

Unit 4: FOR A BETTER COMMUNITY

Looking back and Project

Pronunciation

Listen and choose the correct answer that mark the stressed syllables in the words in bold.

Then practice saying the sentences.

1. We hope that the number of volunteers will **increase** this year.

A. 'increase B. in'crease

2. When will you **present** your report about the volunteer project?

A. pre'sent B. 'present

3. I always keep a **record** of visitors' donations.

A. 'record B. re'cord

4. We still **import** too many products that can be made in our country.

A. 'import B. im'port



Vocabulary

Choose the best answer to fill in the gaps with the correct forms of the words in brackets.

- There are (**end**) _____ opportunities for teenagers to volunteer these days.
- We were very (**excite**) _____ to help children organise afterschool activities.
- The local people were really (**help**) _____. They supported us all the time we stayed there.
- We need more (**volunteer**) _____ for our community projects.
- Our charity groups received generous (**donate**) _____ from the local people.

Fill in the gap with a suitable word given in the box.

poor

neighbourhood

local

charity

essential

opportunities

experience

organize

activities

community

- There are many for the children to get involved in this community project.
- The government has tried to help businesses to export their products to Europe.
- Our group some after-school activities to help poor children in the village.

4. Jack was watching a news program about the.....conditions of a local school in the mountainous areas.
5. There are some for volunteers such as reading books to the elderly people, teaching children Vietnamese.
6. Nowadays more and more teenagers and young people are getting involved inactivities.
7. They set up a volunteer club at their school and developed plans to help people in their
8. Doing community work can help improve..... life skills for secondary students.
9. Peter is a very generous man because he is willing to give a lot of money to
10. The club was set up five years ago to help teenagers gain some work

Grammar

Choose the letter A, B, C on your answer sheet to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions.

1. Some boys _____to music while others_____hide and seeking.
 A. were listening- were playing B. were listening- played
 C. listened- were playing D. listened- played
2. I first met Lan while we _____as volunteers.
 A. are working B. were working
 C. was working D. worked
3. While we _____home, we _____a girl crying near a bus stop.
 A. walks/ see B. walked- were seeing
 C. were walking- saw. D. were walking- were seeing
4. Kim _____the poverty of the area while she _____free meals to old people.
 A. noticed- was delivering B. noticed- delivering
 C. was noticing- deliver D. was noticing- was delivering
5. When I _____at the community centre, a guest speaker _____a speech.
 A. was arriving- gave B. arrived- were giving
 C. arrived/ was giving D. was arriving- was giving

Complete the sentences . Use the words in brackets + -ing or -ed.

1. I find horror films really _____ and not at all fun to watch. (**frighten**)
2. Sometimes I get really _____ when I can't express myself well in English.
(**frustrate**)
3. The film was so _____! There was no happy ending for any of the characters.
(**depress**)
4. If I feel _____, I find watching a romance comedy is often _____. (**stress – relax**)
5. The news made them _____ (**shock**)
6. Kathy was so _____ when she saw the dinosaur bones at the museum (**amaze**)
7. The teacher was really _____ so the lesson passed quickly (**amuse**)
8. Whenever Adrian gets _____, he goes fishing (**bore**)
9. We all were _____ with the results of the test. (**disappoint**)
10. Of course, action movies are _____. That's why I like them (**excite**)
11. I think Alex is one of the most _____ people I've ever met. He can't keep still for a second. (**annoy**)
12. The statistics on road accidents are quite _____. I'm sure many people are _____ at the enormity of the problem. (**shock**)
13. Last year, I had a really _____ experience. (**terrify**)
14. The climb up the mountain was so _____ that many of the students, who were feeling _____ by then, asked if they could stop and rest. (**tire**)
15. Letting children stay out late is a _____ problem. By midnight, many parents already feel a little _____. (**worry**)

