

Unit 8 Progress test

Complete these words with the missing letters.

Language at work

Choose the correct words in *italics*.

- 11 You should come along, if you have time. I don't know when the next event will be, so you *may* / *will* not have another chance to meet the CEO for a while.
- 12 Profits *will* / *might* definitely fall a little next quarter. Don't worry. They always go back up around Christmas.
- 13 Look at the awful findings on customer feedback. They're terrible. I think we *could* / *won't* lose some of our key clients based on this report.
- 14 I'm not 100% sure, but I think I *might* / *will* apply for that job in the paper.
- 15 Let me check with the warehouse, and then I promise that I *'ll* / *'m going to* call you straight back.
- 16 There's usually a shuttle bus that leaves the conference centre at 3 p.m. If it's running today, there *is going to* / *will* be one in about five minutes.
- 17 They *'re going to* / *'ll probably* sign the contract this afternoon. We've set up the meeting for 3.00 p.m.
- 18 I think I *'ll* / *could* leave early this afternoon. I've got a flight to Athens first thing tomorrow morning.

Complete these sentences with expressions from the list.

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A OK, so let's look ¹⁹ _____ this first chart. As you can see ²⁰ _____ the chart, annual income is on the increase.

B Yes, but only slightly. The forecast was for a/an ²¹ _____ return of 15%. This ²² _____ a return of only 6%. It's a bit disappointing.

A You're right. Let's look at the table which gives the ²³ _____ from the survey. As you can see, the results are divided ²⁴ _____ different areas of the country. Notice ²⁵ _____ particular the differences between the growth in the north and the south.

B Yes, the south is growing faster – that is what the blue column ²⁶ _____, isn't it?

A That's right. And this upward ²⁷ _____ seems to be continuing through the first quarter too.

B Do you think it will fall ²⁸ _____ the near future?

A I'm pretty sure this increase will continue ²⁹ _____ the next two quarters at least.

B Great news. On another point, how much do you think investment will increase ³⁰ _____ over the next few months? I heard it might be as much as 5%.

Result _____ / 30 marks