



Extra Training

Complex Revision Test Task 1707

1. Listen to five texts about the movies. Which movies are the people describing? Choose the number of the title in the table. (There is one extra title.)

1. Creature in the Fields
2. The Haunted Woods
3. Visitors from Outer Space
4. The Phantom Under the Stairs
5. Bigfoot Lives
6. The Psychic Photo

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2a. Vocabulary. Tick the correct boxes.

| | a disease | your hand | a rumour | your horizons | a building | a business |
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| spread | | | | | | |
| expand | | | | | | |
| extend | | | | | | |

2b. Vocabulary. B) Choose the correct word and drag it into the correct sentence. (There are extra words you don't need to use.)

effect harm bewildered alone put up rummaged stammered
 cope strain confidential essential sighed shrugged fit in
 influence obedient denies missing hurt minimal
 lonely concentrated losing regrets put off

1. Brenda has been _____ her friends terribly ever since she changed schools,
2. Joe's older sister is a good _____ on him; she helps him make the right decisions.
3. Kelly was _____ in the house, as everyone else had gone to the cinema,
4. Joe tried to _____ with the other students in his class by wearing the same style of clothes as they did.
5. Don't worry, the conversation between you and the student counsellor is _____.
6. His constant lying is having a terrible _____ on their friendship.
7. Ruby had to _____ the dinner party for another day, as she had too much work to do.
8. Even though the teacher caught Penny cheating, she still _____ it.
9. Betty _____ through her backpack searching for her iPod®.
10. John _____ his decision to leave school early and work at his father's shop.
11. I have such a heavy work load! I feel like I'm _____ control!
12. Stephen needs to apologise to Kate because he's really _____ her feelings.
13. Not eating properly and getting too little sleep can eventually _____ your health.
14. Jane gets a bit _____ at times living on her own.
15. Henry does his bit for the environment by buying goods that use _____ packaging.
16. Janice _____ her shoulders, unable to answer the teacher's question.
17. Mark _____ with relief when he realised that nobody had been hurt in the accident.
18. Why buy a big box of washing powder when you can choose one that comes in _____ form?

3a. Reading. Choose the correct item.

RoboCup

RoboCup is a football competition that has taken place every year since 1997. But the players are not human; they are robots. The competition's full name is 'Robot Soccer World Cup,' and the aim is to create, by the middle of the 21st century, a team of robot footballers that are able to play against and beat the winners of the real World Cup.

In order for robots to play football, robotics companies have had to develop special technologies. A robot can't just run onto the field and start kicking the ball. So each robot is fitted with a webcam which is connected to a computer inside the robot. The robot is able to see where the other players are, where the goal is and, most importantly, where the ball is. They are programmed to make their own decisions and during the match the robots' creators are not allowed to tell them what to do. The robots are, however, able to communicate with other members of their team, via a wireless network. They might, for example, communicate a message like this to a team-mate: 'I'm nearest the ball. I'm going to kick it. You go and defend the goal.' They know who to pass to and how best to get the ball past an opponent. Australian, German and American teams dominate the competition, though teams from twelve countries competed at the last tournament.

There is a long way to go before robots will be able to compete against humans. They need to become more intelligent and become able to react more quickly and anticipate the game. But the technologies that are being developed for scoring goals have other uses as well. It may be possible to develop robots that can be used in search and rescue, for example, finding people trapped in buildings after earthquakes.

They may not be as fun to watch as real footballers, but at least they don't demand enormous salaries!

1. The movement of each robot is controlled by _____.
 1. the fans of each team.
 2. the captain of the team.
 3. the owner of the robot.
 4. itself.
2. During the match, the robots can communicate with _____.
 1. other robots in the same team.
 2. any other robot on the pitch.
 3. the people who created them.
 4. no other robots or people.
3. Before the robots can play against humans, _____.
 1. more countries need to get involved.
 2. they simply need to become more clever.
 3. the technologies need to be applied in areas other than football.
 4. they need increased intelligence and better movement.
4. The main goal of the organisers is to _____.
 1. have the robots play in the real World Cup.
 2. eventually build robots that can play better than humans.
 3. develop technologies that can help in search and rescue.
 4. make it more fun to watch than real footballers.

3b. Reading. You are going to read a magazine article in which four people talk about their neighbours. Tick to choose from the people the information refers to. A person may be chosen more than once!

Alex

They say "good fences make good neighbours", but this doesn't apply in Mrs. Beasley's case. Edwina Beasley has managed to find a way of sticking her busybody nose into my business, though I barely speak a word to her when she starts asking me personal things. She's even taken it upon herself to find me a wife! Imagine my shock, when she knocked on my door last Sunday, in the company of a woman I'd never seen before and told me: "This is Mary Allen, dear. I'm sure you two have a lot in common, so I'll let you get to know each other" and then she left, almost certain that Mary Allen and I will name our first child after her!

Helen

Don't get me wrong, I love animals. Be it feathered, furry, two-legged or crawling, I simply adore all creatures. Except one; Mr. Watson's poodle, Lulu. Though Mr. Watson is a great neighbour, Lulu gets on my nerves so much that I'm seriously thinking of kidnapping her and secretly replacing her with a more tolerable look-alike. Not only does Lulu steal my newspaper every morning, but she is also

very selective with my friends. Whenever I have friends over that she doesn't like, she will stand outside my door barking or howling for hours if Mr. Watson isn't home to come and pick her up. I know you're supposed to "love thy neighbour", but do you have to love his dog too?

Lucy

The truth is I grew up to believe that our neighbours were also our friends, all of us sharing our joys and sorrows as they presented themselves in our small but closely-knit community. Unfortunately, this was not the case in the big city I moved to. I realised that trying to be friends with your neighbours and be there for them in times of need was not always welcome when my next-door neighbour told me to mind my own business and stop trying to control other people's lives. All I had done was knock on her door to see if she was alright on a night, I'd heard her crying out loudly!

Chris

I know you can't really choose your neighbours, but I thought that I had chosen the right ones when I decided to move to a nice, peaceful street where mostly elderly people resided. What I hadn't thought of was that these wonderful, friendly people, who mostly kept to themselves, had children and noisy grandchildren who visited on Sunday mornings. Worst of all, what I didn't know was that the same, seemingly quiet senior citizens would be having band practice every Saturday morning in the house right next to mine. I'm really having second thoughts about this neighbourhood!

Which person

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| was misunderstood by a neighbour? | Alex | Helen | Lucy | Chris |
| seems more likely to move somewhere else? | Alex | Helen | Lucy | Chris |
| has a problem which is not directly related to their neighbour? | Alex | Helen | Lucy | Chris |
| has a neighbour who interferes in their social life? | Alex | Helen | Lucy | Chris |
| got something different to what they expected? | Alex | Helen | Lucy | Chris |
| had to get used to a new reality? | Alex | Helen | Lucy | Chris |

4. Everyday English. Choose the correct response. There are extra sentences!

I can manage, thanks. Your words are worth gold. I wouldn't miss it for the world!

On Saturday I'm leaving for Sochi. How about a hamburger and French fries?

Don't mention it! Sure, go ahead. Nothing special. Why? It won't happen again.

1. A.: Are you doing anything tonight?

B.: _____

2. I'm really angry about all this litter your children dropped in my garden.

B.: _____

3. Could I have a quick word with you?

B.: _____

4. Would you like me to help you with that?

B.: _____

5. Will you be able to make it to Jan's party?

B.: _____

