

PROGRESS TEST UNITS 6 AND 7

Grammar Section

1 Read the rules and choose the correct option.

- 1 You *have to* / *should* wear sports shoes in the sports hall. This is a strict rule. You *are not allowed to* / *don't have to* wear any other sort of shoes.
- 2 You *can't* / *shouldn't* eat crisps and chocolate in the hall and, obviously, you *don't have to* / *mustn't* leave any litter. Both of these things are against our rules.
- 3 You *should* / *have to* sign up for our fitness classes early as they sometimes fill up. However, you *must* / *are allowed to* use the gym at any time. It is always open.
- 4 Visitors *can't* / *don't have to* use the gym. It is for members only. However, they *are allowed to* / *have to* go into the restaurant, which is open to the public.
- 5 Members *can* / *must* sign out when they leave the club. It's the rule. They *shouldn't* / *don't have to* leave their bags in the club overnight.

(10 points)

2 Write sentences in the first conditional.

- 1 You / feel better / if you / eat healthily

- 2 If you / not eat vegetables / you / get ill

- 3 If I / give up drinking coffee / I / sleep better

- 4 Peter / not eat junk food / if you / not give him any

- 5 If we / drink more water / it / be good for us

(10 points)

3 Complete the text with the comparative or superlative form of the words.

I love my new house. It's ¹ _____ (lovely) house I've ever lived in. It's much ² _____ (big) than the flat I used to have, and it's in a ³ _____ (good) location. Actually, that's the ⁴ _____ (good) thing about it. It's in ⁵ _____ (historical) part of the city, and I'll be much ⁶ _____ (close) to the shops. The living room is ⁷ _____ (nice) and ⁸ _____ (comfortable) than any other living room I've had, and although my bedroom is ⁹ _____ (small) than the one in the flat, that just means it's ¹⁰ _____ (cosy).

(10 points)

4 Choose the correct option to complete the sentences.

- 1 We'll go for a picnic unless ...
a it rains. b it will rain.
- 2 If you cook lunch ...
a I wash up. b I'll wash up.
- 3 I'll wait until ...
a you've eaten your meal. b you'll eat your meal.
- 4 We'll have a snack before ...
a we go out. b we'll go out.
- 5 Katy's vegetarian. She won't eat anything ...
a if it has meat in it. b unless it has meat in it.
- 6 I'll come and help as soon as ...
a I finish my cake. b I'll finish my cake.
- 7 When I see Peter ...
a I tell him about the barbecue. b I'll tell him about the barbecue.
- 8 Dan is allergic to nuts. He won't eat it ...
a if it has no nuts in it. b unless it has no nuts in it.
- 9 I'll keep tasting the soup until ...
a it tastes OK. b it'll taste OK.
- 10 As soon as I finish dinner ...
a I call you. b I'll call you.

(10 points)

5 Rewrite the sentences with *used to* or *would*. If this is not possible, write –.

- 1 I lived in a small town when I was a child.

- 2 I got up very early every morning.

- 3 My sister and I were really happy in those days.

- 4 We played games all day long.

- 5 Once we got into an orchard and stole some apples.

- 6 The town wasn't as large as it is now.

- 7 Everyone in the town talked to each other.

- 8 I knew everybody in the town.

- 9 We went for long walks in the countryside.

- 10 In 1990, they built a motorway and the place changed.

(10 points)

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Vocabulary Section

1 Complete the advice with a nouns a-e.

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| 1 Avoid _____ | a an outdoor activity |
| 2 Change _____ | b relaxation techniques |
| 3 Learn _____ | c computer and TV time |
| 4 Reduce _____ | d bad habits |
| 5 Take up _____ | e junk food |

(10 points)

2 Complete the advice with *up*, *out*, *down* and *on*.

- You should cut _____ fatty foods completely.
- You should take _____ a new sport.
- You should cut _____ the amount of coffee you drink.
- You should give _____ eating sweets.

(8 points)

3 Complete the sentences with these words.

clock	closes	cycle	disease	hours	jobs
light	pressure	schedules	shopping	table	tip

- Our shop is open all _____.
- Find out when you're working by looking at the daylight work _____.
- We can work through the night thanks to electric _____.
- More and more people these days work 9 to 5 in indoor _____.
- Eating a very rich diet can lead to heart _____.
- It's good advice to keep to a natural sleep _____.
- Lots of office employees are living by the _____.
- Drinking too much coffee can lead to high blood _____.
- Always make a reservation in advance – book a _____.
- Supermarkets now offer late night _____.
- Our local shop is open 24 hours – it never _____.
- In restaurants, don't forget to leave a _____.

(12 points)

4 Match the words to the descriptions.

attic	balcony	basement	central heating	double glazing
fireplace	garden	garage	terrace	veranda

- Where you put your car. _____
- Where the trees and flowers grow. _____
- It makes the house warm. _____
- It stops cold air coming in. _____
- The place you put wood to make a fire. _____
- A room at the top of the house. _____
- The rooms below ground level. _____
- A walkway that goes round a house. _____
- A row of houses under one roof. _____
- A place outside a flat where you can sit. _____

(10 points)

5 Match the words to the definitions.

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|--------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|
| 1 run-down | a in good condition | b in bad condition |
| 2 skyscraper | a a very high building | b a very low building |
| 3 public transport | a cars and bikes | b buses and trams |
| 4 built-up | a very few buildings | b lots of buildings |
| 5 neighbourhoods | a residential areas | b financial districts |
| 6 atmosphere | a the look of a place | b the feeling of a place |

(12 points)


6 Complete the text with words from Exercises 4 and 5.

I live on the sixtieth floor of a New York ¹ _____. I can go outside on to the ² _____, and I have amazing views of the city. The area around my building – the local ³ _____ – is not in good condition – it's a bit ⁴ _____, but the area has a fantastic ⁵ _____ and people are very friendly. Of course, New York is very ⁶ _____ – there are so many buildings close together. And in the winter, it's very cold. Fortunately, I have ⁷ _____ on the windows and ⁸ _____ to keep me warm.

(8 points)

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Listening Section

1  **1.1** Listen to a radio interview about favourite books. Are the sentences true (T) or false (F)?

- a** Trevor Jones is a writer.
- b** His teacher made him interested in science.
- c** His favourite book is about science.
- d** Pip, in *Great Expectations*, didn't have parents.
- e** Trevor Jones had a good childhood.
- f** Pip had a good childhood.

2 Complete the extracts with the correct words. Then listen again to check.

- a** I am from the South _____ of England.
- b** I work on medicines that will hopefully help the _____ of many people.
- c** I had a much more _____ upbringing
- d** Pip deals with almost _____ situations.

3  **1.1** Listen to four people discussing new and old products and match the speakers 1–4 with the facts about them a)–h). There are two pieces of information per person.

- 1 Brad _____
- 2 Karen _____
- 3 Colin _____
- 4 Hannah _____

- a) He/She doesn't approve of throwing things away.
- b) He/She experiments with new things out of boredom.
- c) He/She likes things which are good value.
- d) He/She realises that he/she has a problem with trying new things.
- e) He/She really likes being the first to listen to or watch something.
- f) He/She likes things which are collectors' items.
- g) He/She generally doesn't like new things but can make exceptions.
- h) There are some things which he/she won't buy second-hand.

