WIDER WORLD

UNIT 3: Language Test

GROUP A

Name: _____
Class: _____

VOCABULARY

1 Complete the sentences using the words in the box. There are four extra words that you do not need to use.

~~elephants~~	bees	dolphin	loveable
tails	tortoise	wings	polar bear
aggressive	feathers	claw	impulsive

0 _Elephants_ are very large, grey animals with very big ears.

1 An animal that lives in very cold places, has white fur and is very dangerous is a _____.

2 We say that people or animals that are really easy to like are _____ .

3 Some people keep a _____ as a pet – it has a hard shell and lives for a long time.

4 If an animal or person likes fighting other people or animals, we say that they are _____ .

5 Birds are different to other animals because they are covered in _____.

6 We need to protect _____ because they make honey.

7 Kangaroos jump a long way and have long _____ to help them balance.

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2 Put the phrases in the box into the table below.

~~do dangerous things~~	take it to the vet's	criticise
sleep in front of the TV	belong to gangs	brush its fur
make a lot of noise	wash it	are forgetful

Typical teenagers…	Typical adults…	Typical pet owners…
0 *do dangerous things*	3	6
1	4	7
2	5	8

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GRAMMAR

3 Write questions that go with the answers. Use the same verb as in the answer.

0 When *did you start school* ?

I started school in 2004.

1 Where _____?

I visited the zoo last weekend.

2 How _____?

We travelled to the zoo on the train.

3 What _____?

We played football in the park.

4 Where _____?

She was at her best friend's house last night.

5 When _____?

I talked to Philippa and Ivan last night.

6 Who _____?

I was with my grandparents at the beach.

7 Which _____?

We watched the latest James Bond film yesterday.

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4 Complete the text using the Past Simple of the verbs in the box. You need to use positive and negative forms.

~~save~~	start	want
hurry	open	use
enter	carry	not happen

Policeman Parrot

A crime-fighting parrot **(0)** *saved* his owners' house and belongings from robbers last week. Two men **(1)**_____ Paul Lakin's house in London on Wednesday night. They **(2)**_____ to steal his TV and computer, as well as his money. They **(3)**_____ a window to get into the house but after that, things **(4)** _____ according to plan. The robbers **(5)** _____ a large bag to take Paul's things then **(6)** _____ it to the door. But just then, Paul's parrot, Pickles, **(7)** _____to make a lot of noise, waking up Paul and his neighbours. The robbers **(8)** _____ away from the house with nothing!

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ENGLISH FOR SPEAKING

5 Use the words in the box to complete the dialogue. There are three extra words that you do not need to use.

~~frightened~~	things	fault	serious	promised
apologise	understand	sorry	accident	careless
how	terrible	forgive	did	

Jim: Hi, Max, it's Jim here.

Max: Oh hi, Jim. Are you OK? You sound a bit, well, *frightened.*

Jim: No, I'm OK. I wanted to talk to you because… well… you know that computer I borrowed from you?

Max: Yes, my big brother's one. What about it?

Jim: Well, I'm really [1]_____, I don't know [2]_____ it happened. It was my little sister, you see, she played with it a lot and …

Max: Jim, you [3]_____ to look after it. Why [4]_____ I listen to you?

Jim: I feel [5]_____! It was quite a new computer too, wasn't it?

Max: Yes, it was. These [6]_____ happen, I know but how could you be so [7]_____?

Jim: It wasn't really my sister, it was all my [8]_____!

Max: Why, Jim? What really happened?

Jim: She dropped it on the floor. It was an [9]_____. She wanted to use it in her bedroom and asked me to carry it for her. I was busy and didn't want to do it. Max, I [10]_____, I really do!

Max: OK, Jim – calm down. Why didn't you tell me the truth before?

Jim: Listen, I can ask my cousin to try and fix it – she's really good at repairing electronic equipment.

Max: That would be great!

Jim: No problem. I'll ask her tonight.

Max: Thanks, Jim.

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ENGLISH FOR WRITING

6 Put *one* word into each gap in the text.

Steve Backshall **(0)** *is* a famous TV presenter and animal expert. He **(1)**_____ born in Surrey in England in 1973.
His parents **(2)**_____ for the airline British Airways, but they **(3)**_____ on a small farm.
Steve **(4)** _____ working with animals at a young age because his parents helped sick animals on their farm.
After he **(5)** _____ school, he decided to go to university. He **(6)** _____ English and Theatre Studies at the University of Exeter followed by biology at the Open University. Backshall's first job **(7)** _____ as a writer for the Rough Guide travel books about Indonesia and South East Asia.
In 2015, Backshall **(8)** _____ his girlfriend to marry him when they **(9)** _____ on holiday in Namibia in Africa.
He often **(10)** _____ articles for several British newspapers as well as presenting many popular TV shows about nature.

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