Lessons 5-8

I like Grammar B1 Test 2

NAME: **DATE:** **TOTAL SCORE:** / 50

1 Fill in with the Present Perfect Simple or Continuous. / 6

1. know	2. paint	3. not forget	4. learn	5. not write	6. hear

1. I ..... my best friend since I was five.
2. Amanda ..... her flat all weekend.
3. I hope you ..... that it's my birthday today!
4. How long ..... Katy ..... Italian?
5. Rod ..... any tests at school this year yet.
6. ..... you ever ..... a sillier story than this one?

2 Fill in with the Past Simple or Present Perfect Simple. / 6

1. Our boss ..... (arrive) late four times this week.
2. Alexander Graham Bell ..... (invent) the telephone.
3. How long ago ..... (Toby / start) school?
4. I ..... (always like) pop music. It's my favourite.
5. Kit ..... (not meet) his new teacher yet.
6. ..... you ..... (ever taste) better ice cream than this?

3 Choose and circle. / 6

1. Paul has been in / has gone to Cairo since he was 10.
2. My dad has never been in / has never been to Sweden.
3. Where's Kelly? She has gone to / has been to the shops.
4. Dan has gone to / has been in Chicago for almost a year.
5. Ian has been to / has gone to work. He'll be back at 6:00.
6. Jean has been to / has been in Oxford twice this year.

4 Fill in with the Past Simple, Past Perfect Simple or Continuous. / 6

1. Kathy ..... (wait) for half an hour when the bus finally came.
2. I was looking round the shops when I realised I ..... (not bring) my bag with me.
3. My daughter ..... (see) a film last night and then went to bed straight away.
4. By 7:00 yesterday, Elizabeth ..... (study) for 3 hours.
5. How long ago ..... (you / buy) your first mobile phone?
6. Nick ..... (never travel) abroad before he went to Berlin last year.

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5 Fill in with the correct present tenses. / 6

1. The sun _____ (shine) since 9 o'clock this morning.
2. The band _____ (appear) on stage next week.
3. We _____ (not plan) our holiday yet.
4. More and more people _____ (use) their computers to listen to music.
5. How long _____ (you / have) that car, David?
6. What time _____ (the train / leave) for Athens?

6 Fill in with the correct past tenses. / 6

1. When I finally arrived, the meeting _____ (already start).
2. While Sam _____ (sleep) last night, someone stole his car.
3. Dad was tired because he _____ (jog) for hours.
4. Laura _____ (not get) an 'A' in the test last Monday.
5. _____ (Monica / sit) there for half an hour before the doctor called her name?
6. They felt bad about selling their house because they _____ (own) it for years.

7 Underline the mistakes and write your corrections in the spaces provided. / 6

1. Jack has never been in Belgium. _____
2. Dad has to eat ice cream since he was a little boy. _____
3. Gerry has been to New York for three years. _____
4. Sharon had cleaned her room by the time 7 o'clock. _____
5. Ann has been to the supermarket. She'll be back soon. _____
6. Pete has been teaching at this university since 6 years. _____

8 Choose and circle a, b, c or d. / 8

1. Mandy isn't here now. She _____ the post office.
   a. has been to c. has gone in
   b. has been in d. has gone to
2. Phil hasn't finished his maths homework _____.
   a. yet c. since
   b. already d. just
3. My sister _____ my clothes. It drives me crazy!
   a. is always taking c. had always been taking
   b. always takes d. has always taken
4. You _____ football since 2 o'clock. It's time to stop now.
   a. were playing c. have been playing
   b. are playing d. had been playing
5. After the group _____ London, they flew to Madrid.
   a. has visited c. had been visiting
   b. had visited d. has been visiting
6. Our plane _____ at 10 o'clock. Hurry up or else we'll miss it!
   a. is taking off c. has taken off
   b. takes off d. was taking off
7. What _____ when I phoned you last night?
   a. were you doing c. have you done
   b. had you done d. have you been doing
8. _____ have your grandparents lived in this village?
   a. How long since c. How long
   b. When d. How long ago

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