VOCABULARY AND LISTENING An interview

Internet verbs

1 **Circle the correct options.**

1 Over six million people have subscribed *on* / *to* the Lego channel on YouTube.
2 If I like someone's post, I always comment *on* / *to* it and say something nice.
3 Jenna Marbles vlogs *about* / *of* make-up, her dogs and her daily life. She's got over 18 million followers.
4 Influencers say you have to work very hard to build *on* / *up* a large number of followers.
5 I tried Instagram for a while, but I take terrible photos, so I shut *up* / *down* my account.
6 The app sends you messages about new games, but you can switch *on* / *off* this option if you don't want to see them.

2 **Complete the email with the correct form of the verbs in the box.**

build up	comment on	delete	follow	post
shut down	~~subscribe~~	switch on	vlog about	

Dear subscriber,

Thank you for [1] subscribing to our YouTube channel. You can also [2] _____ us on Twitter and Instagram. Over two years we have [3] _____ over one million followers thanks to you.

On this channel we will be [4] _____ our favourite video games. If you would like to [5] _____ the videos, we'd love to hear from you, and we'd love you to [6] _____ ideas for new vlogs. If you follow us on Twitter, you can [7] _____ the option to receive new messages from us on your screen. Remember, rude posts will be [8] _____. If you continue to make rude comments, your account will be reported and it might be [9] _____.

3 **Guess which numbers in the box match the sentences.**

50 million	5 billion	over 1 billion	
over 65 million	~~2005~~		

1 The year YouTube started. 2005
2 The number of YouTube users. _____
3 The number of people making videos. _____
4 The number of videos watched every day. _____
5 The number of subscribers to PewDiePie's YouTube channel. _____

4 8.01 **Listen to an interview about the YouTube video channel. Check your answers to Exercise 3.**

5 8.01 **Listen again. Are the sentences *T* (true) or *F* (false)? Correct the false sentences**

1 Three young men started YouTube after an argument at a dinner party.
F They decided they wanted to share videos from a dinner party but found it difficult.
2 Janelle believes that young people watch YouTube more than TV.
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3 Product review videos are not that popular.
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4 People watch YouTube to find out how to do things or how good thing are.
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5 PewDiePie makes documentaries.
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