MID TERM TEST

1- COMPLETE USING PAST PERFECT CONTINUOUS AND PAST SIMPLE

1 Linda and Pete _____(know) each other for two years before they got married.
2 Kate forgot that she _____(promise) to take her brother shopping.
3 When Sue got to the station, she realized she _____(leave) her handbag at home.
4 Ben _____(drink) milk from the bottle when his mum walked into the kitchen.
5 Jenny was exhausted because she _____(clean) her house for hours.
6 Claire _____(play) the same video game for three months before she managed to complete it.

2- COMPLETE USING BE USED TO, WOULD, USED TO, AND GET USED TO

were used to	got used	would	didn't use to	used	did you use	isn't used to	was used to	getting used to

1 Grandma, when you were a small girl, _____ to send postcards to your friends?
2 I am _____ living in a big city.
3 Emma _____ enjoy mountain biking, but she really likes it now.
4 When Anna was a small girl, she _____ to hate getting up early for school.
5 When they lived in London, they _____ hearing cars and buses all through the night.
6 When Henry got home from college, he _____ play video games all evening.

3- GRAMMAR: HABITS

Complete the second sentence so that it means the same as the first sentence using the words given. Use between two and five words and do not use contractions.

1 Emily is learning to find her way around her big new school.
(is)
Emily _____ her way around her big new school.
2 It's normal for Linda to walk to school every day.
(used)
Linda _____ to school.
3 When Henry was a young boy, he went to his grandparents' every Friday.
(used)
Henry _____ to his grandparents' every Friday when he was a young boy.
4 When we visited Grandma, she always baked a cake.
(would)
Grandma _____ a cake when we visited her.
5 When you were a child, what did you watch on TV, Dad?
(use)
Dad, what _____ on TV when you were a child?

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4- COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING ACTIVITY USING THE CORRECT VOCABULARY:

1 After years of trying, Max was able to __ of becoming a famous actor.
A ☐ overcome a problem B ☐ be motivated C ☐ fulfil his dream

2 Mariam once played badminton, but she __ at it and lost every game.
A ☐ was hopeless B ☐ picked up the basics C ☐ was motivated

3 I never thought I __ of passing my driving test, but I'm so happy I did.
A ☐ inspired someone B ☐ was capable C ☐ focused my attention

4 It can be __ to your confidence when your coach tells you you're playing well.
A ☐ a gain B ☐ an experience C ☐ a boost

5 Mum wants me to stop playing video games and __ on passing my exams.
A ☐ inspire me B ☐ focus my attention C ☐ gain experience

6 Our English teacher says Dana __ the potential to become a language teacher in the future.
A ☐ has B ☐ puts C ☐ picks

Complete the sentences with one word.

1 My cousin hopes to acquire a _____ language after moving to a different country.
2 After working all her life, Gran is now enjoying her _____ and relaxing.
3 Esra is really good at _____ arithmetic and hardly ever uses a calculator.
4 Reading a variety of texts is a great way to develop an _____ vocabulary.
5 I don't think it's true that the _____ generation don't like technology; Grandad always shops online.
6 Some people in _____ age can make more sensible decisions than when they were young. _____

potential	gain	theory	fulfil	pick	attempt	overcome	master	tutorial

1 Dad was able to _____ up the basics of how to play video games.
2 Now you've finished your course, it's time to put the _____ into practice.
3 I hope to _____ some experience by doing volunteer work.
4 Ben is going to _____ his first marathon tomorrow – wish him luck!
5 My teacher helped me _____ a problem I had with giving class presentations.
6 Watch an online _____ to find out how to use your digital camera.

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5- READING: READ THE FOLLOWING TEXT AND CHOOSE THE CORRECT OPTION:

The guest on this week's programme is Mariam Tahir, a leading scientist whose research has brought to light the recent decline in insect numbers. We learn about her campaign to protect this neglected and largely unloved – but vital – group of animals. We also investigate the possible causes of the reduction in insect numbers, although no one yet knows the reason for certain. This is a must-watch programme for nature lovers.

1 The text uses the phrase *has brought to light* to mean that Mariam Tahir ___.

A ☐ has stopped the number of insects from falling
B ☐ has revealed that the number of insects has gone down
C ☐ has explained why the number of insects is lower

From: Sales Manager, Garden Plants
To: All staff
Subject: Head of online sales

I'd like to introduce Elizabeth Wood as our new head of online sales. This alternative sales route has provided good opportunities this year, and we are keen to capitalize on them. We have therefore created a new department to concentrate on online sales. We will still sell a variety of plants through all parts of our business, but garden machinery will only be sold in stores.

