



1 LISTENING

▶ You will hear five teenagers talking in different contexts. For each speaker, complete the sentences.

- 1 **Art exhibition:** The bottles are filled with and
- 2 **Stolen bag:** There were a lot of to the theft, but no one helped.
- 3 **Favourite place:** His father built him a(n) in the garden where he plays
- 4 **Class mates:** Isabella is the most girl in her class and she's good at
- 5 **Amazing people:** Malala is a(n) to her. Malala Day is in

2 READING

Read this internet discussion on favourite places. Look at options A–H. Put the correct person (1–5) next to the correct option (A–H). There are three options you do not need.

1 Chris

One of my favourite places is my best friend's house. There's a fantastic room where we can hang out and his parents never bother us. I wish my parents were as relaxed as his! We usually get together at the weekends and just mess around. It's Ben's 18th birthday next week and we're having a big party to celebrate, so I guess it'll be quite noisy but normally we're pretty quiet ... at least I think so!

2 Alex

My favourite place would have to be the river. I'm not really into computer games and stuff like that. I like to be outdoors, so when the weather's good, I cycle down there and spend the day reading and fishing. I don't often catch anything but even when I do, I'll always throw the fish back in the river. I know most of my friends think I'm a bit weird, but we spend enough time at school sitting down in front of computer screens.

3 Amy

I'm really into athletics, so I spend as much time as I can at the local sports centre. Mum worries about my school work but I manage everything. I was really inspired by the Olympics, the passion of all the athletes, so I've decided to focus on sport now. Everyone there is very supportive and they let me use the facilities when the centre isn't open to the general public.

4 Penny

When my grandparents retired, they moved to Spain because they love the weather and the way of life. It's brilliant for us because we go and visit them every summer. I love it there because they really spoil us and they let us do whatever we want. Last summer I took my best friend with me and we spent most of the time chilling out by the swimming pool. It's so different from life in England!

5 Claudia

There's a new café for students in the town centre and that's my favourite place at the moment. The atmosphere's great and there are usually interesting people to talk to. They have live bands every Friday night and they're hoping to open a small gallery for local artists. Up until now there hasn't really been anywhere for us to go so let's hope it does well.

Who ...

- A enjoys being at home?
- B is allowed to do something when other people aren't?
- C has strict parents?
- D wants to spend more time with friends?
- E appreciates the new venue for young people?
- F plays in a band?
- G doesn't like being inside?
- H enjoys going to a foreign country?

3 USE OF ENGLISH

Choose the correct word (a, b, c or d) for each gap.

- 1 I'm quite capable doing this myself.
a on b for c of d at
- 2 There was a(n) view of the mountains from the hotel.
a breathtaking b passionate c relaxed d eye-catching
- 3 Jake shows great, so I hope he'll live up to our expectations.
a inspiration b potential c challenge d honesty
- 4 Don't be so ridiculous! A broken leg isn't exactly life-.....!
a breaking b attacking c endangering d threatening
- 5 Two rooms in the gallery were to the artist's later works.
a awarded b devoted c entitled d established
- 6 I wish I your advice. I would be in a much better position now.
a had taken b would take c took d have taken
- 7 I've never enjoyed too much time on my own.
a to spend b spend c spending d to spending
- 8 When will you get to tidying your room?!
a over b up c off d round
- 9 I think you're being rather fair. Mark isn't that bad!
a im b un c in d dis

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Complete the sentences. Use the word in capital letters to form another word that fits the gap in the sentence.

- 1 Ben never does what he says he's going to do. He really is so **RELY**
- 2 is essential if you want to get to the top. **DETERMINE**
- 3 I feel really about environmental issues. **PASSION**
- 4 Sally's behaviour has been very recently. **MYSTERY**
- 5 Our coach expects total from everyone on the team. **COMMIT**
- 6 Our local policeman won a national award for **BRAVE**

GRAMMAR

1 Choose the correct answer: a, b, c or d.

- 1 Playing such loud music on your headphones be good for your ears.
a could b can't c mustn't d might
- 2 I wish I history of art when I went to college.
a studied b would study c study d had studied
- 3 You John if you'd arrived earlier.
a had seen b would see c would have seen d saw
- 4 You well be right about Joe. He does seem a little distracted these days.
a could b can c must d would
- 5 If I'd known what was really going on, I have been more sympathetic.
a must b can c might d should
- 6 You know who the Beatles are. Everyone knows!
a can b could c would d must

2 Complete the text with one suitable word in each gap.

There's no point having regrets but I (1) I (2) paid more attention to my parents because I (3) have made very different choices. My mum was always very patient with me but there (4) have been times when she wanted to shout at me. She always said I could (5) been a good musician but I was just too lazy and now I'm in my final year at school and I don't know what I want to do. It (6) be brilliant to know your own potential.

VOCABULARY

3 Choose the correct answer: a, b, c or d.

- 1 That famous painting is as one of the greatest works of art in the world.
a regarded b established c entitled d awarded
- 2 My uncle was very much by his father.
a devoted b composed c prohibited d influenced
- 3 I'd better go now and get with my homework.
a round b on c over d out
- 4 There will be many challenges to over the months to come.
a take b head c face d hold
- 5 I prefer pictures of people and places to art.
a abstract b unique c bizarre d complex
- 6 My brother's really good at getting doing any household chores. I don't know how he does it!
a away with b round to c up to d out of

4 Complete the sentences with one suitable word in each gap.

- 1 The film is on a tropical island.
- 2 It was his not to give up that kept Joe Simpson alive.
- 3 '..... is the best policy.' This means that it is important to tell the truth.
- 4 You'll never away with your plan. Someone is sure to catch you.
- 5 'Bravery' is another word for
- 6 He was as the class president, but I didn't vote for him.

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GRAMMAR

1 Choose the correct answer: a, b, c or d.

- 1 What a terrible experience. You have been really scared.
a can b may c might d must
- 2 The crime he committed last night, money from the woman's purse, was only one of several this month!
a stealing b to steal c having stolen d steal
- 3 Paul really enjoys out near the river.
a to hang b hanging c hang d to hanging
- 4 How anyone have known I was here?
a may b might c could d had
- 5 I look forward you next weekend.
a seeing b to see c see d to seeing
- 6 everything into consideration, I think we've done really well.
a To take b Take c Taking d Taken

2 Complete the text with one suitable word in each gap.

The house I grew up in (1) have been any nicer, being so close to town but so near the countryside, (2) (3) to the local school on time was never a problem and I would usually walk back home for lunch if we didn't have anything special to do in the lunch hour. In the holidays our family used to love (4) camping by the river. Mum (5) have worried about us because we often stayed out for hours without (6) anything to eat or drink!

VOCABULARY

3 Choose the correct answer: a, b, c or d.

- 1 The burglar was to two years in prison.
a committed b sentenced c charged d convicted
- 2 Dan the charge and claimed that he was innocent.
a denied b admitted c committed d defended
- 3 You can yourself quite a lot of harm by staying out in the sun all day.
a make b give c have d do
- 4 This project has been very time-.....
a cutting b breaking c consuming d catching
- 5 I've just read a-warming story about a young boy and his pet dog.
a heart b mind c brain d head
- 6 Please don't do anythinglegal!
a un b il c im d dis
- 7 I don't know how you can work with James as he's soorganised.
a un b in c dis d im

4 Complete the sentences with one suitable word.

- 1 Crime suspects are usually driven to the police station in the seat of a police car.
- 2 There are usually twelve people on a(n) in a UK court.
- 3 Mum always makes mouth-..... desserts.
- 4 Have you ever a crime?
- 5 The police are the burglary.
- 6 This is an award-..... design.