TEST 7

1 Complete each sentence with one of the nouns from the box. Each word is used only once. Change the form of the noun if necessary.

training	shopping	equipment	behaviour	damage
help	idea	information	country	time

1 Parents should be responsible for the ..... of their children.
2 There's more ..... available on our website.
3 The fire caused a lot of ..... to the school buildings.
4 Helen came up with some interesting ..... for fundraising events.
5 Sports such as golf require expensive ..... .
6 Many people do all their ..... at the supermarket.
7 She thanked the volunteers for all their ..... .
8 All staff receive ..... in first aid.
9 I phoned several ..... but kept getting the answering machine.
10 Mali is one of the most sparsely populated ..... in the world.

2 Edit the essay introductions below. Each paragraph contains 8 errors – find the errors and correct them.

Researches have shown that young children finds it easier to learn languages than teenagers and adults. There is no doubt that learning new languages are more difficult once you are an adult, but they are certainly not impossible. Many people take up a new language later in life and becomes fluent speakers. But what are the best teachings methods for such adult learners?

In many western country, obesity among children are increasing. In the UK, for example, the proportion of overweight children have doubled in the past 10 years. Some people believes that children is getting fatter as a result of eating too much fast foods. Others, however, argue that it is not getting enough exercise.

New technology allow us to access news and other informations online from all over the world. This raises the question whether newspapers is necessary in the modern world or whether it will soon disappear. Despite the availability of news websites which is updated 24 hours a day, newspapers still continues to be printed and people continues to buy it.

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3 In the letter below, there are 10 verbs in bold. In each case, underline the noun which is the subject of the verb. Is the verb in the correct form? Correct any which are wrong.

Dear Mohammed,

How are you? I'm getting in touch because I'm planning to come to Egypt on holiday soon and I'd like to ask you for some advice.

I know that a lot of tourists **visits** visit Egypt every year, so I'd like to choose a time when the main tourist attractions [1]**is** least crowded. When is the best time? I also know that your country [2]**has** a hot climate. [3]**Are** the weather hot all year round?

I'd be keen to know more about Egyptian customs too. What sort of dress [4]**are** appropriate when you are out in the street? I realise that in many Muslim countries, women [5]**cover** their heads and [6]**wears** clothing which [7]**cover** their arms and legs. Are tourists expected to dress in the same way?

And what about the food? I've heard that Egyptian cooking [8]**use** a lot of spices and many dishes [9]**contains** meat. As I'm a vegetarian, do you think I will have a problem?

Sorry for all my questions. Could you recommend any websites which [10]**has** information about Egyptian culture and customs? Thanks for your help.

Best wishes,

Anna.

4 Vocabulary extension. Are these words countable or uncountable? Label them C or U. Use a good learner's dictionary to check if necessary.

computer	advice	hour	aspect	accommodation
nation	potential	job	heating	paperwork

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