

5 Choose the correct words to complete the chat messages.

Busy tonight ☺



Grant



Hi Eva – sorry I can't come round tonight but I'm (1) **revising** / **memorising** for a maths test tomorrow. We have to (2) **pass** / **take** a test every Tuesday! It's all part of our (3) **coursework** / **course studies** and it (4) **gets** / **goes** towards our final (5) **grade** / **letter**. I much prefer end-of-term (6) **year** / **week** exams. It's easier to (7) **stuff** / **cram** for the last few days. Can you imagine that in last week's test Marco (8) **cheated** / **copied** my answers and got (9) **kept** / **caught** by the teacher!

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Eva



Naughty Marco! That's OK. I've got my (10) **mock** / **false** exams next week, so I'm busy (11) **memorising** / **repeating** loads of information for those. I hope I (12) **pass** / **succeed** them. We did some (13) **before** / **past** papers in class last week and I did terribly. Not long before the real thing now. That will be you next year! Good luck in your test – see you at the weekend!

**6 Choose the correct answer A, B or C. Write words**

**YOUR INFO**

When you're writing a(n) (1) \_\_\_ to apply for a job, there are some points to remember. You must show all your (2) \_\_\_ very clearly, starting with the first (3) \_\_\_ you got at school and listing them in order of date right through to your (4) \_\_\_ at 16 and the A levels you (5) \_\_\_ before leaving school (or the (6) \_\_\_ Baccalaureate if this is what you took). It's also important to indicate whether you received any (7) \_\_\_ over the years, for example for excellent results or a special project. You must also include, obviously, any exceptional results such as a (8) \_\_\_. If you are a university (9) \_\_\_, then write about the subjects you studied for your (10) \_\_\_ and give information about any work experience or relevant extracurricular (11) \_\_\_ too.

1 A story	B CV	C interview
2 A life	B information	C qualifications
3 A marks	B books	C certificates
4 A GCSEs	B SLC	C finals
5 A made	B took	C wrote
6 A International	B National	C European
7 A praise	B gifts	C awards
8 A distinction	B pass	C star
9 A ex-student	B graduate	C entrant
10 A course	B level	C degree
11 A activities	B actions	C acts

## VERB-NOUN COLLOCATIONS

### 9 Complete the teacher's instructions with the correct form of the verbs in the box.

play give (x2) suspend make do check  
work (x2) hand catch take report write miss

- 1 Remember to \_\_\_\_\_ your work before you \_\_\_\_\_ it in.
- 2 When you're \_\_\_\_\_ on a project, you should \_\_\_\_\_ some research online.
- 3 You'll \_\_\_\_\_ a talk on new technology, then I'd like you to \_\_\_\_\_ a paragraph about it.
- 4 If you \_\_\_\_\_ a lot of lessons, you'll be \_\_\_\_\_ to the head teacher.
- 5 Remember to \_\_\_\_\_ notes in the lecture because you'll have to \_\_\_\_\_ a presentation to the class next week.
- 6 You won't \_\_\_\_\_ so many mistakes if you \_\_\_\_\_ in pairs.
- 7 If I \_\_\_\_\_ anyone bullying, the person responsible will be \_\_\_\_\_.
- 8 My dad says he \_\_\_\_\_ truant a lot when he was young, but now he regrets it!

## 10 Complete the blog with the correct words.

Some letters have been given. Write the whole words



A nightmare day today. I hate Monday's (1) t\_m\_\_\_\_\_ – too many double lessons. I was nearly late again and managed to get to class just as the (2) \_ \_ \_I rang. Mind you, Miss Briars was (3) \_b\_ \_ \_t today, so no one noticed. I had left my (4) n\_\_\_\_\_k at home, so I couldn't give in my (5) \_ \_ m\_\_\_\_\_k. We had an English (6) d\_\_\_\_\_n this morning and I had a mistake in every word! The day got worse. I didn't have a (7) p\_\_\_\_\_d lunch, so I had to share Terry's and then I had to spend the whole of the lunch (8) b\_\_\_\_\_ listening to her talking about her boyfriend, Matt. In the afternoon I realised I'd forgotten my PE (9) \_ \_ t – again! So, I had to write a fake (10) si\_ \_ note from my mum to say I was ill and couldn't do PE. I just can't (11) c\_\_\_\_\_e in class, either, these days. I think it's because I'm thinking about our holiday. I shall be so happy when it's the end of (12) t \_ \_ m!

