

## Vocabulary

### ▪ Great achievements/Past activities

**A Fill in:** *painted, sketched, walked, studied, discovered, became, designed, invented.*

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| <p>1 Abraham Lincoln ..... president of the USA in 1861.</p> <p>2 Pablo Picasso ..... <i>Guernica</i>.</p> <p>3 Ken Shuttleworth ..... 30 St Mary Axe, the London office block known as 'the Gherkin'.</p> <p>4 Leonardo de Vinci ..... a design for a helicopter in the 1400s.</p> | <p>5 Dr Martin Cooper ..... the mobile phone in 1973.</p> <p>6 Maria Montessori ..... Engineering at university.</p> <p>7 Sir Ranulph Fiennes and Dr Mike Stroud ..... across Antarctica in 1993.</p> <p>8 Europeans ..... Australia in 1606.</p> |
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**B Fill in:** *lifetime, intelligent, engineer, industry, canal, range, curious, detailed, accurate, proportions.*

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| <p>1 John worked for 50 years in the steel .....</p> <p>2 Maps need to be ..... or they are not very helpful.</p> <p>3 Amsterdam's ..... system was designed in the 1600s.</p> <p>4 You must be a talented artist to be able to draw the perfect ..... of the human.</p> <p>5 Da Vinci achieved incredible things in his .....</p> | <p>6 A good actor can express a whole ..... of emotions in just one look.</p> <p>7 You have to be very ..... to be a scientist.</p> <p>8 Inventors tend to be people who are ..... about how things work.</p> <p>9 Isambard Kingdom Brunel was the ..... who designed the Clifton Suspension Bridge in Bristol.</p> <p>10 Clare made a ..... sketch of the statue for her Art project.</p> |
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### Put the words into the correct order to form questions

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| <p>1 live/Italy/in/Alexander the Great/did?<br/>.....<br/>.....</p> <p>2 Aristotle/did/teach/Alexander?<br/>.....<br/>.....</p> <p>3 conquer/the Persian Empire/Alexander/ did?<br/>.....</p> | <p>4 75 cities/found/Alexander/did?<br/>.....<br/>.....</p> <p>5 get married/did/Alexander?<br/>.....<br/>.....</p> <p>6 die/did/Alexander/in 356 BC?<br/>.....</p> |
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**Past simple - Past continuous**

**Underline the correct verb.**

- 1 We **looked/were looking** at the paintings when the alarm went off.
- 2 While she **was watching/watched** TV, the lights went out.
- 3 As I was driving along the motorway, I **was hearing/heard** police sirens.
- 4 Someone **was breaking/broke** into Jim's car and **stole/was stealing** his CD player last night.
- 5 He panicked when he **was seeing/saw** the robber.
- 6 The police **were catching/caught** the two thieves while they **tried/were trying** to leave the country.