

Review Notes for ESL Stage 6

Exercise 1 – Vocabulary in Context

Read each sentence carefully. Choose the most precise word to complete the sentence.

Circle A, B, or C.

Example:

When the ceremony ended, the crowd responded with loud _____.

A. silence B. applause C. movement

1. The guide insisted that everyone carry emergency _____ before entering the mountains.
A. supplies B. equipment C. provisions
2. You should pack a thermal _____ if you plan to stay overnight outdoors.
A. cover B. shelter C. sleeping gear
3. Without a reliable _____, navigating the forest after sunset would be dangerous.
A. direction B. compass C. signal
4. Leah has always dreamed of trying an extreme activity like cliff _____.
A. diving B. floating C. sliding
5. Wellington serves as the political _____ of New Zealand.
A. centre B. state C. nation

Exercise 2 – Extended Gap Fill (Higher-Level Reading)

Word Box

restore	diving	geography	tent	landscape
populated	fishing	largest	feeling	surfing

Complete the text using ONE word from the box for each gap.

Each word may be used once only. Some words are distractors.

A Journey Beyond the Ordinary

Do you ever (6) _____ overwhelmed by routine and long for something new? For travellers seeking challenge and discovery, New Zealand offers unforgettable experiences.

Although it is not among the (7) _____ nations in terms of size, experts in (8) _____ often describe it as one of the most diverse landscapes on Earth. Its population is relatively small, yet Auckland remains the most densely (9) _____ urban area in the country.

For those wanting to explore freely, renting a camper allows access to remote regions where travellers can pitch a (10) _____ and admire the surrounding natural (11) _____. Adventure seekers along the coast may choose to go (12) _____, while inland rivers offer excellent opportunities for (13) _____.

However, one of the most breathtaking experiences is (14) _____ among coral reefs, where marine life flourishes. Sadly, many ecosystems are under threat, and conservationists are racing to (15) _____ them before permanent damage occurs.

Exercise 3 – Grammar Accuracy (Advanced Choice)

Only ONE sentence in each group is grammatically correct.

Circle the correct answer.

16.

- a) Mountain climbing require both strength and focus.
- b) Mountain climbing requires both strength and focus.
- c) To mountain climb requires both strength and focus.

17.

- a) Brazil is one of the more populated countries worldwide.
- b) Brazil is one of the most populated countries worldwide.
- c) Brazil is the most populated of all countries worldwide.

18.

- a) Swimming in cold water can be challenging for beginners.
- b) To swimming in cold water can be challenging for beginners.
- c) Swim in cold water can be challenging for beginners.

19.

- a) She's quite skilled at managing difficult tasks.
- b) She's quite skilled managing of difficult tasks.
- c) She's quite skilled to manage difficult tasks.

20.

- a) Antarctica is the coldest continent on Earth.
- b) Antarctica is the more cold continent on Earth.
- c) Antarctica is the coldest continent than all others.

Exercise 4 – Future Forms: Meaning and Use (Conceptual)

Match 21–25 with a–e according to how each structure expresses future meaning.

Write the correct letter on the line.

- a. Predictions based on opinion or belief
- b. Timetabled or officially scheduled events
- c. Personal plans or intentions already decided
- d. Arrangements fixed with other people
- e. Making suggestions or offers

- 21. *I'll probably finish the report tonight.* _____
- 22. *What shall we do after the lesson?* _____
- 23. *The exhibition opens at 10 a.m. tomorrow.* _____
- 24. *I'm meeting the coach after school.* _____
- 25. *They're going to redesign the sports hall.* _____

Exercise 5 – Controlled Writing: Future Meaning

Write ONE clear sentence for each instruction.

Use a different future form each time.

- 26. A sentence showing a personal intention already decided:
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- 27. A sentence describing a future event fixed with another person:
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28. A sentence that offers or suggests an action:

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29. A sentence referring to an official schedule or timetable:

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30. A sentence making a prediction based on your opinion:

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