2 When the manager uses the phrase *capitalize on*, he means that the company will ___.

A ☐ sell plants through the online store only
B ☐ start selling plants through the online store
C ☐ try to sell more plants through the online store

I hope you can help me out, as I'm really up against it. I've got meetings all day as well as that report to finish and won't leave the office until 6 at the earliest. Could you pick the car up from the garage later – any time after 4? I need it tomorrow!
Thanks, and see you later.
Sue

3 When Sue says she is *up against it*, she means ___.

A ☐ she needs help at work
B ☐ she has a very busy day
C ☐ she will be home late

Most employers these days need a skilled and qualified workforce. There are fewer jobs now that rely only on unskilled manual labour and more that require trained staff with a good track record. Potential employees need to be able to supply evidence of their performance in a similar or related line of work, as well as of any specific expertise that the role requires.

4 Employees who have a *good track record* ___.

A ☐ can prove that they have relevant experience
B ☐ have qualifications that are suitable for the job
C ☐ are experts in certain essential skills

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6- DO THE FOLLOWING ACTIVITIES USING MODAL VERBS

A-

1 You __ be tired; you've only just got out of bed!
A ☐ couldn't B ☐ can't C ☐ mustn't

2 Priya __ come to tennis practice, but she will be a bit late.
A ☐ will be able to B ☐ ought to C ☐ is supposed to

3 You __ bring lunch because the organizers are providing it for us.
A ☐ aren't able to B ☐ couldn't C ☐ don't need to

4 I think you __ talk to your teacher about the problems you're having with maths.
A ☐ can B ☐ must C ☐ should

5 It's really cold outside; I think it __ snow tonight.
A ☐ could B ☐ must C ☐ can

6 George's wallet __ be in the kitchen because that's where he last had it.
A ☐ needs to B ☐ must C ☐ can

B-

Complete the second sentence so that it means the same as the first sentence using the words given. Use between two and five words.

1 Why didn't you phone to say you weren't coming for dinner?
(might)
You _____ to say weren't coming for dinner!

2 Filip was lucky not to burn himself and needs to be more careful in the kitchen.
(could)
Filip needs to be more careful in the kitchen as he _____ himself.

3 There was no point making something to eat because Dad had already made a snack.
(needn't)
We _____ something to eat because Dad had already made a snack.

4 I know Emma didn't take my phone because it's here in my pocket.
(can't)
Emma _____ my phone because it's here in my pocket.

5 We were meant to leave an hour ago!
(should)
We _____ an hour ago!

6 It was wrong to say that to Henry because he's very angry now.
(ought)
You _____ that to Henry because he's very angry now.

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7- CHOOSE THE CORRECT MODAL VERB TO COMPLETE THE SENTENCE

mustn't have might can't have should needn't could have didn't need
were supposed have to

1 There's a cafe so we _____ to bring sandwiches.
2 You _____ let me know you weren't going to be ready in time! Now we're late!
3 It's going to rain; we _____ have brought an umbrella with us.
4 Anjali's having problems with her laptop, so she _____ not have received the email.
5 Kate _____ seen Jack yesterday because he's in Madrid right now.
6 Are you ready? We _____ to have set off an hour ago.

8- VOCABULARY: DO THE FOLLOWING ACTIVITIES:

astonished talk over make up get on fall out offended calm down miserable
frustrated

1 I want to _____ with Ed because we aren't speaking after the fight we had.
2 The adverts on this music streaming service really _____ my nerves.
3 Emma is _____ because she can't get her phone to receive emails.
4 I was really _____ by his unpleasant remarks and left the room.
5 I find that breathing deeply helps me to _____ if I feel upset.
6 I was _____ and excited to learn that I had won the talent contest!

addiction downtime depression self-confidence burnout mindset well-being
regrets mindful

It's important to schedule some [1] _____ in which to relax because overwork or too much study can cause [2] _____. But relaxing doesn't mean just doing nothing. Regular exercise can really help you to improve your mood and fight [3] _____. It has the added benefit of building [4] _____ as your body becomes stronger. Being [5] _____ using breathing exercises can also help. You will find that these activities improve both your mental and your physical [6] _____.

physical health heart rate daily routine complicated beneficial enthusiastic
aware positive impact thrilled

Running twice a week has had a [1] _____ on my health and it's also been mentally [2] _____. I used to be a very [3] _____ runner, but when I got a full-time job, I found it harder to maintain my [4] _____ because it's difficult to fit exercise in with my [5] _____. Even though I enjoy it, starting to run again has made me [6] _____ of my limits. I can't run as far or as often as I used to.

