

- A to apologise to Mark.
- B to invite Mark on holiday.
- C to tell Mark that his phone is broken.