TEENS III

MID -TERM TEST

1- COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING ACTIVITIES USING SIMPLE PAST

A Grammar: Past simple

Complete the sentences with the correct form of the verb in brackets.

Hello from Barcelona! We are having an amazing time here. Yesterday, we [1] _____(walk) down La Rambla. Then we [2] _____(visit) the Gothic Quarter – the old part of town. We [3] _____(eat) lunch at a beautiful old cafe, but we [4] _____(not / sit) outside because of the weather. It [5] _____(not / be) very sunny, so we [6] _____(not / can) go to the beach, but maybe tomorrow!

B Grammar: Past simple questions

Complete the questions with the correct past simple form of the verb in brackets.

1 _____(they / enjoy) their holiday?
2 What _____(you / do) last night?
3 Who _____(forget) their ticket?
4 _____(you / can) see the mountains?
5 What _____(be) your favourite part of the trip?
6 _____(it / be) Kate's first visit to the USA?

C Grammar: Past simple questions

Complete the questions with one word.

1 '____ you visit the castle last weekend?''Yes, on Saturday.'
2 '____ did you have for lunch?''Some soup.'
3 'What ____ the weather like on Sunday?''Really warm.'
4 '____ the food good yesterday?''Yes, delicious.'
5 'Where ____ you go on holiday last year?''Costa Rica.'
6 '____ left the tickets at home?''Sally.'

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2-VOCABULARY: COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING ACTIVITIES USING ONE WORD FROM THE BOX

audio guide cave countryside equipment exhibition canoeing ruins suncream wildlife

1 Did you see the _____ of Sue's paintings?
2 We saw some amazing _____ on safari – including elephants!
3 Do we need to take any special _____ on the trip?
4 I love the city, but I enjoy walking in the _____ too.
5 Can you see the _____ of the old castle on the hill?
6 You need to use _____, or you'll get burned.

boot train convenient gate port departure luggage ferry delayed

In January, I went across the sea to Spain on a [1] _____, from a [2] _____ called Plymouth. It was [3] _____ because Plymouth is only a short drive from home. I had a lot of [4] _____ – three big bags – but it went in the [5] _____ of my dad's car. We arrived late, but the boat was [6] _____, so it wasn't a problem.

be independent take up a new hobby get a credit card get a driving licence get a job go abroad rent a flat save money pass exams

1 I had to _____ for over a year to buy my car.
2 Will you _____, like swimming?
3 David is planning to _____, to earn money.
4 Beth wants to _____ so her parents don't have to take her everywhere.
5 Dana wants to _____ with her sister because it's cheaper than living alone.
6 I'm going to _____, so I can pay for big things with it.

grew up childhood wedding anniversaries got married a teenager an only child a twin started a family relatives

My dad was [1] _____ because my grandparents didn't want to have any more children. But he didn't have a lonely [2] _____ because he had a lot of cousins and other [3] _____ to play with.

As [4] _____, my dad met my mum at school and when they were both 18, they [5] _____ and became husband and wife at a young age. They wanted to have children, so when they were 22, they [6] _____.

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3-READ THE FOLLOWING ARTICLE:

Travelling

By Henry Chambers

Imagine giving up your home and spending your life travelling. Two years ago, I did exactly that. Many people told me it was impossible. My friends certainly thought I would come back. But the moment I set off, I knew travelling was the life for me.

So why did I make the decision? I graduated from university with a degree in business studies and found my dream job at an IT company. The job was well-paid and the work was interesting. My ambition was to work hard and buy myself a luxury apartment. However, after a few months, the work started to feel boring.

I have always loved being outdoors, so I joined several clubs and tried different sports. This gave me something else to think about, but I was still unhappy at work. I considered leaving and working as a sports coach instead. One day, I noticed a van parked outside the office window. It had curtains at the windows and I could see that someone was living there. I decided to buy a similar van, leave my job, and go travelling.

How would I earn money? I thought I could find jobs in cafes and other places, and for the rest of the time, I could do things online. I spoke to my boss and she promised to give me some online work. When I was confident that I would have enough money, I began my journey.

So far, I have travelled around eight European countries. I try to spend at least two months in each place I visit, unless I feel uncomfortable. Even then, I learn about the culture and customs before I leave, and eat a plate of traditional food in at least one restaurant. I also try to learn as much of the language as I can, although I don't always achieve this.

