

# PROGRESS TEST

## MODULE 10 (+ extra)

Ex.1 Match the two columns to make correct expressions. (drag-and-drop)

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| 1. dead _____         | cheese         |
| 2. golden _____       | rise           |
| 3. big _____          | benefit        |
| 4. business _____     | relations      |
| 5. pay _____          | -on experience |
| 6. job _____          | fulfilment     |
| 7. public _____       | -end job       |
| 8. hands _____        | associate      |
| 9. unemployment _____ | path           |
| 10. career _____      | handshake      |
| 11. personal _____    | code           |
| 12. dress _____       | market         |

Ex.2 Fill in the gaps with the correct form of the word in brackets.

1. Our \_\_\_\_\_ will meet you at the airport and help you with all the arrangements concerning your stay. His name is James Farren. (**REPRESENT**)
2. She is running a really \_\_\_\_\_ business of her own. (**PROSPER**)
3. His \_\_\_\_\_ to help us was really unexpected and hurtful. (**REFUSE**)
4. She is really \_\_\_\_\_ and always wants to win. (**COMPETE**)

5. I can't wait to be able to make my own decisions without \_\_\_\_\_ from anyone else. **(INTERFERE)**
6. This substance is highly \_\_\_\_\_ and should be made illegal. **(ADDICT)**
7. I believe that self-employment can be a very \_\_\_\_\_ experience. **(GRAFTIFICATION)**
8. Achieving success requires hard work and \_\_\_\_\_. **(DETERMINED)**
9. All \_\_\_\_\_ are requested to send their CVs and cover letters by the end of this week. **(APPLY)**
10. Some people turn to \_\_\_\_\_ as a form of relaxation. **(CARPENTER)**
11. Now that you're self-employed, you're going to be completely self-\_\_\_\_\_. **(RELY)**
12. There are \_\_\_\_\_ reasons why we should consider this offer really seriously. **(NUMBER)**

Ex.3 Fill in the gaps with one suitable word. The first letter is given.

1. The prices of petrol are \_\_\_\_\_. They are going up really quickly and a lot. **(S)**
2. \_\_\_\_\_ our earlier conversation, I'd like to come back to the issue of self-employment. **(R)**
3. There is no smoking allowed anywhere on school \_\_\_\_\_ – nether the main building, nor anywhere around it. **(P)**
4. The cost of the materials is not very high now, but the \_\_\_\_\_ is very expensive. It would help us cut costs if we did some the manual work ourselves. **(L)**
5. A: His new business seems to be \_\_\_\_\_. B: Yes, it's prospering really well. It's a really good time for them. **(T)**
6. I don't want to work for a corporation in the future. I want to be an \_\_\_\_\_, run my own business and employ people. **(E)**
7. I think my \_\_\_\_\_ will be very low when I retire, so I need to start putting money aside now. **(P)**

8. Before you decide to take them to court, you have to consider the legal \_\_\_\_\_ you will have to pay. **(F)**
9. A: Learning a new computer program can be a \_\_\_\_\_ process.  
B: Yes, it can get boring and tiring. **(T)**
10. The minimum hourly \_\_\_\_\_ is really low in this country and there are a lot of people who find it difficult to make ends meet. **(W)**

Ex.4 Fill in the gaps in the sentences with an appropriate VERB. Pay attention to grammar forms. The first letter is given.

1. We are a team and everybody should \_\_\_\_\_ their weight. **(P)**
2. I'm afraid a lot of people might be \_\_\_\_\_ redundant as a consequence of the economic crisis. **(M)**
3. It \_\_\_\_\_ as a surprise to me that they wanted to go backpacking with us instead of taking another beach holiday. **(C)**
4. I want to speak to the person in charge. Who \_\_\_\_\_ the shots here? **(C)**
5. He should \_\_\_\_\_ the sack after failing to close this deal. I don't understand why they are still keeping him here. **(G)**
6. He decided to \_\_\_\_\_ in his notice after 30 years in the same company. It wasn't an easy decision. **(H)**
7. I've been \_\_\_\_\_ my fingers to the bone but nobody seems to appreciate it. **(W)**
8. It's a pleasure \_\_\_\_\_ business with you. **(D)**
9. I'm new here and I need someone to \_\_\_\_\_ me the ropes. **(S)**
10. I possess the necessary skills to successfully \_\_\_\_\_ the demands of the position. **(M)**

Ex.5 Fill in the missing PREPOSITIONS.

