

**1** A man called Alan is leaving a voicemail for his friend Katya. Listen to the message and complete the sentences.

Hi Katya, it's Alan here. I'm just calling to check if <sup>1</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ to come round to our house this evening instead of tomorrow. It's just that Dianna's made <sup>2</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ dish you love so we thought you might like to join us tonight for dinner. We've got some <sup>3</sup> \_\_\_\_\_, too. What do you think? I'll pop out to the <sup>4</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ and pick up something to go with those oat crackers I've got from our holiday in Scotland. Anyway, hope to see you later. <sup>5</sup> \_\_\_\_\_, OK?

2 points for each correct answer

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**2** Complete the sentences with conjunctions from the box. Each conjunction can be used more than once.

as soon as if in case unless until when

- 1 I was embarrassed \_\_\_\_\_ I realized that I'd been getting my neighbour's name wrong!
- 2 \_\_\_\_\_ it starts to rain later, the tennis match will go ahead.
- 3 Please text me \_\_\_\_\_ your plane lands to let me know you've arrived.
- 4 My brother slept with the light on from the age of two \_\_\_\_\_ he was eight.
- 5 \_\_\_\_\_ I'm nervous about something, I always try talking to myself to calm myself down.
- 6 Just imagine – \_\_\_\_\_ you next see me, I'll have finished my exams!
- 7 Take plenty of suncream with you just \_\_\_\_\_ it gets hot this afternoon.
- 8 We won't have a chance to catch up \_\_\_\_\_ the summer holidays are over.
- 9 My meeting might finish ahead of schedule today; \_\_\_\_\_ it does, I'll be home earlier.
- 10 The bank will sell their house \_\_\_\_\_ they make the repayments they owe.

1 point for each correct answer

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**3** Read the review of a weekend course at a cookery school and choose the correct option a–c to complete the text.

As weekend courses go, you could do a lot worse than spend a couple of days at Darina's Farmhouse Cookery School in south-west Ireland. As soon as my friend and I pulled up there last month the first thing that hit us was the smell of <sup>1</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ bread – guaranteed to make anyone hungry!

We were greeted by Darina herself, and invited into the kitchen. I don't bake a lot but when I do, I don't tend to go for <sup>2</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ stuff as I prefer sweet, so I was pleased that we'd be covering this on the course. Darina's speciality is a big cherry pie. She explained to us how the sugar mixes with the cherries and goes all <sup>3</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ at the bottom of the pie dish – just delicious!

Darina started by showing us various <sup>4</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ of cooking fish. To my surprise, we'd produced a very <sup>5</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ fish pie within twenty minutes or so and by lunchtime, we'd made some delicious onion bread to go with it.

1	a	new
	b	recent
	c	fresh
	d	original
2	a	bitter
	b	salty
	c	sour
	d	savoury
3	a	sticky
	b	crisp
	c	prickly
	d	smooth
4	a	systems
	b	methods
	c	processes
	d	routines
5	a	amusing
	b	appetizing
	c	charming
	d	fascinating

2 points for each correct answer

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4 Put the words in *italics* into the correct order.

- 1 I found \_\_\_\_\_  
*old/ gorgeous/ vase/ a/ Romanian* at the market.
- 2 Karla baked \_\_\_\_\_  
*big/ apple/ delicious/ American/ a pie.*
- 3 The bride wore \_\_\_\_\_  
*dress /silk /a /white /long.*
- 4 We chose \_\_\_\_\_  
*leather /chair /the /brown /small* in the end.
- 5 Are you talking about \_\_\_\_\_  
*pretty /pale /the /short /girl ?*
- 6 The coins were in \_\_\_\_\_  
*box /dirty /a /metal /little.*
- 7 I used to have \_\_\_\_\_  
*blonde /short /hair /straight .*
- 8 Is Maria \_\_\_\_\_  
*slim /Greek /the /woman /tall ?*
- 9 The food was served on \_\_\_\_\_  
*old /cheap /plates /plastic .*
- 10 They bought \_\_\_\_\_  
*car /a /second-hand /Italian /blue.*

*I point for each correct answer*

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5 Complete the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the first sentence, using the word given. Use between two and six words.

- 1 'Do you know any hilarious jokes?' Ian asked his sister.  
**IF**  
Ian asked his sister \_\_\_\_\_.
- 2 I'm sure it was Leo in the supermarket as I recognized his laugh.  
**MUST**  
It \_\_\_\_\_ in the supermarket as I recognized his laugh.
- 3 We insisted on seeing the manager to complain about the food.  
**DEMANDED**  
We \_\_\_\_\_ the manager to complain about the food.
- 4 If I don't do well at work, I won't get a pay rise.  
**UNLESS**  
I won't get a pay rise \_\_\_\_\_ at work.
- 5 My boss didn't object to us leaving early due to the snow.  
**OBJECTION**  
Due to the snow, my boss didn't \_\_\_\_\_ us leaving early.

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*2 points for each correct answer*

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6 Choose the correct answer from the words in *italics*.

- 1 If you *look / watch* carefully at the TV, you'll notice a small crack in the screen.
- 2 Don't *feel / touch* it! You might break it.
- 3 'Sorry, could you repeat that? I didn't *listen / hear* what you said.'
- 4 The police had been *watching / seeing* the criminal gang for weeks before they arrested them.
- 5 *I felt / touched* the saucepan by accident. I had no idea it was still hot!
- 6 As soon as I *saw / looked* her face, I knew immediately that she had good news.
- 7 You really should have *heard / listened* to my advice.
- 8 The doctor said he wanted to *touch / feel* my neck to see if it was swollen.
- 9 I was delighted when *I listened / heard* that Kumiko and Hitoshi were getting married.
- 10 I've never *seen / looked* such an interesting article on this topic.

*I point for each correct answer*

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