

Grammar**1 Complete the sentences with *a/an*, *the* or no article (-).**

1 Unfortunately, we usually only get to see my sister Pamela and her partner Stuart twice a year, as they live in Kirkwall, the capital of the Orkney Islands.

2 beautiful and romantic city of Paris, which boasts a population of over twelve million inhabitants, is situated on River Seine in France.

3 Where's cat gone? I haven't seen it for hours. Is it in garden or upstairs?

4 I'm really sorry to tell you this but Uncle Horace is in hospital for operation. We should be able to go and visit him next week.

5 Alina and Victor support charities for poor and underprivileged.

6 Christopher's been working seven days week for last six months. He's going to have heart attack if he's not careful.

7 My best friend and I decided to travel around Central America for year after we left school. It was amazing!

8 Did you know that in our solar system Mercury is closest planet to Sun?

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2 Cross out the alternative that is not possible.

1 If you ask Joanne nicely, she *might/would* 'll change her mind and accept your invitation.

2 *Unless/Providing/If* there are no delays at the airports, I should be home by 9p.m.

3 If you pay in cash, you *get/will get/would get* a five percent discount on the price of the car.

4 Imagine you *were to win/would win/won* the competition, what do you think you would do next?

5 If you tell them you work for the local radio station, you *shouldn't/will/won't* have any problems getting tickets.

6 They *won't/might not/wouldn't* catch the 8.35 train unless they leave right now.

7 If she gets lost, she *should/ll/d* stop and ask someone for directions.

8 If you go to the sales today, you *can/ll/wouldn't* get some great reductions.

9 I *might go/d go/went* to the gym every day if I had more free time.

10 *If/Suppose/As long as* he asked her out, what *would/did/should* she say?

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Vocabulary**3 Underline the correct answer, a), b) or c).**

1 I'm pleased to announce that newly introduced employee benefits have had a positive on staff morale.
a) *effect* b) *harm* c) *damage*

2 The new legislation has completely the way in which companies must secure personal data.
a) *adjusted* b) *transformed* c) *enabled*

3 Surprisingly, it only took Jack a few weeks to to his new role as area manager.
a) *enable* b) *revolutionise* c) *adjust*

4 Ian's current line of research is to determine the extent to which mobile phones the hearing of phone users.
a) *effect* b) *harm* c) *transform*

5 Clara has to her new circumstances after only a matter of months.
a) *enabled* b) *transformed* c) *adapted*

6 It's hard to comprehend why so many people seem unconcerned about how their actions do to the environment.
a) *adapt* b) *effect* c) *damage*

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4 Complete the words in the sentences.

1 The communication *b_r_e_a_k_d_o_w_n* occurred because neither side was prepared to make the first move in the negotiations.

2 According to lead economists, the *o_-_-_-_-_-* for the country's economy is looking very stable for the coming year.

3 The only real *d_-_-_-_-_-* of the proposed restructuring is that some staff will lose their jobs and have to be made redundant.

4 The recent discovery of a new medicine capable of fighting major infections has been a radical *b_-_-_-_-_-* for the team.

5 The *t_-_-_-_-_-* for keeping the business afloat during the worst of the recession was that employees would have to face a pay cut.

6 The *o_-_-_-_-_-* of the review demonstrated that company protocol had not been adhered to during the negotiations.

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5 Underline the correct alternative.

- 1 A true entrepreneur has a real gift for spotting business opportunities and can always see/advertise a gap in the market.
- 2 When a rival company raised/launched an identical product to ours, we swiftly took legal action against them.
- 3 If you reduce/increase your prices, your profit margins will rise because you'll sell more units but at a lower price – it's all a question of economies of scale.
- 4 Jeff's company folded after the first year of trading, having failed to successfully promote/break into the market as a result of a poor marketing strategy.
- 5 When a leading sports personality agreed to endorse/dominate our new energy drink, we knew we'd hit the jackpot.
- 6 At our product meeting, it was suggested that we entered/set a more realistic time period for the production of our prototype.

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6 Complete the sentences with the words in the box. There are three extra words you do not need.

combine come up with developed
brilliant go with predictable
~~reject~~ struck unrealistic

- 1 I knew my boss would reject my idea if I was the one to put it forward so I asked a colleague to propose it instead.
- 2 After much discussion, we decided to _____ Marta's proposal on how to market the new brand in Asia.
- 3 The idea of opening a themed restaurant based on Tolkien's literary creations _____ Josh in the middle of the night.
- 4 Mel's hadn't taken any of the practicalities on board when she came up the idea of climbing Everest without any support or training. It was a completely _____ idea and simply wasn't achievable.
- 5 Max's tutor was impressed with his project proposal and suggested he _____ his ideas further and created a business plan.
- 6 When told to tackle the company's high rate of staff turnover, Seb struggled to _____ a practical solution.

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