

UNIT 2. TEST

1 Complete the sentences with the words in the box. There are two extra words.

average	boiling	biologist	Chemistry
data	environment	recorded	warming

- 0 The average temperature in Paris in July is 24°C.
- 1 I'm not going outside today – it's _____ and I don't like hot weather.
- 2 Because of global _____, temperatures around the world are increasing.
- 3 Pam is not sure if she prefers to study Physics or _____.
- 4 Is there anything else people can do to protect the _____?
- 5 He became a marine _____ so that he could study fish.

3 Complete the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the first. Use the correct form of *used to*.

- 0 Albert Einstein had problems at school.
Albert Einstein used to have problems at school.
- 1 Where did you play with your sister when the weather was good?
Where _____ with your sister when the weather was good?
- 2 They often got lost because John wasn't good at reading maps.
They _____ lost because John wasn't good at reading maps.
- 3 I didn't watch any TV programmes when I was a child.
I _____ any TV programmes when I was a child.
- 4 My parents studied in the library when they were at the university.
My parents _____ in the library when they were at the university.
- 5 Did you go on holiday to France every year?
_____ on holiday to France every year?

2 Complete the sentences with the correct form of the verbs in brackets. Use the Past Simple or Past Continuous.

- 0 I was (be) born in 1999.
- 1 _____ (you / read) books about space exploration when you were a boy?
- 2 My grandparents _____ (not / watch) TV when aunt Helen visited them.
- 3 Last week I _____ (buy) a new mobile phone.
- 4 _____ (John / sleep) at seven o'clock yesterday?
- 5 Professor Thatcher _____ (work) at university when he had a brilliant idea.

4 Choose the correct option, A, B or C to complete the text.

At the end of 2011, six brave ⁰_____ were warmly greeted by their friends and family members ¹_____ they got home after one and a half years. Although they spent more than eighteen months on board, they never left the Earth. Actually, they were inside a capsule near Moscow, Russia. The men were part of an ²_____ to see how the human body and mind react to long periods of isolation. They ³_____ 500 days in conditions similar to those on a trip to Mars. ⁴_____ this time they played games, exercised, socialised and did tests. People at mission control ⁵_____ their behaviour, as well as the effect that low gravity and less food had on them. Scientists hope that the results of this analysis will help them find a solution to problems common for space travel.

- 0 ☒ A astronauts B spacecraft C chemicals
- 1 A until B while C when
- 2 A evidence B experiment C environment
- 3 A used to spend B have spent C spent
- 4 A By B As soon as C During
- 5 A observed B have observed C observe

5 Read the text. For questions 1-4, choose the correct answer, A, B, C or D.

The new phone

What's your shopping style? Do you research products online before carefully making the right decision? Do you rush to the shops and buy the first thing that you see? Perhaps you get your mum to do your shopping for you? I'm usually a mixture of those styles, but recently I did something I've never done before.

I was watching TV one rainy evening and, as usual, there were all those irritating advertisements in the middle of the film. This particular break was so long that I even forgot what I was watching, but perhaps that was because I was very tired after a long week at school. Anyway, I don't know what happened to me. I don't usually take any notice of the adverts, in fact I quite often turn the volume down when they're on. But this time I was surprised.

There was an advert for a smartphone and since I was actually thinking of getting one at the time, I started to pay attention. The phone seemed really great. It looked very stylish and came in a whole range of different colours. They said it was nice and light but the best thing about it was the camera. The photos they showed looked amazing.

I was a little bit nervous, but I decided to go for it and I ordered one. I must say I wasn't sure about my decision when I woke up the next day but the phone arrived that morning so it was too late to cancel the order. And I was impressed with how fast it arrived which I thought was a good sign. Unfortunately, I was wrong. I'm not at all happy with the phone. I'm sure it's faulty. For example, I texted a friend yesterday and the message went to the wrong person. That's really bad – it made me feel uncomfortable and my friend was very confused –

she didn't know what I was talking about. Another thing is, the battery doesn't last for very long. I charged it last night but it's almost dead again already. I'm sure it should last longer than that, my old one used to last for days. It's very disappointing, I hope they give me my money back.

- 1 Why did the writer forget what she was watching?
 - A There was a long break and she was tired.
 - B She wasn't enjoying the film because it was irritating.
 - C She was tired after school and was sleeping during the film.
 - D The adverts were very interesting.
- 2 What made the writer pay attention when she saw the smartphone advert?
 - A She heard the phone had a very good camera.
 - B She was already planning to get a new phone.
 - C The phone looked really great.
 - D She forgot to turn the volume down.
- 3 How did the writer feel when she woke up the day after ordering the phone?
 - A A little bit nervous
 - B Very excited
 - C Unsure she made the right decision
 - D Impressed she made such a fast decision
- 4 What does the writer plan to do with the phone?
 - A Give it back to the shop
 - B Get the battery repaired
 - C Give it to their friend
 - D Write a negative review online