

b1-v3

Student name _____

Group/Class _____

Date _____ Score _____

VOCABULARY

1 Complete the sentences with words related to city life.

- 1 I live in the _____ and can cycle to school in the centre in about 20 minutes.
- 2 We live in a _____ and have great views. But if the lift isn't working properly it's a nightmare!
- 3 The police say that there is more crime in _____ city areas than in the suburbs.
- 4 In many cities only taxis and buses can drive through the _____, to cut down on pollution.
- 5 One of the advantages of living in a _____ is that you don't hear much noise from the neighbours.

Score: / 5

2 Complete the text with these adjectives. There are two extra adjectives.

crowded dirty historic lively modern noisy quiet

My town is very old and **(1)** _____ - there are lots of buildings and monuments to look at. It has an old quarter which has lots of bars and restaurants. At the weekend the atmosphere there is always fun and **(2)** _____. I would recommend Donatello's restaurant as it has great pasta dishes. But on Friday evenings it's very popular and it gets really **(3)** _____, so sometimes it's difficult to get a table. Also it's impossible to have a conversation with your friends because it's really **(4)** _____ with all the people talking at once. The town centre is very different to the old quarter. It was built quite recently so the buildings are more **(5)** _____, and it has a great shopping centre.

Score: / 5

3 Choose the best answer (A, B or C) to complete the email.

Hi Emma,

Thanks for your email about your town. It sounds like a really nice place to live. I live in a big city built on a group of islands. It's quite industrial and we have lots of **(1)** _____, which means there is pollution. I live in the centre in a **(2)** _____, so I have lots of neighbours on both sides and the shops are nearby. Lots of my friends from school live nearby and so I've always got someone to chat to, which is great as I'm very **(3)** _____. I take the **(4)** _____ to school. I have to change once but the journey is really quick. My sister doesn't come with me. She prefers to catch the bus because she likes to look out of the window. So I think I'm quite lucky to live here. If I get bored at the weekends, I sometimes catch the **(5)** _____ across the water to the mainland and visit my cousins.

Speak to you soon,

Danny

- 1** **A** terraced houses
B cottages
C factories
- 2** **A** bungalow
B terraced house
C cottage
- 3** **A** sociable
B social
C sociability
- 4** **A** plane
B underground
C taxi
- 5** **A** train
B yacht
C ferry

Score: / 5