

Vocabulary

1 Circle the odd one out.

0 belt	bracelet	striped
1 polite	lazy	kind
2 witness	engineer	firefighter
3 helmet	stick	ice rink
4 baggy	scarf	floral
5 drought	lizard	flood

2 Complete the sentences. Use the word endings in the box.

Becky, please don't forget to do these things!

⁰ Do the dishes when you come home.

Your dinner is in the fridge. ¹ W_____ it up in the microwave oven.

Your little brother must ² t_____ his medicine at five.

³ Re_____ for your French test! Your marks weren't good last time.

If you can, ⁴ down_____ the songs that Dad likes to his phone.

And please ⁵ ch_____ my tablet. The battery is dead.

- ake
- e
- vise
- arm
- arge
- load

3 Complete the dialogue with the words A-F in the box.

Carol: Oh, you're reading The Last Queen. Is it a good ⁰ E ?

Jo: It's OK, but it isn't great. I'm ¹ _____. I thought it was a historical novel, but it isn't.

Carol: What is it, then?

Jo: It's a ² _____, a love story.

Carol: Oh. I suppose two people ³ _____ in love. Right?

Jo: Yes. A beautiful young actor meets a film ⁴ _____, but they argue all the time. Then she does something bad, and he can't ⁵ _____ her. It's a sad story.

A director
B disappointed
C fall
D forgive
E novel
F romance

Grammar

4 Circle the correct answer.

Hi Alec,

I'm writing to you from my aunt's house in Italy!

We ⁰ **travelled** / **were travelling** here by plane last week.

We ¹ **didn't come** / **weren't coming** by car because it's a long journey.

And guess what! While we ² **waited** / **were waiting** for a taxi at the airport, we saw Jason Bird, the actor!

We ³ **are** / **have been** here for four days.

Aunt Gabriella ⁴ **hasn't taken** / **didn't take** us to Milan yet.

She ⁵ **takes** / **'s going to take** us there tomorrow. Mum wants to go shopping, but Dad and I want to go sightseeing.

Write and tell me your news.

5 Choose the correct answer A, B or C.

0 Why ____ to be home early tonight?

A I must B do I have C had I

1 When I was eleven, I ____ speak three languages.

A can B have to C could

2 I'm sure he ____ do his best in the match.

A will B going to C is

3 If I ____ the competition, I'll be unhappy.

A don't win B won't win C 'm not winning

4 We have decided ____ Spanish next term.

A learn B to learn C learning

5 Did you visit the village ____ your granny was born?

A who B which C where

6 Complete the sentences with the correct passive forms of the verbs in brackets.

0 The bowl is made (make) of Italian glass.

1 This picture _____ (paint) by Picasso in 1907.

2 _____ cocoa _____ (grow) in this country?

3 I _____ (not / allow) to stay out late. I must come home early.

4 The buildings _____ (damage) in the fire two years ago.

5 Anna _____ (not / invite) to the party last month

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Listening

7 AUDIO 11 Listen to a radio interview with Andy. Circle true (T) or false (F).

0 Andy and his dad play the violin. T / F

1 Andy thinks his dad has to practise more. T / F

2 Andy's dad was very angry when someone stole his violin. T / F

3 The violin that was stolen cost £17,500. T / F

4 The thief damaged the violin. T / F

5 Andy's mum has a silver flute. T / F

6 Andy's mum has never recorded an album. T / F

Communication

8 Match 1–8 to answers B–I.

0 A: How do I download this song?
B: First, you click on this icon. A

1 A: I'm so happy! My parents are going to let me have a pet dog.
B: _____

2 A: Can you repeat your email address, please?
B: Yes, of course. _____

3 A: Have you got any plans for the weekend?
B: We're going to London. _____

4 A: Can I ask your advice? What should I wear?
B: _____

A Then you ...
B I can't wait to see the sights.
C Lucky you!
D Why don't you put on a suit?
E It's b.andy@mail.com.

5 A: There's a folk music festival this weekend. We really should go.

B: _____

6 A: Guess what happened yesterday!

B: _____

7 A: I didn't have enough money to pay for my drink at the café.

B: _____

8 A: I'm sorry, I didn't mean to break that.

B: Don't worry. _____

F How embarrassing!

G It wasn't your fault.

H It sounds boring.

I I can't. Tell me about it!

Reading

9 Read the article and circle true (T) or false (F).

Jane Austen is one of the most famous novelists in the English language.

She was born in Hampshire, England, in 1775. She spent her early life in the village where she was born. At that time, most women got married, had children and stayed at home. Austen was different. She didn't get married – she wrote novels.

Austen also wrote about 3,000 letters. In them, she talked about her daily life and the people that she met. Unfortunately, the letters were burned by her sister when Austen died. As a result, we don't know a lot about her personal life.

Today people all over the world love her books. 318,000 copies of "Pride and Prejudice" were sold in 2007. Her stories are about relationships.

Her characters are fantastic. Some are funny; others are silly; all of them are interesting. Her women heroines are intelligent, and the stories end happily. If you get the chance, read one of her books. You will love it!

0 Jane Austen was born in 1775.

T / F

1 When she was young, she lived in a big city.

T / F

2 In the 18th and 19th century women stayed at home.

T / F

3 She started writing when she got married.

T / F

4 We can read her letters to her sister today.

T / F

5 People bought over three hundred thousand copies of "Pride and Prejudice" in 2007.

T / F

6 All of the characters in Austen's books are funny.

T / F