

Unit test 8A**1** Circle the correct pronoun.

- Richard's the man (that) / what / which you met six years ago.
- One day I'd like to move back to the country which / — / where I was born.
- It was the year 1969 — / what / which marked the beginning of a new era in space exploration.
- The table, which / what / when I inherited from my grandfather, is too old-fashioned for my flat really.
- We all received a bonus payment at the end of the year, when / what / which was great!
- Henry is an artist who's / whose / that's works are world-famous.
- Did you hear anything that / what / which she said?
- The person which / — / whom I feel sorry for is Yasmin.

1 point for each correct answer

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2 Complete the sentences using the information in the box and a relative pronoun if necessary. Add the correct punctuation, and make sure that the sentences are grammatically correct. There is one extra piece of information.

it was absolutely fantastic
~~I bought them from the post office this morning~~
 his parents live next door to your family
 they sell high-tech gadgets there
 she said she knows your brother
 it isn't big enough to work in comfortably
 they emigrated two years ago
 I got it from an auction
 they exhibit art from around the world there
 I thought he didn't like me

- I can't find the stamps which I bought from the post office this morning.
- My in-laws _____ are visiting from Canada this weekend.
- I can't believe it! My boss _____ is going to give me a promotion!
- Have you seen this antique vase _____?
- Sean's moving out of the office _____.
- Michelle's going to marry David _____.
- When I was in France, I tried snowboarding _____!

- Kelly and Sam visited a museum in Vienna _____.
- I met a woman at Pete's flat last night _____.

2 points for each correct answer

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3 Complete the sentences with the present or past participle of a suitable verb from the box. There are two extra verbs.

break	buy	cause	hold	decorate
direct	include	work	lose	protest
situate	sit	take		

- We watched an Oscar-winning film directed _____ by Spielberg.
- The police inspector sat in the corner _____ notes.
- We do not exchange goods _____ from other shops in the chain.
- There are people all over the city centre _____ against animal testing.
- Alyssa's world record, recently _____ by her daughter Cindy, was the longest standing in history.
- They worked hard to repair the damage _____ by last week's storm.
- The people _____ on the project collaborated very well with each other.
- Larry and Steve are the interior designers _____ our new flat.
- The whole family was invited to the barbecue, _____ the baby.
- _____ by the window, he clearly saw what happened.
- Our stunning hotel is _____ in the heart of the French Riviera.

1 point for each correct answer

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4 Write the correct form of the missing adjective. Add *-ing* or *-ed* to the verb in brackets.

- I just sat in front of the TV all evening. I'd had such an exhausting day! (exhaust)
- Liam must have felt really _____ when he fell over. (embarrass)
- Karen was a bit hurt when she heard Bill say he'd felt _____ during her presentation. (bore)
- The course was designed to be _____. (challenge)
- We were all extremely _____ when we heard about the tragic accident. (shock)
- Don't you find these long, dark winter nights _____? (depress)
- Some people find speaking in public really stressful, but I'm quite _____ about it. (relax)
- I have never been more _____ in my life than when I failed my driving test. (disappoint)
- Lara decided to change jobs because she didn't feel her old career was _____ enough for her. (challenge)
- Using unknown actors was a _____ decision, but it was ultimately successful. (surprise)

1 point for each correct answer

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5 Choose the correct word from the most suitable pair to complete each sentence. There is one extra pair.

bad / dreadful big / enormous
 interesting / fascinating funny / hilarious
 tired / exhausted nice / spectacular
 thrilled / excited valuable / priceless
 very / absolutely

- That ring she's wearing must be absolutely priceless.
- I found the talk about online learning very _____.
- That joke Dave told us in the café last night was absolutely _____!
- 'Are you excited?' 'Yes we're absolutely _____, to say the least!'
- The view from the top of the mountain is absolutely _____.
- The weather is very _____ this morning. It's quite chilly, too.
- I'm quite _____, but I'm happy to carry on if you are.
- I'd forgotten my umbrella and by the time I got home, my clothes were _____ soaking!

2 points for each correct answer

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6 Circle the correct adverb.

- Is this really / *exactly* / *completely* the best way to get to Southampton from here?
- It took us *exactly* / *completely* / *extremely* by surprise to learn we'd won the competition.
- Oh, no! I *totally* / *seriously* / *properly* forgot to ask for a receipt!
- The sales figures have been rising *extremely* / *dramatically* / *really* for the past two years.
- Zanetti was *profusely* / *exactly* / *seriously* injured before his final season for Inter.
- It's *dramatically* / *extremely* / *stupidly* unlikely that the match will be played in this weather.
- Hi, I don't think we've been *completely* / *seriously* / *properly* introduced. I'm Yuri.
- He was sweating *dramatically* / *profusely* / *really* after his intensive workout.
- I'm not sure what Daniel *extremely* / *exactly* / *properly* meant by his comments.

1 point for each correct answer

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7 Match the sentence beginnings 1–6 with the comments a–h. There is an extra comment.

- He tore his shoulder muscle, g
- Alice didn't want to walk home alone, _____
- We watched the sun set over the lake, _____
- They found themselves all alone, without money or passports, _____
- They suddenly decided to walk up a mountain in the Swiss Alps, _____
- Tom said he had never even heard of Cristiano Ronaldo, _____
- Bob and Toni didn't want to see the film again, _____

- which was an absolutely amazing sight.
- which was hard to believe.
- which wasn't very nice of you.
- which was no laughing matter.
- which was a stupid thing to do without any preparation.
- which is hardly surprising as it was so poorly acted.
- ~~which was extremely painful.~~
- which was quite understandable.

1 point for each correct answer

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- 8 Replace the underlined word(s) in each sentence with a synonym from the box. There are two words you don't need.

dismantle	moving	hectic	undetected
extended	spotted	mournful	exceptional
marvelled at	adjacent	great pains	

- Life is pretty busy for me at the moment.
hectic
- I always feel very sad when I walk here because this forest reminds me of my dad. _____
- The rare bird was seen in the trees around here last Tuesday. _____
- Everyone was amazed by the size of the tree. It was absolutely huge! _____
- The damage went unnoticed for weeks.

- Our new tent is really easy to take apart and then it fits in this little bag. _____
- Some birdwatchers go to a lot of trouble to see rare creatures. _____
- The music was incredibly touching and several members of the audience cried. _____
- This outstanding Victorian property is situated next to the village park. _____

1 point for each correct answer

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- 9 Circle the correct word or phrase to complete the exclamations.

- You're getting married? (How) / What / What a wonderful!
- You mean I have to fill in a form to request another form? What / What an / How ridiculous!
- I just saw that man drop his rubbish on the road. What / What an / How idiot!
- Look at that rainstorm. What / What a / How dreadful weather!
- Self-cleaning windows! What / What a / How brilliant idea!
- That kitchen costs £15,000! What / What a / How utterly ridiculous!
- She said I should just cheer up and carry on. What / What a / How mean thing to say!

1 point for each correct answer

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- 10 Correct the mistakes. There are two errors in each item.

- He's a vegetarian, who surprised me. I serious thought he ate meat.
- All's well what ends well. I'm really pleasing that's over.
- The only thing what I wanted to say was 'Yuck!', where was an understatement.
- Some people say her behaviour is childful, but she's a figure whose inspiring many young performers.
- 'People, who drive too fast, are dangerous.' 'Look who talking! Put your phone down!'
- Alice got the job – what the relief! She must be absolutely delighting.
- I'll cross a bridge where I come to it.
- Apparently, which they want to do is build an extreme big treehouse.

1 point for each error corrected

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TOTAL

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