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11 Where would you see these notices at school? Match 1–7 with the correct words in the box.

laboratory canteen corridor gymnasium  
staffroom library playground

- 1 TODAY'S MENU: FISH PIE AND CHIPS OR BEEF STEW AND MASHED POTATOES.
- 2 PLEASE RETURN ALL BOOKS TO THE SHELVES WHEN YOU'RE FINISHED.
- 3 ALWAYS WEAR GOGGLES WHEN YOU ARE DOING AN EXPERIMENT OR DEALING WITH DANGEROUS CHEMICALS.
- 4 WALK ON THE LEFT AND NO RUNNING AT ANY TIME!
- 5 CHANGE INTO SPORTS SHOES BEFORE YOU COME IN HERE.
- 6 KNOCK AND WAIT FOR A TEACHER TO COME TO THE DOOR.
- 7 NO RUNNING GAMES UNLESS A TEACHER IS SUPERVISING.

## 12 Choose the correct words to complete the sentences.

- 1 Do you have a **head** / **top** girl and boy at your school? I don't think I'd like to be one. It's a lot of responsibility. You have to give a good example to everyone else! 1)
- 2 If you're wondering what career to follow, you should go and talk to the careers **helper** / **adviser**. 2)
- 3 My English friend has just become a **prefect** / **team leader**, which means that she can tell off the younger kids if they're doing something naughty. She loves it. 3)
- 4 Mrs Baker isn't the head teacher, she's the **deputy** / **second** head. That means she takes over when the head teacher is away. 4)
- 5 At college, my brother has a fantastic **speaker** / **lecturer** who manages to keep a hundred students interested in the topic he's talking about. 5)

## MEMO

There have been some problems at school recently. A number of students have been (1) **losing** / **cutting** classes and have been seen in the town centre during school time. As you know, this is not even permitted during free (2) **times** / **periods**. Regular (3) **attendance** / **arrivals** is vital for a student's progress, therefore you are reminded of the importance of (4) **writing** / **taking** the register regularly. This not only identifies absentees but flags up general (5) **regularity** / **punctuality** issues. Students who are continually late will be put in (6) **detention** / **confinement**. Such problems should also be (7) **raised** / **touched** in any tutorials you have with your students as it is important for our students to develop (8) **own- / self-discipline** at this stage. Please remind them that the first lesson of the day is compulsory and not optional. Another issue we need to be aware of is that students are increasingly (9) **forging** / **creating** sick notes to get out of sports activities or to be allowed to take (10) **time** / **periods** off school or fake doctor's appointments. Please be vigilant.

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14 Complete the webpage with the correct words in the box.

fundraising belong voluntary trips members  
extracurricular take join societies



PLENTY TO DO OUTSIDE CLASSES! FIND OUT HERE.

It's good for students to do (1) \_\_\_\_\_ activities and there are plenty of clubs and (2) \_\_\_\_\_ for you to (3) \_\_\_\_\_ here at Deptford School. If you don't already (4) \_\_\_\_\_ to one of our clubs, click on CLUBS and see the lists of clubs we have as well as some comments from students who are (5) \_\_\_\_\_.

Every year the school organises exchange (6) \_\_\_\_\_ with schools in different countries. To see where the students went last year, click on EXCHANGES.

There are many opportunities to do (7) \_\_\_\_\_ work in the local community. Click on HELP IN THE COMMUNITY.

If you would like to (8) \_\_\_\_\_ part in (9) \_\_\_\_\_ events for charity, we would appreciate your help. Go to EVENTS to find out more.

3 How did the people feel in these situations? Complete the sentences with the correct adjectives in the box.

impressed disappointed confused

- 1 The teacher said one thing, but the textbook said something else. I didn't know what to do.  
I was \_\_\_\_\_.
- 2 We had hoped that the lecture would be really interesting. Unfortunately, it did not live up to expectations. We couldn't hear the lecturer's voice and the slides were very blurry.  
We were \_\_\_\_\_.
- 3 The school was big and modern. All the classrooms were airy and fully equipped with the latest gadgets. It was quite different from the last school she had attended, where tiny classrooms were packed with twenty students.  
She was \_\_\_\_\_.

~~READING~~  
**18 Complete the students' comments with the words in the box. Do you agree with these statements?**

public an apprenticeship streamed  
boarding fees

I don't think it's right that some students have to pay school (1) \_\_\_\_\_ whereas others don't, do you?

At our school, students are (2) \_\_\_\_\_ according to their abilities. I'd prefer everyone to be in the same class.

When I went to (3) \_\_\_\_\_ school, I really missed my family. I'd never send my child there.

I think (4) \_\_\_\_\_ is a very good alternative to going to university.

The (5) \_\_\_\_\_ school system in the UK produces a lot of politicians and prime ministers. I think it just makes the class system here much worse and is very divisive.