

# Unit test 3

## 1 Complete each sentence using a word from the box.

as ever I in less than me more most than

This is the largest forest **in** England.

- 1 It was the first time I'd \_\_\_\_\_ been on a plane.
- 2 I thought the third film was \_\_\_\_\_ interesting than the second. They're getting worse.
- 3 Maura is the same age \_\_\_\_\_ Johanna.
- 4 The Underground in London is older \_\_\_\_\_ the New York subway.
- 5 Kate is taller than \_\_\_\_\_ am.
- 6 Which rollercoaster do you think is \_\_\_\_\_ exciting: The Twister or Black Space?
- 7 In my opinion, Thai food is the \_\_\_\_\_ delicious cuisine in the world.
- 8 Harry is definitely better than \_\_\_\_\_ at running.

**2 Complete the email with a, an, the, or – (no article).**

Dear Paula,

**We're having a wonderful time here in Rome. We**

arrived yesterday afternoon so we had time to find

(1) \_\_\_ nice little hotel and relax after (2) \_\_\_ journey.

(3) \_\_\_ hotel is very central but it's not too noisy.

**This morning we had (4) \_\_\_ quick breakfast**

(great coffee!) and then went out to explore (5) \_\_\_ city.

I think (6) \_\_\_ Italian cities are all wonderful, but I can't believe what (7) \_\_\_ fabulous city Rome is!

**Later, we're meeting Kathy's friend Pietro, who's**

(8) \_\_\_ economics student at the university here. He's

going to take us to (9) \_\_\_ best pizzeria in Rome (at least he says it is!).

We'll be back home (10) \_\_\_ next Friday. See you soon!

Julie

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**3 Match the halves to form compound nouns. Write the letter.**

seat	<u>f</u>	a rank
1 taxi	___	b crossing
2 cycle	___	c works
3 road	___	d camera
4 speed	___	e hour
5 zebra	___	<del>f</del> belt
6 rush	___	g lane

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#### 4 Write the comparative or superlative form of the adjective in brackets.

This subway is the most modern (modern) I've ever been on.

- 1 What's \_\_\_\_\_ (quick) way around London?
- 2 Are trains here \_\_\_\_\_ (expensive) as in Britain?
- 3 You look much \_\_\_\_\_ (good) with short hair!
- 4 My new office is just \_\_\_\_\_ (tiny) as my last one.
- 5 That was \_\_\_\_\_ (bad) coffee I've ever drunk!
- 6 The bus is \_\_\_\_\_ (slow) than the train.
- 7 The test is \_\_\_\_\_ (difficult) than last week. It's really hard.
- 8 Who do you think is \_\_\_\_\_ (good) dancer, Bruno Mars, Usher or Justin Timberlake?

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#### 5 Circle the correct preposition to complete the sentences.

Is there anything that you're really afraid **on** / **at** / **of**?

- 1 Watch **in** / **at** / **out** for that cyclist!
- 2 My uncle paid **from** / **for** / **by** the meal, which was very kind.
- 3 I'm fed up **from** / **by** / **with** my job. I need a change.
- 4 Annette spends a lot of money **in** / **at** / **on** online games.
- 5 Try not to laugh **with** / **at** / **to** Bill when he speaks French – his accent is terrible!
- 6 I'm very pleased **by** / **with** / **at** the new bus service.
- 7 It can take ages to get to the city centre – it depends **on** / **in** / **of** the traffic.
- 8 Cambridge is famous **for** / **from** / **with** its university.
- 9 This restaurant reminds me **on** / **out** / **of** that one in Paris.
- 10 I try not to argue **at** / **with** / **between** my sister.

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**6 Read the article. Then answer the questions.****A radical transport system**

**China's urban population is growing quickly. With** many more people also able to afford cars, China's cities now have some of the biggest traffic congestion problems in the world.

**But one Chinese engineer, Youzhou Song, has** designed an exciting solution: the straddling bus. The bus, which looks like a train, goes across and above part of the road like a moving bridge. It holds up to 1,200 passengers on the top level while cars continue to drive beneath. Although it only travels at about 40 kilometres an hour, it will never have problems with traffic jams. It is as wide as two lanes of the road, but it won't slow down the traffic.

**The bus runs on a combination of electricity and solar** power, so it also offers a much greener, cleaner and quieter form of transport. It is three times faster, and ten times cheaper to build than the same length of underground railway. Designed with a huge window in the top of the bus, it is also a lighter and more cheerful way to travel!

**If you're worried about the bus crashing into other** vehicles, don't be. A system of lights and alarms will stop this from happening. Youzhou Song has even designed escape doors which open at the side in an emergency, just like on an aeroplane.

