

QUIZ 1 - 17th CYCLE

1 Complete the sentences with the correct form of the verb in parentheses.

- 1 He _____ (not crash) the car if he hadn't been using his phone.
- 2 Celine could have finished much earlier if she _____ (take) fewer breaks.
- 3 I never would have survived if John _____ (not bring) his medical kit with him.
- 4 I wouldn't go there now if I _____ (be) you. It's the beginning of hurricane season.
- 5 If we _____ (spend) less on eating out, we might be able to rent a nicer apartment.
- 6 We _____ (not go) on the expedition if we'd known how difficult it was going to be.

2 Underline the correct verb forms.

- 1 We'd **have packed** / 'd **pack** extra clothes if we'd realized it was going to be so cold.
- 2 I **wouldn't go** / **wouldn't have gone** to his farewell party even if he'd asked me.
- 3 You'd know what to do if you **were listening** / 'd **listened** to my instructions carefully.
- 4 We'd be able to enjoy the sun today if we'd **done** / 'd **have done** this work yesterday.
- 5 You wouldn't be so hungry now if you'd **eaten** / 'd **have eaten** a good breakfast.
- 6 I'd help you find the right path if I **knew** / 'd **known** how to navigate.

3 Complete the sentences with the correct form of one of the verbs.

be	live	come	bring	stop	not start	not have	can	speak
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Example: I wish my backpack was a bit lighter!

- 1 My girlfriend has always wished she _____ another language fluently.

- 2 I wish you _____ checking your phone every two minutes – it's driving me crazy!
- 3 I'm so thirsty. If only we _____ more water with us.
- 4 I wish I _____ find clothes to fit me but I'm just so tall!
- 5 Do you ever wish we _____ in a bigger house?
- 6 My history class isn't very interesting. I wish I _____ it.
- 7 Do you ever wish you _____ to work so much?
- 8 I wish that taxi _____ soon! They said they would send one right away.

4 Complete the words in the sentences.

- 1 They must have been **d**_____ when their house was flooded a second time.
- 2 I felt **h**_____ for a month or so after I left home and started college.
- 3 I was **t**_____ to hear that Jane and Patrick are engaged. They're a great couple!
- 4 I was so **o**_____ with emotion that I burst into tears.
- 5 They were **b**_____ by their teenage son's sudden change in behavior.
- 6 Mark had been unemployed for three months and was **d**_____ to find a job.
- 7 I just can't watch horror movies. I get **s**_____ stiff!
- 8 I was very **o**_____ when the teacher said she couldn't understand my accent.

5 Underline the correct adjective.

- 1 I find driving in heavy traffic very **stressing** / **stressful**.
- 2 The instructions for this machine are a little **confused** / **confusing**. Can you help me?
- 3 The facts in that documentary are absolutely **astonished** / **astonishing**!
- 4 After going to that exhibition, I felt **inspiring** / **inspired** to paint a picture.
- 5 We were so **embarrassed** / **embarrassing** when we realized we hadn't left a tip for the waiters.
- 6 I was so **infuriating** / **infuriated** by the rude staff at the customer service desk!

6 Complete the sentences with the correct form of the word.

Example: **frustrate**

Puzzles really frustrate me – I just don't have the patience for them!

You must have felt very frustrated when they didn't believe you.

Isn't it frustrating when you can't open the plastic packaging on something?

terrify

1 Speaking in public is _____ for some people.

2 Juan looked completely _____ when you asked him to hold your baby!

3 I hope there isn't a storm tonight – the sound of thunder _____ the children.

disappoint

4 It was very _____ that he didn't come.

5 It always _____ me when people behave like that.

6 Alan will be _____ when he hears the final score of the game.

7 Match the words with the same sound.

terrify upset proud grateful astonished annoying
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Example: embarrassed terrify

1 stunned _____

2 devastated _____

3 down _____

4 disappoint _____

5 impressed _____

8 Read the article about horses and emotional intelligence. Five sentences have been removed. Which sentence (A–F) fits each blank (1–5)? There is one extra sentence that you do not need to use.

