

Unit 6 progress test

Part 1

Questions 1 – 8

You will hear eight short sentences. For each one, choose the best reply.
You will hear each sentence twice.

- 1 **A** Definitely, it's much better than I expected.
 B What did you think of it?
 C How amazing!
- 2 **A** That's really nice of you!
 B Flowers are always a good idea.
 C I'm sure they'd like that.
- 3 **A** I can't believe it.
 B If I were you, I'd go there.
 C How can I help?
- 4 **A** That's brilliant!
 B I know exactly what you mean.
 C It's probably worth thinking about.
- 5 **A** It's not a good idea.
 B You're kidding!
 C What would you do?

- 6 **A** It's much better to learn Russian.
 B I don't believe it! Russian is useful.
 C That's true. German is fun.
- 7 **A** How annoying!
 B So what do you need?
 C It's a good idea to give it a try.
- 8 **A** Seriously?
 B Me too.
 C Why not?

Part 2

Questions 9 – 16

Read the sentences about different cultures.

Choose the missing word (**A**, **B**, **C** or **D**) for each space.

9 In some cultures people eat a lot of the time instead of cooking at home.

- A** up **B** out **C** in **D** around

10 It's a good idea to around the food market before deciding what to buy.

- A** look **B** show **C** get **D** stay

11 You can't just at the best restaurants in town without booking first.

- A** go back **B** turn up **C** pick up **D** find out

12 What is the best way to around your town – by bus or by bike?

- A** show **B** be **C** drive **D** get

13 To get really fish, it's usually best to arrive at the fish market very early.

- A** light **B** fresh **C** spicy **D** rich

- 14 This dish is really because it's got lots of chillies in it.
- A raw B sour C creamy D spicy
- 15 Some people consider it rude to salt and pepper without trying a dish first.
- A serve B heat C add D mix
- 16 Firstly, the potatoes in oil, then heat up the chicken.
- A fry B squeeze C fill D chop

Part 3

Questions 17 – 24

Read the sentences about different cultures. What are the missing words?
The first letter is already there. There is one space for each other letter in the word.

For questions 17 – 24, write the words.

- 17 It's easy to get most places by **p** _ _ _ _ _ **t** _ _ _ _ _ in this city.
- 18 Indoor markets here can get very hot as there isn't any **a** _ _ **c** _ _ _ _ _ .
- 19 You can't use credit cards in this restaurant but there's a **c** _ _ _ **m** _ _ _ _ _ over there.
- 20 In my city, cars don't always stop if the **t** _ _ _ _ _ **l** _ _ _ _ _ are red.
- 21 You can buy both **r** _ _ and cooked chicken from this stall.
- 22 Many people buy lunch from street markets because the food is very **t** _ _ _ _ and also cheap.
- 23 This lemon sauce is quite **s** _ _ _ , so let's put in more sugar.
- 24 To make a good curry you **m** _ _ lots of different spices together.

Part 4

Questions 25 – 32

Read the article about cycling in London.

Choose the best answer (A, B, C or D) for each space.

Cycling in London

Cycling in London is becoming more popular. It's a (25) quicker and cheaper way of getting around a large city with lots of traffic jams. The law says you (26) pay to drive into central London so many people now cycle to work instead. Many people also agree that cycling is (27) the best way to improve fitness because it's something you can do every day which doesn't cost anything.

Cycling in London is far safer than it used to be because there are more cycle lanes but cyclists still have to be very careful. You (28) wear a cycle helmet by law in the UK. Unfortunately, because accidents can still happen you really (29) wear one. If possible, you should avoid the busiest roads and go through London's parks, which are much (30), even if this takes a (31) longer. Before you start cycling in London, you should make sure you understand all the road signs. There are also lots of rules; for example, you (32) cycle on pavements or go through red lights.

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| 25 | A more | B much | C many | D most |
| 26 | A should | B ought to | C have to | D can |
| 27 | A more | B as | C by far | D a bit |
| 28 | A mustn't | B shouldn't | C can't | D don't have to |
| 29 | A have to | B can't | C ought to | D haven't got to |
| 30 | A quiet | B quieter | C quietest | D as quiet as |
| 31 | A bit | B much | C far | D more |
| 32 | A couldn't | B don't have to | C haven't got to | D can't |

Part 5

Questions 33 – 40

Here are some sentences about different cultures.

For each question, complete the second sentence so that it means the same as the first.

Use no more than three words.

- 33 The weather in Norway is far colder than the weather in France.

The weather in France is much than the weather in Norway.

- 34 Some people are good at adapting to new cultures and others are not.

Some people others at adapting to new cultures.

- 35 People here drive much more slowly than I expected.

People here don't drive nearly I expected.

- 36 I didn't expect the culture shock to be so bad.

The culture shock was I expected.

- 37 You can't travel to most other countries without a passport.

You to have a passport to travel to most other countries.

38 Tourists are not allowed to work in many countries.

Tourists **work in many countries.**

39 It's a good idea to learn the language of the country.

You **learn the language of the country.**

40 In the past, in many countries women weren't allowed to drive.

in the past, in many countries, women **drive.**

Unit 7 Progress Test

Part 1

Questions 1 – 8

You will hear eight short sentences. For each one, choose the best reply.
You will hear each sentence twice.

- 1 **A** OK, thanks.
 B Sure.
 C That's right.

- 2 **A** Can I move in?
 B OK, that would be lovely.
 C You must be nervous.

- 3 **A** I don't believe it.
 B That's right.
 C Not at all.

- 4 **A** Not really, to be honest.
 B I'm really glad to hear that.
 C Is there something I can do?

- 5 **A** That's right.
 B I'll give it a try.
 C That must be exciting.