

**Check all your answers before you submit your test!**

## 1. Listening.

**The listening file is attached to *ekool*. Listen to it at least twice.**

**You'll hear an interview with a girl called Anni who is part of a Bollywood dance troupe. Listen and for sentences 1-6 tick (✓) T (true) or F (false).**

- 1 Bollywood makes a large number of films per year.
- 2 Anni's classes are mostly for teenagers.
- 3 All of the students get the chance to perform in a Hollywood film.
- 4 Anni mentions the importance of promoting Indian culture in the UK.
- 5 People have to phone the dance school to find out information.
- 6 The school only teaches Bollywood dancing.

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## 2. Choose the correct word.

- 1 Although Alice and Cathy are best friends now, their relationship started with a(n) **argument/ criticism** about pop music.
- 2 The website is popular because it has a **neat/slow** design and is easy to use.
- 3 All the Physics teachers at the college share a **commitment/science** to making the subject more interesting for students.
- 4 To find out about ghost walks in York, simply type the search **term/page** 'ghost walks, York, UK' into Google and press Enter on the keyboard.
- 5 We couldn't have started our online business without using money from family and friends to **support/calculate** ourselves.
- 6 I need to come up with a **catchy/speedy** name for my blog, so that people will want to read it.
- 7 Due to the increased use of emails and text messages, the popularity of letters is **expanding/fading**.
- 8 The Chinese opera features elaborate costumes and **striking/wild** design.

- 9 The theatre company have set up **fiery/temporary** stages in the park – they will be removed at the end of the show.
- 10 The actors wore white masks painted with **bright/sharp** colours.
- 11 The musician has a(n) **original/hard** style – there is no one else who plays the violin quite like he does.
- 12 I was impressed by the **breath-taking/incredible** make-up the actors wore.
- 13 The old mansion is a **spooky/historic** place – I think it's haunted by ghosts!
- 14 The **old/ancient** city walls are nearly 2,000 years old.
- 15 The most famous place in York is the **fascinating/medieval** cathedral, which is one of the largest in Europe.
- 16 Be careful when you walk on the **ghostly/cobbled** streets of the city – the ground is uneven and it's easy to trip.
- 17 I only started using Twitter today. I am just **creating/basing** my profile now.
- 18 I can't believe you don't use email! I'll help you to **add/set up** an account – it's easy and it's free.
- 19 Robin **shared/personalised** his profile by adding photographs.
- 20 If you don't have many people in your social network, you can always **browse/invite** for new contacts.
- 21 You can **search/sign up** for friends on Facebook by name, school or place of work.
- 22 Louise uses MySpace to **interact/upload** with her friends in Australia and the USA.
- 23 Mark **involved/expanded** his online community by inviting people from his workplace to join his network.
- 24 The company created their own social network to **promote/allow** their brand of clothing.

### 3. Write the letter of the correct answer.

- 1 The word Google was inspired ..... the mathematical term 'googol' which means '1 followed by a hundred zeros'.

- A** with **B** by **C** from **D** through
- 2 ..... the entrance of the museum there is a wax model of Madame Tussaud herself.
- A** At **B** From **C** In **D** To
- 3 Sarah fell in love ..... Tom the minute she met him.
- A** to **B** with **C** by **D** for
- 4 Her novel was based ..... a true story.
- A** in **B** at **C** with **D** on
- 5 The haunted city of York is ..... my list of places to visit.
- A** at **B** in **C** on **D** from
- 6 The cathedral is very popular ..... tourists.
- A** with **B** for **C** from **D** to
- 7 Different social networking sites allow people to interact ..... different ways.
- A** by **B** with **C** for **D** in
- 8 The audience clapped when the actors appeared ..... stage.
- A** to **B** on **C** in **D** off

#### 4. Put the verbs in brackets into the *past simple* or the *past continuous*.

Last year, Hannah and Michelle 1) ..... (move) to a large, old house in the country. The day they 2) ..... (arrive), it 3) ..... (rain) and the wind 4) ..... (blow). Their parents 5) ..... (take) the car and 6) ..... (drive) to a nearby shop to buy food and the girls 7) ..... (stay) behind to explore their new home.

They 8) ..... (wander) around the corridors upstairs when they suddenly 9) ..... (hear) a strange noise coming from one of the rooms. It 10) ..... (sound) like somebody - or something - was inside! They 11) ..... (feel) terrified, but they 12) ..... (not/run) away.

#### 5. Put the verbs in brackets into the *past perfect* or the *past perfect continuous*.

- Peter was Sally's best friend. She.....(know) him all her life.
- The children were wet because they.....(play) football in the rain.
- We were very hungry because we.....(not / eat).
- I was delighted when I found my keys. I.....(look) for them for hours.



5. She was exhausted because she.....(work) since eight o'clock that morning.
6. Everything was white because it.....(snow).
7. The passengers were cross because the airline .....(lose) everyone's bags.
8. I .....(not / see) Jacob for several years, but I recognised him immediately.

## 6. Fill in the correct word derived from the word in brackets.

- 1 The Tower of London is a popular tourist ..... (ATTRACT)
- 2 The rate of ..... is quite high because many people have lost their jobs. (EMPLOY)
- 3 The committee ordered the ..... of the statue from the central square. (REMOVE)
- 4 I saw a wonderful .....at the theatre last night. (PERFORM)
- 5 His ..... to the teacher's comment was outrageous. (REACT)

## 7. Read the text below and mark the sentences below T (true), F (false) or DS (doesn't say).

- 1 Daniel's dad saw the leaflet for the ghost bus tour in the bus station .....
- 2 From the outside, the bus looked like a normal London bus. ....
- 3 Daniel didn't really like the way the conductor started the tour. ....
- 4 The passengers got off the bus at some of the tourist attractions. ....
- 5 Daniel found all of the conductor's stories scary. ....
- 6 He thinks the tour is more enjoyable for children than for adults. ....

## *My Ride to the Dark Side: the Ghost Bus*

Daniel Griffin, age 16

On a trip to London a few weeks ago, it was raining heavily one evening when my dad spotted a leaflet advertising a ghost bus tour of the city. We had been walking all day and it sounded like a fun and relaxing way to go sightseeing, so we decided to go on the tour.

Well, we didn't regret our decision. From the moment we stepped onto the 'fright bus', we had such a great time! It was a converted London double decker bus that was painted black instead of red. Inside, it looked like an old railway carriage with comfortable seats, lamps and curtains. A creepy conductor welcomed us on board.

The tour wasn't at all what we had expected. From beginning to end, it was more like a theatre performance than a bus tour. I felt a bit nervous at first but I was soon giggling along with everyone else after the conductor's introduction. He told us: "Expect to hear stories about murders, deaths, ghosts and ghouls but ... most terrifying are the comedy moments!" Along the route, he told us the history of haunted London landmarks such as theatres, underground stations and tourist attractions including Tower Bridge. Some of the stories sent a shiver down my spine, like the one about the demon barber (a mens' hairdresser) of Fleet Street. Mostly though it was just funny because the conductor was a great actor and added his own amusing twists to the stories! There was even CCTV showing rats running around the passengers' feet and spooky music to go with the scary tales.

This was a very funny and original way to see London – my dad and I are still laughing about it! This tour is suitable for people of any age and I highly recommend it.

\*\*\* Name four different book types. Which of these named is your favourite one and why?

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