

B1+Progress test Unit 5

Student name _____


Group/Class _____

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LISTENING

1 Listen to six students talking about homework. Choose the best answers.  Unit 5 Test Audio

1 Zack thinks that ...

- A his teacher should set harder maths problems.
- B sometimes ten maths problems is enough.
- C ten maths problems is often too easy.

2 Zoe ...

- A doesn't have time to play football.
- B spends a lot of time with her family.
- C sometimes has to go to bed late.

3 Ryan ...

- A doesn't have much maths and English homework.
- B thinks that homework in some subjects is more useful than others.
- C says that extra homework is always useful for the future.

4 Pippa's teachers ...

- A give different amounts of homework.
- B all give her a lot of homework.
- C always give homework on the same day.

5 Lauren sometimes ...

- A falls behind in class.
- B asks the teacher to give her more time.
- C forgets to pay attention in class.

6 Owen thinks that ...

- A teachers should decide how much homework each student needs to do.
- B if you understand everything in class, you don't need any homework.
- C teachers should use the homework system he mentions for all subjects.

Score: / 6

VOCABULARY

2 Complete the dialogue with the words in the box.

assessments coursework essays field trip term

Dave: Hi Laura! Are you happy to be back at school?

Laura: Yes and no! I'm a bit tired this week. It's not usually this busy at the beginning of
1 _____.

Dave: What do you mean?

Laura: Well, our geography teacher has already planned a 2 _____ to the countryside next week. We need to prepare for it first. Yesterday, our English teacher gave us two 3 _____ to write on Jane Austen's *Pride and Prejudice*. And, this morning, our history teacher asked us to start our 4 _____, which will take a few months to write. I don't know where to start!

Dave: Oh, I know what you mean. At least there aren't any 5 _____ until January!

Score: / 5

3 Complete the sentences using the first parts of the words in the box and the correct suffixes (-or, -ee, -er, -ist or -ian).

employ... librar... manag... psycholog... translat...

1 The _____ said it's OK to keep the book for another week.

2 Sophie is a _____. She speaks three different languages!

3 There's something wrong with the product I bought. Can I speak to the _____?

4 My older sister is a sports _____. She works with tennis players to help them focus and perform better.

5 My cousin has just started her first job at this shop. She's a new _____.

Score: / 5

4 Complete the text using the correct noun form of the words in bold.

I love my job. I'm a chemistry 1 _____ (**PROFESS**) at a large university. I've been working there for five years. I studied science at university because I wanted to be a 2 _____ (**RESEARCH**) and make some wonderful discoveries like Louis Pasteur. After I finished my degree, I got a job as a 3 _____ (**TECHNICAL**) in a medical laboratory. Then I did a teacher training course because the government was offering money for people to train to be science teachers. Being a 4 _____ (**TRAIN**) teacher wasn't easy, but in the end, I passed and got a job in a secondary school. After about six years, I moved to my present job. I'm lucky because my wife is a 5 _____ (**PSYCHOLOGY**) and she has helped me to understand how the minds of young people work so I can inspire and encourage them.

Score: / 5

GRAMMAR

5 Complete the sentences with the correct form of the word given and a verb in the box.

be climb drive get start walk

Surprising rules around the world

DID YOU KNOW ...?

Men in China 1 _____ (**can**) married until they are 22.

In Sweden, you 2 _____ (**have to**) school until you are seven.

You 3 _____ (**must**) a tree in Oshawa, Canada, because it's illegal.

In Canada, you 4 _____ (**can**) a car at the age of 14 if an adult is with you.

In European countries, you 5 _____ (**have to**) 13 before you can use Facebook®.

In Turin, Italy, you 6 _____ (**must**) your dog three times a day.

Score: / 6

6 Choose the correct alternative.

- 1 You'd better/ought revise this weekend. The exam is on Monday.
- 2 You ought/should have a good breakfast before the exam – a boiled egg and fresh orange juice.
- 3 You had better/shouldn't eat so many crisps. They aren't good for you.
- 4 You ought to/should not eat more vegetables and salad. Try to be healthy.
- 5 Should/Ought I use my calculator?

Score: / 5

7 Match the sentence halves.

If you are off sick from school,

if you don't hand in your homework on time.

If you want to be a doctor,

you have to study medicine.

If you fail any exams,

you have to catch up later on the work you miss.

You won't improve

unless you pay more attention in class.

The teacher will be angry

you resit them in the summer.

You'll like this school

unless I get up late.

I normally walk to school

if you prefer doing coursework to exams.

Score: / 7

READING

8 Read the text.

Best years of your life?

Three very different views of school life from young people around the world.

Finn, 13 years old from the US

I don't actually go to school because my dad teaches me instead. Quite a lot of parents homeschool where I live so it's pretty normal. I really like studying at home because I can get up when I want to. If I feel tired when I wake up, I can stay in bed a bit longer, and I don't have to worry about being late for class. I also like choosing what I study. I do all the important subjects, like maths, English and science, but I also study topics that I find really interesting, like the Ancient Romans.

I do most of my studying online. It works for me because I can do things in my own time. If I find something difficult, I can spend more time on it. I use YouTube™ a lot, as you can find things explained in different ways. I used to go to school when I was younger, but studying at home gives me more free time. I have my own timetable so I can do other activities I love, such as playing sports, at the time of day that is best for me.

Agnes, 15 years old from Sweden

The schools where I live are pretty relaxed. We don't have to wear a uniform, we can call teachers by their first names and there aren't many rules. We can even use our mobile phones in class. We only get around one hour of homework a week because our teachers prefer us to do all our work in class and have free time in the evenings. That means we have more time for our hobbies and families. My favourite part of the school day is lunchtime. I love the food in our canteen. There's a different dish each day: usually some sort of meat or fish with potatoes, pasta or rice and a salad bar. Best of all, I love chatting to my friends – we all get on really well.

Narki, 14 years old from Ghana

I always wake up at 4.30 am. I have to collect the water from a well about 400 metres from my house. I finish around 6.30 am and get some breakfast. Then I get changed for school. Everyone must wear a uniform at my school. For me, it's a white shirt and a green skirt. It takes around 15 to 20 minutes to walk to school. We all have to study English, maths, science and social studies, but we can choose four other subjects. Mine are economics, geography, French and Dangme – the main language in my town, Asesewa. After I get home, I always work in our soft drinks shop until my mum arrives. Then I do my school assignments and watch a bit of TV. I am always in bed by 10 pm. If I don't get enough sleep, I find it hard to pay attention in class.

9 Are the statements True (T), False (F) or is the information Not Mentioned (NM)?

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| 1 Finn has always studied at home. | T / F / NM |
| 2 He likes studying at home because he can work at his own speed. | T / F / NM |
| 3 Agnes loves spending time with her family. | T / F / NM |
| 4 There aren't many vegetarian dishes at her school. | T / F / NM |
| 5 Narki can choose half of her school subjects. | T / F / NM |
| 6 Narki speaks French and Dangme at home. | T / F / NM |

Score: / 6