Do I miss my old friends? Sometimes I feel lonely, but I have met so many incredible people, it's impossible to feel that way for long. Do I miss living in a house? The van is small, but that's not a

4-READING COMPREHENSION: LOOK AT THE ARTICLE AND CHOOSE THE CORRECT OPTION:

1 How did the writer feel when he started his journey?
- A ☐ He thought he would change his mind.
- B ☐ He thought he would enjoy it.
- C ☐ He thought it would be difficult.

2 How did the writer feel about his first job?
- A ☐ He liked it at first.
- B ☐ He wanted to earn more money.
- C ☐ He was never happy.

3 What did he like about the clubs he joined?
- A ☐ They helped him enjoy his job more.
- B ☐ They gave him the chance to train as a coach.
- C ☐ They helped him forget about work.

4 What plans did he make before he left?
- A ☐ He did some IT courses online.
- B ☐ He got work from his employer.
- C ☐ He found a job in a cafe.

5 What does he do in every place he visits?
- A ☐ He studies the language.
- B ☐ He stays for two months.
- C ☐ He tries a local dish.

6 What does he miss the most?
- A ☐ Having somewhere to cook
- B ☐ The size of his old house
- C ☐ His friends from home

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5-CHOOSE THE CORRECT OPTION TO MAINTAIN A CONVERSATION

1 Boy What did you think of the movie?
Girl I thought it was excellent. __
A ☐ Do you? B ☐ Did it? C ☐ How about you?

2 Girl They cancelled my flight, and I had to wait six hours for the next one.
Boy __ What did you do in the airport for six hours?
A ☐ How interesting! B ☐ How awful! C ☐ How lovely!

3 Boy I was late for my final exam.
Girl __ What happened?
A ☐ Were you? B ☐ Did you? C ☐ Have you?

4 Girl Guess what? I won the tennis competition!
Boy __ Well done!
A ☐ That's sad! B ☐ That's terrible! C ☐ That's amazing!

5 Boy I had my first driving lesson yesterday.
Girl __ How did it go?
A ☐ Wow! B ☐ Was it? C ☐ And you?

6 Girl __ have a good weekend?
Boy Yes, it was great, thanks.
A ☐ Were you B ☐ Did you C ☐ Have you

6-COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING SENTENCES USING PAST CONTINUOUS

1 What _____(you / do) when I called you yesterday morning?
2 At five o'clock yesterday, we _____(wait) at the bus stop.
3 It _____(rain) all morning last Saturday.
4 At 7.30, my brothers _____(not / have) breakfast. They were sleeping.
5 Kate wasn't at the party last night. _____(she / work)?
6 I _____(not / walk) to school at 8.30. I was already there.

7- COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING SENTENCES USING SIMPLE PAST OR PAST CONTINUOUS

1 I _____(have) a bath when you called me.
2 What _____(Ben / do) at eight o'clock last night?
3 George and Claire _____(cook) dinner for their parents last night.
4 Molly _____(not / clear) the table after dinner. Dad wasn't happy!
5 We _____(not / play) video games – we were working!
6 _____(you / finish) your homework last week?

1 I was doing my homework and my brother _____(talk) on the phone.
2 We _____(eat) breakfast and our mum was drinking coffee when the post arrived.
3 Zak ate lunch and read his book, then he _____(tidy) up his bedroom.
4 I was sleeping and my sister was studying when a bird _____(fly) through the open window.
5 We bought a new game, but we _____(not / play) it when we went home.
6 Yesterday morning, I was reading a book and my brothers _____(watch) a movie.

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8- RECOGNIZING COLLOCATIONS

clean	dry	dust	fold	clear	make	put away	wash	water

1 How often do you _____ the books on the top shelf? I can see spiders!
2 My sister doesn't _____ her clothes – they're all over the floor!
3 If you clear the table, I'll _____ the cooker.
4 We have to _____ the plants more in summer.
5 I never iron my T-shirts, but I _____ them before I put them in the cupboard.
6 Max doesn't like drying the dishes. He prefers to _____ them.

9-CHOOSE THE APPROPRIATE VERB TENSE

When I [1] __ in Singapore, my neighbour had a small garden. There [2] __ much in it, just some long grass and a tree. One day, when I [3] __ home I saw something bright lying in the garden. I [4] __ it was a child's toy, so I picked it up. But I suddenly [5] __ that it was a snake! I dropped it and it quickly disappeared. When I got inside, I [6] __ and completely white!

