

KET 1, UNIT 1 TEST

Listening

1[Track 3] Listen to Katie and Martin talking about their free-time activities. Write the right answer.

1 What does Katie tell Martin about the concert?

- A She's going with some of her friends.
- B It's in a theatre in town.
- C The band are well-known.

2 What does Martin say about *The Goblins*?

- A They haven't played in concerts before.
- B He has already heard their music.
- C He's not really sure if he'll like them.

3 What does Martin say about his swimming training?

- A He never misses it.
- B He does it twice a week.
- C He goes even if he's ill.

4 When Katie finds out that Martin is in a team, she

- A is very surprised to hear it.
- B can't understand why he wants to do it.
- C thinks she could join too.

5 Martin thinks Katie should

- A do more sport.
- B go swimming with him.
- C take more exercise.

Reading

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2 Read Harry's blog. Five sentences have been removed. Choose from the sentences A–F the one which best fits each gap. There is one extra sentence which you don't need to use.

HARRY'S BLOG

Hi, I'm Harry and this is the first sentence of my first ever blog! My English teacher suggested it, and I think it's a great idea. ¹
So writing a blog might be a good way to achieve that. Right now I live with my parents and sister in a house in the centre of a town in the UK. I go to a secondary school called Westbridge College.

Westbridge College is a friendly place and there aren't too many difficult rules. I like Maths best, and I'm really keen on sport as well. I play football for the school team, which is great except for weekend matches. ² They're for resting! My best friend does basketball and I'm thinking of taking that up too, if I can find the time.

I'm into other things as well as sport. I'm learning salsa dancing, for example, which is great fun and very good exercise. I do that on Tuesday evenings. I like IT, too, and I do a lot of stuff on the Internet. ³ And they actually pay me for it! I learnt the skills I needed at school, and it's a great way to make a bit of money.

I can't imagine living far away from the town centre. On Saturdays and Sundays my friends and I quite often meet up in town and then just go round looking in shop windows. It's fun! ⁴ Of course we can't always afford to do much, so we often just go to a café and chat.

I'm 16 so I have to choose which subjects to study next year. It's a hard decision to make. I definitely want to go to university. ⁵
My ambition is to be a writer, especially a film reviewer, but I'm not sure how to get started on my career.

- A I just don't know which one offers the best courses for me.
- B I help manage an online creative writing magazine for teenagers.
- C It's sometimes tricky to find the time to do everything I want!
- D I'm really interested in improving my writing skills.
- E There are two cinemas, too, and the live music scene is also pretty good.
- F I mean, I love sport, but not on Saturday mornings!

3 Complete the sentences with adjectives. The first letter of each word is given.

0 John is very s hy – he finds it difficult to talk to strangers.

1 David is very g _____ and will always give you money if you need it.

2 My brother is so b _____. He gets annoyed for no reason at all.

3 Anita is so f _____ – she always makes us laugh with her jokes!

4 My little cousin is very s _____ – she never lets other children play with her toys.

5 I can't a _____ to buy expensive designer clothes

6 Gina is looking m _____ today. Why is she so sad?

7 Martin is very o _____. He really enjoys meeting new people and being sociable.

8 Bill is a s _____ person. He never does anything stupid.

4 Complete the sentences with the opposite of the words in the box.

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| communicative | experienced | fair | helpful | honest | like | responsible | usual |
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0 That shop assistant is very unhelpful. She doesn't know where anything is in the store!

1 I don't think Mark always tells the truth. He's a bit _____ sometimes.

2 My sister never washes the dishes, so I always have to do it. It's so _____ !

3 My brother's _____. He doesn't talk much to anyone.

4 Tim often forgets to lock the front door – he's a bit _____ .

5 My sister hasn't had her job for long. She's still _____ .

6 It's very _____ for Matt to miss a day at school. He's always here!

7 I think most students really _____ doing tests!

6 Read the answers and write the questions.

0 Hi, Linda. How are you?

I'm fine, thanks.

1 Who _____ for?

I'm looking for my sister.

2 Where _____ gone?

She has gone back home to get her bag.

3 Where _____ live?

We live in Green Road, near the library.

4 Does _____ ?

Yes, she really likes it.

5 My family's in Tenerife. Have _____ there?

No, I've never been there, but I've heard it's very nice!

8 Choose the correct options. Write it at the end of the sentence

- 0 Mrs Jones wants *talking* / *to talk* to you.
- 1 I never manage *getting* / *to get* home before five.
- 2 I don't mind *helping* / *to help* with the housework.
- 3 My mum has agreed *buying* / *to buy* me new sweatpants.
- 4 Have you considered *getting* / *to get* a part-time job?
- 5 Ursula misses *seeing* / *to see* her friends when she's away on holiday.

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

- 0 I can't stand *getting* (get) up early in the morning!
- 1 Would you like _____ (see) my holiday photos?
- 2 I need _____ (buy) a new pen. This one's broken.
- 3 I always try to avoid _____ (go) into town when it's busy.
- 4 My little sister loves _____ (play) with the doll I got her.
- 5 Shaun spent a lot of time _____ (fix) dad's car last night.