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UNIT 8 Assessment

VOCABULARY

1 Match the sentences with the missing words. There is one sentence that is not missing a word (–).

1 We often go to see a _____ at the theatre.	**a** adventure
2 The main person in the story had an amazing _____.	**b** play
3 My younger brother reads a lot of _____.	**c** comics
4 TV films _____ me more than TV shows.	**d** –
5 I like watching _____ TV.	**e** entertain

SCORE: _____ /5

2 Choose the correct option to complete the sentences.

1 Today is Monday and I bought the shirt _____ on Friday.

a yesterday
b three days ago
c the day before yesterday

2 I saw Cleo _____. I think it was some time last month.

a five minutes ago
b yesterday
c a while ago

3 It's now 2:10 p.m. I saw her _____ at 2 p.m.

a ten minutes ago
b a while ago
c the month before last

4 My grandmother was born _____.

a four years ago
b two Mondays ago
c on 26th July 1946

5 _____, we lived in Australia.

a The day before yesterday
b Five minutes ago
c When I was a child

SCORE: _____ /5

GRAMMAR

3 Complete the sentences with the correct past simple form of the verb in brackets.

1 I _____ (take) this photograph of a lake in Canada.

2 We _____ (visit) my sister in New Zealand last year.

3 There _____ (be) many interesting places to visit in the city.

4 They _____ (come) back from their trip yesterday.

5 I _____ (meet) my friends at the airport.

SCORE: _____ /5

4 Complete the text with the correct form of these words.

be be not take travel visit

In 2018, we [1]_____ by plane to Buenos Aires in Argentina. There [2]_____ so many amazing places to see. One of the most interesting places [3]_____ Tigre. We took a train there from the centre of Buenos Aires. It [4]_____ very long – only about forty minutes. We [5]_____ the Puerto de Frutos, which is a big market. It sells food, and lots of handmade objects.

SCORE: _____ /5

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LIVEWORKSHEETS

READING

A special day

A – Today is 13th September which is Roald Dahl Day. Roald Dahl is one of my favourite British short story writers. On this day, all over the world people remember the man and his work because it's his birthday.

B – He told his children his own stories at bedtime, and it was these stories that gave him the idea of writing books. When his children got bored listening to one of his stories, he changed it to make it more interesting in the book. Most of his ideas were from the people and the places around him.

C – He wrote nineteen children's books, as well as stories and articles for magazines such as *The New Yorker*. He also wrote television and film scripts. For example, he wrote *Chitty Chitty Bang Bang* and the film story for the James Bond film *You Only Live Twice*. His experience flying planes in the Second World War and his work as a spy with MI6 gave him the ideas for the James Bond film.

D – He even created a language called Gobblefunk. Oxford University Press made a dictionary called the *Roald Dahl Dictionary* and it has around 8,000 real and imaginary words from his books.

E – He wrote most of his books in a small building made of wood in his garden. He sat in an old armchair and wrote them on a writing board.

5 Read. Match the topic with the paragraph in the blog post.

1 Paragraph A	**a** The kinds of thing he wrote
2 Paragraph B	**b** A new language
3 Paragraph C	**c** Where the ideas for his books came from
4 Paragraph D	**d** Where he wrote his books
5 Paragraph E	**e** A special day

SCORE: _____ /5

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6 Read the blog post again and choose the correct option to complete the sentences.

1 Roald Dahl was born on _____.
   - **a** 10th September
   - **b** 13th September
   - **c** 23rd September

2 The ideas for his stories came from _____.
   - **a** other books
   - **b** Roald himself
   - **c** his children

3 He wrote _____.
   - **a** children's books
   - **b** plays about war
   - **c** books about planes

4 _____ wrote a Roald Dahl dictionary.
   - **a** His children
   - **b** Oxford University Press
   - **c** A library

5 He wrote his books _____.
   - **a** at a desk in his house
   - **b** outside in his garden
   - **c** in a building in his garden

SCORE: _____ /5

LISTENING

7 8.1 Listen to the radio interview. Are the statements true or false?

1	Manpreet is a pet photographer.	True	False
2	Manpreet had a camera when she was a child.	True	False
3	Manpreet studied photography at university.	True	False
4	Manpreet works for a newspaper.	True	False
5	Manpreet likes to take photographs of elephants the most.	True	False

SCORE: _____ /5

8 8.1 Listen again. Complete the sentences with the correct word.

1 Manpreet's _____ gave her a camera on her 8th birthday.

2 Manpreet liked to take photos of people, places and _____ when she was a kid.

3 When Manpreet left school, she got a job working for a _____.

4 Manpreet thinks her job is very _____.

5 Manpreet thinks that elephants are big and _____ to watch.

SCORE: _____ /5

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