Unit 8.5. Vocabulary

1 Match the verbs from box A with the nouns from box B to make collocations. Then use the correct forms of the collocations to complete the sentences.

A

check	play	post	send	surf

B

comments	messages	social media
the Internet	video games	

1 While I was working on my history project, I spent hours *surfing the Internet* to search for information.

2 The actress has blocked all the users who _____ on her fanpage criticising her latest movie.

3 Did you know that a lot of young people _____ for a living, for example by testing them or streaming them online?

4 When you _____ on WhatsApp, two grey ticks mean it has been received, and two green ticks mean it has been read.

5 Each time I _____ for updates, there's new content for me to scroll through.

2 Complete the definitions with the words from the box.

abusive	addict	addicted	anger
miss out	overcome	therapy	

1 When a comment is *abusive*, it uses offensive or insulting language.

2 You feel _____ when someone has treated you badly or unfairly and you want to hurt them back or shout at them.

3 A _____ is a form of treatment for an illness or a medical condition over a long period of time.

4 When you are _____ to something, you enjoy it very much and spend as much time as you can doing it.

5 When you _____ on something, you lose an opportunity to have it or do it.

6 An _____ likes a particular activity very much and spends as much time as he/she can doing it.

7 When you _____ a problem, you succeed in dealing with it or controlling it.

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3 **Choose the correct words.**

1 You have no right to *overcome / insult* me like this!
2 I'm afraid your friend may need a *threat / therapy*.
3 Do you know any *addicts / victims* of cyberbullying?
4 Too much stress can cause *anxiety / condition* or even depression.
5 Sometimes doing sport can be *abusive / addictive*.
6 A lot of teenagers experience online *addiction / abuse* these days.

4 **Complete the sentences.**

1 After Luke joined the human rights movement, he began to receive emails with t*h* r*e* a*t* s.
2 People with depression often don't know where to s____ help.
3 I finally managed to o___r___m__ my shyness after therapy.
4 There is a growing problem of social media a__d___t___n.
5 I was diagnosed with a strange skin c___d___i__n that is difficult to cure.
6 Susan claims to be a v___t__m of online abuse.

5 **Complete the text with the correct words formed from the words in brackets.**

A friend of mine has recently started acting rather strangely. He barely goes out and spends most of his time online. He is not [1] *addicted* (addict) to video games, but he keeps visiting various websites where he posts comments, very often [2] _____ (abuse), I'm afraid. He can actually be pretty mean to me, too. He has sent me a few really [3] _____ (hurt) messages. I have no idea what has happened to him. A few weeks ago he was in a very [4] _____ (stress) situation – his parents got divorced, you know. And it seems he has accumulated a lot of [5] _____ (angry) in him since then. How can I help him?

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6 **Choose the correct translation.**

1 Is it OK to _____ (*usunąć post*) if you don't like the comments you get?

a share a post b download a post c delete a post

2 _____ (*Zaburzenia osobowości*) are a serious medical problem.

a Personality disorders b Personality conditions c Personal anxiety

3 Make sure you _____ (*aktualizujesz dane osobowe*) regularly.

a share personal information
b upload personal details
c update personal data

4 This is illegal and you should _____ (*zgłosić to*) ASAP.

a change it b report it c set it

5 The game is fun and challenging, but you can _____ (*uzależnić się*).

a get addicted b be an addict c get addictive

6 Do you ever wake up in the middle of the night to check _____ (*powiadomienia w telefonie*)?

a your phone for notifications
b your phone for news
c the news in your phone

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