**If tests on the new technology go well, who knows?**  
We may all be looking forward to a new era of city travel!

Name:

Class:



**Mark the sentences T (true), F (false).**

- More people in China have cars than before.   T
- 1 Two engineers have designed the bus.
- 2 The new bus will carry 40 people.
- 3 Cars and the new bus will use different levels.
- 4 It travels three times faster than the underground railway.
- 5 It will be as wide as two roads.
- 6 The new bus will not pollute the city as much as the old buses.
- 7 The new bus won't have as much light as conventional buses.
- 8 There will be an escape system similar to an aeroplane.

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**Total**  50

# Unit test 4

## 1 Circle the correct option to complete the sentences.

Good news! Ehliia **can** / **is able** to come to the party.

- 1 I **can** / **could** swim when I was five. My dad taught me.
- 2 We're very sorry but **we aren't able to** / **we haven't been able to** attend the wedding. We'll be on holiday.
- 3 Would you like **to be able to play** / **can play** a musical instrument?
- 4 I love dancing, but for some reason I **can't** / **couldn't** dance the salsa. It's too fast for me!
- 5 I've never **been able to** / **be able to** sing well, but my brother can.
- 6 I hate **not being able to** / **not been able to** say what I want in English.
- 7 Please **could you** / **you could** pick me up at the airport tonight?
- 8 They **were able to** / **are able to** explain the accident to the police. They had seen the driver using his phone.

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**2 Complete the sentences with *have to* / *don't have to*, *must* / *mustn't*, or *should* / *shouldn't*.**

- The traffic is bad. We should set off at ten o'clock.
- 1 It's a holiday today – we \_\_\_\_\_ go to work.
  - 2 You \_\_\_\_\_ eat in class, but I'll let you do it this time.
  - 3 Where \_\_\_\_\_ we stay in London? A hotel or a B&B?
  - 4 Excuse me. There's a warning sign over there. You \_\_\_\_\_ swim in this lake!
  - 5 You \_\_\_\_\_ pay to get into that museum – it's free.
  - 6 Do we \_\_\_\_\_ bring our dictionaries to the lesson?
  - 7 You really \_\_\_\_\_ talk during the lecture. It's rude.
  - 8 The teacher said we \_\_\_\_\_ study every day to do well in the test.

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**3 Complete the sentences with the correct reflexive pronoun from the box. One word is not needed.**

herself	himself	itself	myself
<del>ourselves</del>	themselves	yourself	yourselves

We made the costumes for the show ourselves.

- 1 I built the cupboard \_\_\_\_\_ by watching some videos online.
- 2 Maggie thinks her leg will heal \_\_\_\_\_, but I think she should see a doctor.
- 3 Leo learned drawing using teach \_\_\_\_\_ books.
- 4 There are no handouts. You will all have to write notes \_\_\_\_\_.
- 5 Will and Tobias fixed the washing machine \_\_\_\_\_.
- 6 Carlo taught \_\_\_\_\_ to swim.

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**4 Complete the sentences using words from the box. There are two words that you do not need.**

calls emergency face-to-face games hands-free ~~manners~~  
 mode screensaver silent switch off text videos

**Olivia, 42**

I think I have good phone manners. I always (1) \_\_\_\_\_ my phone in the cinema. I know I could use the vibrate (2) \_\_\_\_\_ instead, but I prefer to concentrate on the film. I don't look at messages while I'm talking to somebody (3) \_\_\_\_\_, and I never (4) \_\_\_\_\_ while I'm driving.

**Marcus, 22**

I mostly use my phone for messaging and (5) \_\_\_\_\_, like *Pokemon Go*. I don't make many (6) \_\_\_\_\_, except to my mum and dad, and I don't use a (7) \_\_\_\_\_ set like some of the people at my college. I think it looks embarrassing.

**Jonathon, 78**

I have to ask my grandson to help me change the ringtone or the (8) \_\_\_\_\_, but most parts of the phone are very easy to use. I love seeing (9) \_\_\_\_\_ of my family. I carry it with me most of the time, so I feel confident I can call for help in an (10) \_\_\_\_\_.

**5 Write -ed or -ing to complete the words.**

Justin is charming and funny. Everyone likes him.

- 1 It was so embarrass\_\_\_\_\_ when my mobile rang during the play.
- 2 That's the most bor\_\_\_\_\_ film I've seen. I fell asleep!
- 3 I was very frighten\_\_\_\_\_ when the door suddenly opened on its own.
- 4 Why is travelling so tir\_\_\_\_\_ when most of the time you're just sitting down?
- 5 I'm not surprised Ian's depress\_\_\_\_\_. He's lost his job, and his dog's just died.
- 6 The show was really disappoint\_\_\_\_\_. What a waste of time!
- 7 My family love birthdays and we have an excit\_\_\_\_\_ time planning parties.
- 8 It was a good exhibition, but I've never really been interest\_\_\_\_\_ in dinosaurs.
- 9 The cliffs were an amaz\_\_\_\_\_ sight
- 10 When the door opened and I saw you, I've never been so surpris\_\_\_\_\_ in my life!