

# Units 9–16 **TEST A**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Score: \_\_\_\_\_

**A**

① Listen to the people talking. Check (✓) the correct answers. (2 POINTS)

1. Brandon \_\_\_\_\_.

- doesn't know Irina
- works with Irina
- is talking with Irina

2. Carlos \_\_\_\_\_.

- works with Brandon
- went to high school with Brandon
- wants to meet Irina

**B**

① Listen to Maria talking about her plans for the future. Check (✓) the correct answers. (2 POINTS)

1. Maria plans to \_\_\_\_\_.

- graduate soon
- borrow money
- get a job

2. She wants to \_\_\_\_\_.

- find a new roommate
- look for a larger apartment
- have her own apartment

**C**

Check (✓) the correct words to complete the sentences. (5 POINTS)

A: \_\_\_\_\_ I take your order?

(1)

- May
- Will
- Would

B: Yes. \_\_\_\_\_ have a hamburger with french fries, please.

(2)

- I'd
- I'll
- I'm

A: And what \_\_\_\_\_ you like to drink with that?

(3)

- would
- will
- can

B: \_\_\_\_\_ I have a soda with a lot of ice?

(4)

- Would
- Could
- Will

A: Sure. What size?

B: \_\_\_\_\_ like a large one, please.

(5)

- I'll
- I've
- I'd

**D**

Match the answers with the questions. (6 POINTS)

1. What time of year should I go to Miami? \_\_\_\_\_

a. You can visit the pyramids.

2. What's Dubai like? \_\_\_\_\_

b. I'm going to go to the markets.

3. What sights can I see in Egypt? \_\_\_\_\_

c. You should use the subway.

4. What are you going to do in Seoul? \_\_\_\_\_

d. You should go in the winter.

5. Have you been to Peru? \_\_\_\_\_

e. It's very busy.

6. How should I get around in New York? \_\_\_\_\_

f. Yes. I went last year.

**E**

Kiko sent this email to her friend Jennifer. Complete the sentences with words from the box. One word will not be used. (5 POINTS)

already	really	too
but	though	yet

Dear Jennifer,

Greetings from Tokyo! I've been to Japan before, \_\_\_\_\_ this trip is \_\_\_\_\_ special.  
(1) (2)

I'm meeting my husband's grandparents! I've \_\_\_\_\_ met his parents. They came to Los  
(3)

Angeles last year. The weather has been good – not \_\_\_\_\_ hot or cold. We had some rain  
(4)

yesterday, \_\_\_\_\_. See you in a week!  
(5)

Love,

Kiko

**F**

Read about the Sahara Desert. Then circle T (true) or F (false). (5 POINTS)

## The Sahara Desert

The Sahara Desert is in northern Africa. It is bordered by the Atlantic Ocean on the west and the Red Sea on the east. It is the largest hot desert in the world, but it is not the largest desert in the world. Antarctica is the world's largest desert. The Sahara is about 9,000,000 square kilometers (3,500,000 square miles). It is much larger than Australia and just a little smaller than the United States.

The Sahara is one of the driest places on earth. The average rainfall is less than 2.5 centimeters (1 inch) per year. However, some areas are even drier. The Libyan Desert is one of the six areas of the Sahara. In parts of the Libyan Desert, no rain falls for years at a time.

Most of the Sahara is flat, but there are some very high mountains in the western and central parts.

The highest mountain, Emi Koussi, is over 3,400 meters (11,000 feet) high.

1. T F The Sahara is the largest desert in the world.
2. T F The Sahara is larger than Australia.
3. T F In most areas of the Sahara, no rain falls.
4. T F The Libyan Desert is drier than other parts of the Sahara.
5. T F The highest mountains are in the eastern part of the Sahara.

**G**

Circle the incorrect word in each sentence. Then write the correct word on the blank. (5 POINTS)

1. Which country is the large: Brazil, Argentina, or Colombia? \_\_\_\_\_
2. How long is Paris from London? \_\_\_\_\_
3. I hope to visiting Italy next year. \_\_\_\_\_
4. Is Mexico most expensive than Guatemala? \_\_\_\_\_
5. Jenny is going to taking a trip to Costa Rica in the spring. \_\_\_\_\_

**H**

Read the first line of each conversation. Check (✓) the correct response. (6 POINTS)

1. A: What does your boyfriend look like?

B: \_\_\_\_\_

- He's tall and handsome.
- He's the man sitting on the couch.
- He's the one in a blue T-shirt.

2. A: I love Mexican food.

B: \_\_\_\_\_

- I don't either.
- Really? I do.
- So do I.

3. A: What can I take for a headache?

B: \_\_\_\_\_

- I'd like some pain medicine, please.
- Can I have some pain medicine?
- Why don't you take some pain medicine?

4. A: What are you doing tonight?

B: \_\_\_\_\_

- Sure. I'd love to.
- I'm going to work late.
- No, I'm not.

5. A: I'm not in the mood for a movie.

B: \_\_\_\_\_

- I'd love to.
- Neither am I.
- Great! Let's go.

6. A: Hey, you look really different!

B: \_\_\_\_\_

- Yes, I got one last week.
- I know. I got new glasses.
- I moved to a new apartment.

**I**

Complete this conversation. Use the present perfect or the simple past of the verbs given. (5 POINTS)

A: \_\_\_\_\_ you ever \_\_\_\_\_ (visit) a space center?  
(1)

B: No, I \_\_\_\_\_ (not have). What about you?  
(2)

A: I \_\_\_\_\_ (go) to the space center last summer in Texas.  
(3)

B: \_\_\_\_\_ you \_\_\_\_\_ (like) it?  
(4)

A: It was amazing. My sister \_\_\_\_\_ (take) her children to the space center many times. They love  
(5)  
to learn about space.

**J**

Check (✓) the correct word or phrase to complete each sentence. (5 POINTS)

1. Tom isn't blond. His hair is very \_\_\_\_\_.

- straight
- dark
- short

2. I went to the drugstore yesterday and bought  
a tube of \_\_\_\_\_.

- tissues
- cough drops
- toothpaste

3. Martin likes to go away on weekends. Last  
Saturday, he \_\_\_\_ his truck to the beach.

- rode
- drove
- lost

4. I'd like to see some of our friends. Let's invite

Rick and Simone over to our house and  
have a \_\_\_\_\_.

- musical
- barbecue
- film festival

5. I wanted to change how I look, so I \_\_\_\_\_.

- got a credit card
- started a new hobby
- grew a beard



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Arrange these words to make sentences. (4 POINTS)

1. to / idea / take / good / vitamins / it's / a

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2. Jim / please / ask / call / to / me

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3. Diane / for / haven't / I / years / two / seen

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4. talking / phone / the / Barbara is / woman / the / on

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