

Y. 8 - FINAL REVIEW

1. Circle the correct answers.

1. Nobody **interviewed** / **investigated** / **confirmed** the rumour that the actors were dating, but the story still made it into all the newspapers.
2. Nobody should ever write a story before they **publish** / **broadcast** / **confirm** the facts.
3. Our journalists are **investigating** / **gathering** / **broadcasting** an important story and we don't want any other paper to publish it before we do.
4. New stories are first **broadcast** / **investigated** / **gathered** on the internet before they are published anywhere else.
5. Every news station in the world is **reporting** / **publishing** / **interviewing** the earthquake.
6. When I did my internship at the local paper, I helped the journalists to **publish** / **gather** / **report** information that they needed to write their articles.

2. Match the words below to descriptions 1–6. There are two words that you do not need.

cartoon reality show sports coverage weather forecast soap opera
chat show news bulletin wildlife documentary

1. 'What will happen with Kath and Rob? Will she take him back? Find out in today's episode.' _____
2. 'Learn how animals use camouflage to help them survive.' _____
3. 'Join us today for a talk with doctor Phil Mathews. We'll be discussing how to help talented children reach their potential.' _____
4. 'We only have six contestants left. See what they've been up to and pick up your phones to vote for your favourite.' _____
5. 'Time for the League final with Brazil playing against Spain.' _____
6. 'Find out what's been happening around the world.' _____

3. Replace the phrases in brackets with phrasal verbs in the correct form.

1. You should _____ (dress yourself in) a coat when we go outside.

2. 'Let's go to the shopping centre and _____ (see what they have in) the shops.
3. I _____ (check that it fits) the dress in the shop, but when I got home I decided that I didn't like it.
4. I can't _____ (remove) these boots – they're too small!
5. He _____ (lifted) the shirt and looked at it for a long time.
6. The dress that I wanted to buy was _____ (no longer available for sale).

4. Put the verbs in brackets into the present perfect passive form.

1. Hamburgers _____ (eat) since the 1900s.
2. McDonald's Big Mac _____ (known) as the best-selling hamburger in the world.
3. Since the invention of the meat burger, many variations of the hamburger _____ (create), including fish burgers, chicken burgers and veggie burgers.
4. The National Hamburger Festival in Ohio _____ (celebrate) for over seven years.
5. So far, the biggest hamburger _____ (make) in California and weighs 352.5 kilograms.
6. It _____ (produce) in fourteen hours.

5. Rewrite the sentences in reported speech.

- 1 a 'I'm checking my friends' posts on Facebook,' Kevin told me.
b _____
- 2 a 'I don't have a blog or a Facebook page,' said Polly.
b _____
- 3 a 'I haven't done any online shopping yet, but I will probably do some in the future,' said Emma.
b _____
- 4 a 'I have learned how to do several things at the same time – I go online, listen to music, check my text messages all at the same time, said Tom.
b _____
- 5 a 'We didn't know anything about the dangers of the internet,' said the students.
b _____
- 6 a 'We will check what our children are doing online,' the parents told me.

b _____

6. Write a review of a film you have seen that you enjoy. Use the plan to help you.

Paragraph 1: Give some general information about the film, including the title, the cast, genre and director.

Paragraph 2: Summarize the plot of the film, where the story takes place and any other details you want to mention.

Paragraph 3: Give reasons why the film is good in your opinion. Give examples to justify your opinion.

Paragraph 4: Summarize your opinion of the film.