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thought	draws	portrays	inspired	sense	attention	dimension	captures	provoked

This painting was [1] _____ by a childhood holiday the artist spent in France. The picture [2] _____ life in rural France and shows a family working on their farm. The use of black and white in the majority of the painting adds a new [3] _____ to it, while the use of colour for the sun [4] _____ our attention to the sky. The painting conveys a [5] _____ of happiness, and the artist [6] _____ the girl's smile brilliantly.

9- COMPLETE USING COMPARATIVE AND SUPERLATIVE ADJETIVES

Complete the second sentence so that it means the same as the first sentence using the words given. Use between two and five words and do not use contractions.

1 Your camera is much better than mine.
(nowhere)
My camera is _____ yours.

2 The movie is good, but I like the book a bit more.
(little)
The book is _____ the movie.

3 Polly and I both spent two hours writing our history essay.
(just)
I spent _____ Polly on my history essay.

4 Piotr bought his phone last month whereas Priya bought hers this month.
(nearly)
Piotr's phone _____ Priya's.

10- ARTICLES- FIND A MISTAKE IN EACH QUESTION

Find one mistake in each question. Write the correct sentences below.

1 It's a beautiful day, Dad. Let's go for walk in the centre of town.
_____

2 One of the biggest problems in the world is that people are cutting down Amazon rainforest.
_____

3 Esra was walking to the shops when man asked her for directions. The man looked lost.
_____

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11-COMPLETE THE FOLLOWIG SENTENCES USING QUANTIFIERS

little	several	a little	each	none of	all	both of	one of	few

1 Yasemin and Filip love swimming and _____ them are very good.
2 _____ of my friends write letters any more as they all use messenger apps to communicate.
3 Beth likes to spend _____ time checking social media in the morning.
4 I don't know what I've done wrong, but _____ my friends have replied to my messages – not one!
5 We didn't keep _____ the photos we took of our holiday; there were about a hundred!
6 My friends don't like rock music, but every _____ them likes listening to dance music.

12-COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING SENTENCES USING REPORTED STATEMENTS

1 'My computer is working today,' said George.
(working)
George said _____ day.
2 'Did you watch TV last night?' my cousins asked us.
(watched)
My cousins asked us if _____ night before.
3 'I have climbed the highest mountain in my country,' said Anjali to us.
(she)
Anjali told _____ the highest mountain in her country.
4 'Can you sing a song at the concert?' our music teacher asked me.
(whether)
Our music teacher asked me _____ a song at the concert.

13-CHOOSE THE CORRECT OPTION USING REPORTED STATEMENTS

1 Mum blamed me __ the windows open.
A ☐ to leave B ☐ that I left C ☐ for leaving

2 Tom recommended __ the new movie at the cinema.
A ☐ that we watch B ☐ to watch C ☐ us watching

3 George encouraged Linda __ her driving test again.
A ☐ that she take B ☐ to take C ☐ taking

4 Ben suggested __ a website.
A ☐ creating B ☐ to create C ☐ me to create

5 Jenny promised __ the music for the concert.
A ☐ us to organize B ☐ to organize C ☐ organizing

6 Richard insisted __ for our tickets.
A ☐ paying B ☐ to pay C ☐ on paying

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14-COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING SENTENCES USING REPORTED STATEMENTS

Complete the second sentence so that it means the same as the first sentence using the words given. Use between two and five words and do not use contractions.

1 'Shall I help you with your new computer?' said Molly to Andy.
(offered)
Molly _____ Andy with his new computer.

2 Piotr told us the service was terrible in the cafe.
(complained)
Piotr _____ in the cafe had been terrible.

3 Esra says Max spends too much time playing video games.
(criticized)
Esra _____ too much time playing video games.

4 'It would be a good idea to take an umbrella,' Mum said to Kate.
(advised)
Mum _____ an umbrella.

5 'It was me that broke the vase,' said Oscar.
(admitted)
Oscar _____ the vase.

6 'I'm really sorry I missed your barbecue last week,' said Alison.
(apologized)
Alison _____ my barbecue the previous week.

15-LISTENING ACTIVITY- LISTEN TO THE AUDIO AND COMPLETE USING ONE OR TWO WORDS

Listen to a woman talking about wearable art and complete the sentences with the words from the text. Write one or two words only.

1 Most of the art talks will be held at _____.
2 It's still possible to get tickets for the talk on _____.
3 Wearable art might be considered critical of the _____.
4 The Electric Dress was designed by a _____.
5 The cream-coloured Lobster Dress designed by Elsa Schiaparelli was made of _____.
6 Versace originally produced Warhol's art on a _____.

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