1. He's decided to go \_\_\_\_\_ business as a freelance computer programmer.
2. Few people who aspire \_\_\_\_\_ fame ever achieve it.
3. I really think you should apply \_\_\_\_\_ this position.
4. \_\_\_\_\_ addition \_\_\_\_\_ being fluent in English, I have a good command of French and Spanish.
5. \_\_\_\_\_ the above reasons, I believe you should reconsider your previous decision.
6. I'm a hardworking person, with an enthusiastic approach \_\_\_\_\_ facing new challenges.
7. I look forward \_\_\_\_\_ your response.
8. I think it's high time you gave \_\_\_\_\_ smoking.
9. I think he's cut \_\_\_\_\_ for this job, he's perfect for it.
10. I've decided to quit my current job and set \_\_\_\_\_ my own company.
11. The huge shopping malls have caused a lot of smaller companies go \_\_\_\_\_ of business.
12. I have attached my CV \_\_\_\_\_ your consideration.
13. I hope my application will be taken \_\_\_\_\_ consideration.

Ex.6 Transform the sentences using the KEY WORD without changing its form.

1. It was absolutely hilarious to see my grandmother ride a scooter.  
**LAUGHING**  
I \_\_\_\_\_ when I saw my grandmother riding a scooter.
2. They forced us to clean the whole mess ourselves.  
**MADE**  
We \_\_\_\_\_ the whole mess ourselves.
3. It's really high time for use to leave if we don't want to be late.  
**BETTER**  
We \_\_\_\_\_ we will be late.

4. The way I see myself, I'm a hardworking and dedicated person.  
**CONSIDER**  
 I \_\_\_\_\_ a hardworking and dedicated person.
5. We tried really hard to convince them to sign the contract.  
**EVERY**  
 We \_\_\_\_\_ convince them to sign the contract.
6. It's hard for me to remember people's names.  
**DIFFICULTY**  
 I \_\_\_\_\_ people's names.
7. I don't accept it when people treat him this way.  
**OBJECT**  
 I \_\_\_\_\_ this way.
8. I am available for an interview whenever it is suitable for you.  
**CONVENIENCE**  
 I am available for an interview \_\_\_\_\_ .

Ex.7 Transform the sentences using reported speech. Use the given reporting verbs.

1. You can use dictionaries during the exam.  
 The teacher permitted \_\_\_\_\_.
2. No, I won't let you go there again.  
 My father refused \_\_\_\_\_.
3. Hm..., will we be allowed to record the lectures?  
 She wondered \_\_\_\_\_.
4. We will leave your luggage at the reception.  
 They informed \_\_\_\_\_.
5. Are you going to use the car this weekend?  
 My aunt wanted to know \_\_\_\_\_.
6. Wait for your turn in the queue!  
 The clerk ordered \_\_\_\_\_.
7. I didn't steal the money from the till, it wasn't me.  
 He denied \_\_\_\_\_.
8. How long have you been waiting, Tom?  
 She asked \_\_\_\_\_.
9. Alice, I am really sorry for letting you down.  
 She apologised \_\_\_\_\_.

10. Why don't you wait for us outside in the sun?  
She suggested \_\_\_\_\_.
11. All right, I will help you prepare the presentation.  
He agreed \_\_\_\_\_.
12. I won't let you go to the party if you don't clean your room!  
My mom threatened \_\_\_\_\_.
13. Should we report the case to the police?  
My friend wondered \_\_\_\_\_.
14. You really should consult a doctor about the rash.  
My friend advised \_\_\_\_\_.
15. Don't forget to shut down the computer before leaving.  
She reminded \_\_\_\_\_.
16. I want to speak to the person in charge!  
She demanded \_\_\_\_\_.
17. Ann, please forgive me for forgetting about our anniversary.  
He begged \_\_\_\_\_.
18. How long will it take us to get there?  
She asked \_\_\_\_\_.