1	A	☐	live	B	☐	was living	C	☐ is living
2	A	☐	wasn't	B	☐	isn't	C	☐ hasn't
3	A	☐	got	B	☐	get	C	☐ was getting
4	A	☐	was thinking	B	☐	thought	C	☐ think
5	A	☐	realize	B	☐	was realizing	C	☐ realized
6	A	☐	shakes	B	☐	was shaking	C	☐ shook

10- COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING SENTENCES USING PRESENT PERFECT

1 Have you __ ridden a motorbike?
A ☐ for B ☐ ever C ☐ yet

2 I haven't had time to write my essay __.
A ☐ yet B ☐ just C ☐ already

3 We've lived on this street __ ten years.
A ☐ already B ☐ since C ☐ for

4 They're very happy. They've __ heard some good news.
A ☐ just B ☐ still C ☐ ever

5 I've known my best friend __ primary school.
A ☐ for B ☐ since C ☐ already

6 Sue isn't hungry. She has __ had lunch!
A ☐ never B ☐ yet C ☐ already

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10- COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING SENTENCES USING ONE WORD -PRESENT PERFECT

1 _____ Oscar ever decorated a cake?
2 Emily and Molly have been on the volleyball team _____ a year.
3 I've _____ been to New Zealand, but I want to go there.
4 Have you _____ applied to a university abroad?
5 Have you _____ finished your assignment? That was quick!
6 It's Dad's birthday tomorrow and we haven't bought him a card _____.

11- COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING SENTENCES USING SIMPLE PAST OR PRESENT PERFECT

1 We _____(go) to Scotland for the first time last summer.
2 I _____(never / eat) Mexican food, but I'd like to try it.
3 My parents _____(celebrate) their 25th wedding anniversary in May.
4 _____(you / ever / go) to a wedding in a different country?
5 Priya _____(not / visit) her brother since he moved to India.
6 _____(you / speak) to your new neighbours when you saw them?

12- COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING SENTENCES USING GOING TO OR WILL

Hi Zak, I've got some great news – Sam and I [1] _____(visit) you next weekend. I [2] _____(go out) for dinner to celebrate a friend's birthday on Friday night, so I think we [3] _____(leave) on Saturday morning, soon after breakfast. We [4] _____(drive). I think the journey [5] _____(take) around two hours, but I [6] _____(text) you when we leave. Can't wait to see you! Ben

13- COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING SENTENCES USING ONE WORD GOING TO OR WILL

1 Jenny is _____ to study for her exam tonight.
2 Those books look heavy. I _____ help you carry them.
3 _____ you leaving for the bus soon?
4 They're _____ to meet their friends in the park later.
5 We're leading 3–1. If they don't score, we _____ win the match!
6 I _____ coming home late because there's a basketball game after school.

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14- COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING SENTENCES USING ZERO OR FIRST CONDITIONALS

1 If there's a lot of traffic, Claire always _____(get) to school late.
2 You _____(not / have) time to go to the cinema tomorrow if you don't finish your work now.
3 If my parents _____(be) home in time, we always eat dinner with them in the evening.
4 I _____(come) to your house this evening to discuss the project, if you want.
5 I play basketball with my friends in the park at the weekend if it _____(not / rain).
6 If I _____(see) Henry, I'll tell him you're looking for him.

15- COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING SENTENCES USING SECOND CONDITIONALS

1 If they lived closer to the university, they _____(walk) to their classes.
2 If Aisha _____(learn) to drive, she could be more independent.
3 If I had more money, I _____(not / need) to get a job.
4 If you _____(not / stay) up so late, you wouldn't feel so tired all the time!
5 I _____(not / go) running unless I had comfortable trainers.
6 We wouldn't travel abroad unless we _____(can) speak the language.

16- COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING SENTENCES USING PASSIVE VOICE:

1- Carol wrote a book
2- Peter has eaten sándwiches
3- Students sing hello song
4- Scientist will discover a new medicine

17- LISTENING ACTIVITY: COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING SENTENCES USING ONE OR ROW WORDS

Listen to a student giving a presentation to his classmates about education in another country and complete the sentences with the words from the text. Write one or two words only.

1 Too much testing is _____ for people both taking and giving the tests.
2 Rests between lessons are _____ in Finland than in other places.
3 Finnish students achieve more because the _____ makes them more awake in lessons.
4 Finnish students work together and avoid _____.
5 Finnish students have _____ because the studying is done at school.
6 It's possible to do a variety of _____ as well as normal classes.

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