

End-of-course test (Elementary, A2)

Listening

1 Recording 1 Listen to the conversation and complete the sentences with the words in the box. There are six extra words.

fish	galleries	month	north	rainy
shops	south	sunny	surfing	
swimming	vegetables	week		

- Oscar is going on holiday for a month.
- Oscar is going to visit the _____ of England.
- He is going to do a _____ course.
- Kerry went to some _____ in St Ives.
- Kerry says Oscar should eat _____ when he is in Cornwall.
- The weather in Cornwall is usually _____ in spring.

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2 Recording 2 Listen. Match speakers 1–6 with questions a–f.

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| 1 Jess <u>d</u> | 3 Marius _____ | 5 Bella _____ |
| 2 Ana _____ | 4 Reis _____ | 6 Boris _____ |

Last weekend, which person...

- did some housework?
- didn't do anything interesting?
- spent a long time looking to buy something?
- cooked for a lot of people?
- did something different from usual?
- had to change their plans?

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3 Listen to *Recording 2* again. Choose the correct alternatives.

- Jess did some shopping on Saturday / Sunday.
- Ana usually has to work / study at the weekends.
- Marius watched TV / went to work on Saturday.
- Reis didn't go shopping / cycling last weekend.
- Bella's new phone is cheaper / lighter than her old one.
- Boris stayed at home / went out at the weekend.

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Grammar

4 Choose the correct alternatives.

- 1 How *much* / *many* fruit is there in the cupboard?
- 2 Misha *likes* / *would like* to learn to play the piano next year.
- 3 Tom is tired. He *should* / *shouldn't* go to bed early.
- 4 What are you going *study* / *to study* at university?
- 5 Eating fish is *healthy* / *healthier* than eating meat.
- 6 There are a *little* / *few* eggs if you want them.
- 7 All students *should* / *have to* take exams at the end of the year.
- 8 Helen is *better* / *the best* manager in the company.
- 9 It *doesn't snow* / *isn't snowing* much here today.

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5 Complete the conversations with the words in the box.

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A: Have you been to the new cinema?

B: Yes, I ¹ have.

A: What ² _____ you do yesterday?

B: I stayed at home. I ³ _____ go out.

A: Have you ⁴ _____ eaten something unusual?

B: Yes. I ate ⁵ _____ black rice on holiday in Spain.

A: Do we need to buy ⁶ _____ milk?

B: Yes, we do. Dad ⁷ _____ been to the supermarket this week.

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6 Complete the sentences. Use the present continuous, past simple or present perfect form of the verbs in brackets.

- 1 My parents arrived (arrive) late for dinner last night.
- 2 Olivia _____ (not like) the film yesterday.
- 3 Where _____ Richard _____ (live) at the moment?
- 4 Josie _____ (never make) a chocolate cake before.
- 5 The children _____ (play) in the garden now.
- 6 _____ you _____ (ever send) a postcard to your grandparents?
- 7 We _____ (buy) a new car last week.

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7 Complete the conversation with the words in the box. There are two extra words.

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A: Hello. Is¹ that Bright's dentist?

B: Yes it is. Gina² _____.

A: Hi. Could I make an³ _____ with Mr Jones, please?

B: How⁴ _____ next Wednesday at 11.30 in the morning?

A: Sorry, I didn't⁵ _____ that.

B: Next Wednesday at 11.30 in the morning.

A: Yes, that's fine.

B: What's your name?

A: Liz Wallis.

B: Sorry, can you⁶ _____ that again.

A: Liz Wallis.

B: OK, thanks.⁷ _____ you on Wednesday 22nd at 11.30.

A: Thanks for your⁸ _____.

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Function

10 Match questions 1–7 to responses a–g.

- 1 What shall we do for Basia's birthday? c
2 Would you like to come to the cinema? ____
3 Can I book a taxi for seven o'clock, please? ____
4 I'm sorry that I'm late. ____
5 Where shall we meet? ____
6 Can I have a coffee and a piece of cake, please? ____
7 Any hot drinks with that? ____

- a Of course. What's your address?
b Sure. Take a seat and I'll bring it over.
~~c Let's go out for dinner.~~
d Can I have a tea, please?
e Sorry, I can't I've got to work.
f That's all right.
g Outside the station.

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11 Choose the correct alternatives.

A: I'd like to ¹*book* / *have* a taxi for Friday.

B: Sorry, can you say that ²*more* / *again*.

A: We're going to the theatre on Saturday. Do you want to ³*join* / *meet* us?

B: Sorry, I can't. I'm ⁴*busy* / *glad*.

A: [*on the phone*] Hello, Best Hair, Jane ⁵*talking* / *speaking*.

B: I'd like to ⁶*do* / *make* an appointment for 10 o'clock tomorrow, please.

A: You ⁷*made* / *did* a great job.

B: That's ⁸*nice* / *pleased* of you to say.

A: Your new house looks ⁹*lovely* / *really well*.

B: I'm ¹⁰*kind* / *glad* you like it.

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Speaking

Give your opinions about one of these topics:

- a film you saw
- a book you read
- a café or restaurant you go to
- a sport you do
- a video game you play.

Talk about your future plans.

Give some advice on what to pack up for a hiking trip.