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Intermediate **TEN** Module: 3 & 4

**VOCABULARY EXAM**

**I\_ COMPLETE THE SENTENCES WITH THE WORDS IN THE BOX. THERE ARE TWO EXTRA WORDS WHICH YOU DO NOT NEED TO USE.**

congested    altitude    flexible    inevitable    simultaneously    optional  
 practical    remarkable    considerably    expensive

- The roads of the city are always \_\_\_\_\_ with traffic.
- Bridget is a \_\_\_\_\_ woman; she raised three children while completing her medical degree.
- Fireworks were let off \_\_\_\_\_ all across England on New Year's Eve.
- When young people leave home for the first time, it is \_\_\_\_\_ that they will feel a bit homesick.
- There are three compulsory and two \_\_\_\_\_ units on the course.
- The plane was flying at a very high \_\_\_\_\_.
- The company allows women with children to have \_\_\_\_\_ working hours.
- The number of unemployed people has decreased \_\_\_\_\_ in the last year.

**II\_ READ THE TEXT BELOW AND DECIDE WHICH ANSWER "A / B OR C" BEST FITS EACH GAP.**

**B. Read the text below and decide which answer a, b or c best fits each gap.**

The Airbus A380 is the largest passenger jet in the world. In fact, it is so big that many airports have to be redesigned to make sure their runways are large enough for the plane to land and (1) \_\_\_\_\_. Despite its enormous size, it is made of a (2) \_\_\_\_\_ material. This material is called carbon fibre and it helps to (3) \_\_\_\_\_ the plane's weight and make it more efficient.

The double decker plane is the height of a seven-floor building, and it has three classes of seats: economy, business, as well as twelve luxury suites. The plane manages to (4) \_\_\_\_\_ luxury with efficiency. It is powered by four engines and it is said to be (5) \_\_\_\_\_ friendly as it is fuel efficient and does not cause (6) \_\_\_\_\_ pollution. It cost billions of euros and took many years to develop, but the end result is (7) \_\_\_\_\_ impressive. Various airlines plan to use it on different (8) \_\_\_\_\_.

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| 1. a. take off        | b. guard           | c. run on       |
| 2. a. concrete        | b. external        | c. lightweight  |
| 3. a. persuade        | b. reduce          | c. affect       |
| 4. a. consume         | b. combine         | c. operate      |
| 5. a. environmentally | b. dramatically    | c. technically  |
| 6. a. onboard         | b. sound           | c. noise        |
| 7. a. definitely      | b. slightly        | c. enough       |
| 8. a. air routes      | b. ground stations | c. sky highways |

III\_ MATCH THE WORDS 1 – 6 WITH THE MEANING FROM A - F.

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| 1. install   | <input type="checkbox"/> | a. to find out the exact position of something or someone                                              |
| 2. negotiate | <input type="checkbox"/> | b. tell someone about something that is dangerous or unpleasant that could happen so they can avoid it |
| 3. impact    | <input type="checkbox"/> | c. the powerful effect that something has on someone or something                                      |
| 4. warn      | <input type="checkbox"/> | d. to come to an agreement through formal discussion                                                   |
| 5. locate    | <input type="checkbox"/> | e. to fix equipment or furniture so it can be used                                                     |
| 6. amuse     | <input type="checkbox"/> | f. to make someone want to smile or laugh                                                              |

IV\_ READ THE SENTENCES BELOW. CIRCLE THE CORRECT VERB AND COMPLETE THE GAPS WITH THE CORRECT PREPOSITION.

1. I **bumped / crashed** \_\_\_\_\_ John last night at the supermarket.
2. Hilary is not able to **suffer / cope** \_\_\_\_\_ too much pressure.
3. Parents try to **prevent / protect** their children \_\_\_\_\_ harm.
4. Angela wants to **compare / replace** her old washing machine \_\_\_\_\_ a new one.
5. The government has made it clear that it does not **guard / negotiate** \_\_\_\_\_ terrorists.
6. The designers of the vehicle were able to **combine / benefit** luxury \_\_\_\_\_ efficiency.
7. The recipe requires you to **warn / mix** the eggs \_\_\_\_\_ the flour.
8. The higher education system in the UK **differs / suffers** \_\_\_\_\_ that in the US.

V\_ COMPLETE THE SENTENCES WITH THE BOX. THERE ARE TWO EXTRA WORDS WHICH YOU DO NOT NEED TO USE.

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| inventions | reduction  | arrangements  | operation   |
| connection | protection | communication | improvement |

1. There has been a marked \_\_\_\_\_ in Darren's school marks in the last year.
2. It took John two weeks to recover from his knee \_\_\_\_\_.
3. Some people believe that there is a \_\_\_\_\_ between wealth and happiness.
4. Muriel is responsible for all the travel \_\_\_\_\_.
5. The wheel is believed to be one of the world's most important \_\_\_\_\_.
6. There has been a \_\_\_\_\_ in nursing staff in many UK hospitals.

VI\_ COMPLETE THE TEXT WITH THE WORDS IN THE BOX. THERE ARE TWO EXTRA WORDS WHICH YOU DO NOT NEED TO USE.

breakthrough    impressive    programme    experiment    information  
research    technical    world    exciting    protect

In the Pacific Ocean lies a collection of islands called Micronesia. This was the setting for a new BBC TV (1) \_\_\_\_\_ called Pacific Abyss. A team of divers, scientists, filmmakers and TV presenters took part in this (2) \_\_\_\_\_ project to film never before seen seallife. The team dived daily for five weeks and, using sophisticated (3) \_\_\_\_\_ equipment, they explored depths of up to 150 metres beneath the surface of the ocean. They gathered important scientific (4) \_\_\_\_\_ and made several (5) \_\_\_\_\_ discoveries which included twenty new species of fish. The team were especially interested in an area 60 to 150 metres below the surface named the 'twilight zone'. This is a mysterious (6) \_\_\_\_\_ where the sea looks completely black, and few professional divers have attempted to explore it. The divers had to wear something that looked like a space suit called a 'newt suit', which is a wearable submarine. This is worn to (7) \_\_\_\_\_ them from being crushed by the enormous sea pressure. This project was a major (8) \_\_\_\_\_ in deep sea filming and the BBC hope to produce another similar programme in the near future.

VII\_ COMPLETE THE TEXT WITH THE WORDS IN THE BOX. THERE ARE TWO EXTRA WORDS WHICH YOU DO NOT NEED TO USE.

mass media    focus    course planners    educators    principles  
curriculum    branch    access    current affairs    webpage development

1. The \_\_\_\_\_ are often criticised for misinforming the public.
2. I'm interested in \_\_\_\_\_, so I watch the news every evening.
3. A special \_\_\_\_\_ in the field of education that has recently become very popular is the study of Learning Disabilities.
4. \_\_\_\_\_ play a very important role in helping children learn about the world.
5. The course \_\_\_\_\_ consists of all the subjects that need to be studied at school.
6. \_\_\_\_\_ are responsible for deciding what material is going to be covered in a specific subject.
7. \_\_\_\_\_ has become an important field of study because both small and large companies wish to have their own sites on the Net to advertise their products and services.
8. If you want to make a film, you need to know the basic \_\_\_\_\_ involved.