More than a feeling

Horses have a long-established historical partnership with humans. They have been essential to cultures around the world, helping us to travel and explore, form new territories and trade routes, develop agriculture and industry, fight territorial battles, and build and protect cities. The strength of this human-horse partnership over many generations is well documented. (----1----) If you have ever owned or spent time with a horse, chances are that you'll have felt a special connection with it and wondered whether the feeling was shared. It's only recently that scientists have been able to understand more about the minds of these incredible creatures and find clues as to whether horses share the connection humans feel.

A study conducted by researchers at the universities of Sussex and Portsmouth in the UK suggests that those instincts are correct – your horse feels that special connection, too. The results of the study, which were published in an article in the journal *Current Biology* in April 2018, show that horses can actually understand and remember human emotions. (----2----) It has found that horses not only recognize expressions but have the ability to remember them and connect them to a specific face. It is thought that this skill is important in that it allows them to monitor the behavior of the people around them in order to detect whether a person is a threat or not. The study is considered groundbreaking because it is the first of its kind to prove that an animal has this particular ability.

In the first part of the study, researchers showed photographs of people with either a happy or angry facial expression to domestic horses. (----3----) To make sure that the people did not behave differently, they were not told whether the horses they were going to meet had been shown images of them with a positive or negative expression. Previous research has established that when horses feel threatened, they tend to look at the threat with their left eye. This is because in horses the right hemisphere of the brain specializes in processing threat, and information from the left eye is processed in the right hemisphere. (----4----) As the researchers had predicted, when the horses

met the people who had been photographed with angry faces, their responses were dominated by the left eye. On the occasions when people who had not been photographed were introduced to the horses, there was no negative reaction. Researchers claimed they noticed clear differences in the horses' responses. This led them to think that the horses remembered the people whose expressions had been angry and therefore judged them to be potentially threatening.

What researchers found particularly remarkable was the speed with which the horses were able to recognize emotions. They were only briefly shown an image of the person with a particular emotional expression. The results also did not depend on whether they had had a positive or negative experience with this person.

(----5----) First, because it proves that horses, like humans, possess emotional intelligence, and so that connection that people often feel with horses really is shared. Second, it's an important step towards understanding these fascinating creatures in more depth, and perhaps opening up possibilities for more research into how owners can strengthen the connection with their horses and resolve any behavioral issues they may have as a team partnership.

- A During the real-life meetings, the people from the photographs sat down in front of the horses with a neutral facial expression.**
- B Although previous studies have found that horses can recognize facial expressions, this new research goes further.**
- C This research is significant for a number of reasons.**
- D Previously it was thought that horses only responded to people because they provided food.**
- E As times have changed, our use of horses has generally shifted away from work and labor to leisure and companionship.**
- F Then in the next part, they prepared the people to meet the horses face-to-face.**

WRITING

Write a blog post about the following topic:

“How can schools in Peru help the environment recycling”

Write about 140–180 words

9 Listen to five people describing their feelings in a particular situation. Choose from the list (A–F) how each speaker says they felt. Use the letters only once. There is one extra letter that you do not need to use.

A devastated

B couldn't believe my ears

C bewildered

D overwhelmed

E offended

F absolutely worn out

Speaker 1: _____

Speaker 2: _____

Speaker 3: _____

Speaker 4: _____

Speaker 5: _____

10 Listen to a man giving advice about survival skills. Underline the correct answer.

1 Jed advises people to **make a plan based on their abilities** / never go into remote area alone / take any medicines they need.

2 Jed says that people should take **an experienced friend** / camping kit / extra clothing with them.

3 Jed advises people to **drink as much water as possible** / drink less water / make the water they find safe.

4 According to Jed, **intelligence** / the way you react / fitness is as important for survival as the equipment you have.

5 Once people realize they are lost, they should **call for help** / try to find a way back / only do the things that are essential for their survival.