

Laser B2 Units 1 & 2

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1) Choose the correct word to complete each sentence.

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- 1 I We should always _____ that our friends be honest.
A achieve B develop C demand D concern
- 2 Take it easy on him — he's going through a _____ patch.
A negative B rough C hard D hurtful
- 3 It wasn't my fault, so don't take it _____ on me!
A up B over C around D out
- 4 It's difficult to listen to _____, even when it is meant to help us.
A mistake B disappointment C criticism D anger
- 5 What have you and Julia got _____ common?
A in B at C on D by
- 6 Breaking up with your boyfriend or girlfriend can be a very _____ experience.
A bearable B traumatic C depressed D incompatible
- 7 If you work hard at something, success will eventually come _____.
A about B to C forward D off

2) Write one word to complete each sentence.

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- 1 Davey takes _____ his dad when it comes to shopping — they both hate it!
- 2 Chuck was brought _____ on a small island in the Pacific.
- 3 I don't know how they put up _____ such noisy neighbours.
- 4 The interviewer asked me what I want to be when I grow _____.
- 5 Diana's never let me _____ before, so I'm sure I can rely on her this time.
- 6 I can't believe that Helen and Jim have split _____. They seemed so happy together.
- 7 Would you mind looking _____ our cats while we're away? They need to be fed twice a day.
- 8 Margie asked Alistair to take care _____ her cat while she was on holiday.

3) Complete the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the first sentence, using the word given. Do not change the word given. You must use between two and five words, including the word given.

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- 1 My neighbours moved here 2 months ago.

lived

My neighbours _____ two months.

- 2 It was my first trip to Egypt, so I really wanted to visit the Pyramids.

never

I _____ Egypt before, so I really wanted to visit the Pyramids.

3 Jimmy lent me some money.

from

I _____ Jimmy.

4 Carol still has to tell Phil that she can't go to his party.

yet

Carol _____ that she can't go to his party.

5 I finished my homework before 7pm.

already

I _____ my homework by the time it was 7pm.

6 Did you all have fun on the picnic?

enjoy

Did you all _____ on the picnic?

7 After Paul bought the tickets, he got on the bus.

soon

Paul got on the bus _____ bought the tickets.

8 Who was responsible for the broken window?

blame

Who _____ for the broken window?

9 If your brother has to finish his meal, the same thing applies to you.

goes

If your brother has to finish his meal, _____ you.

4) Write the word in brackets in the correct form to complete each sentence.

1 The movie was so _____ (SCARE) I had to hide behind the sofa!

2 If you're _____ (BORE), why don't you ask Cindy if she'll play with you?

3 Darren was really _____ (FRIEND) to Liz this morning. I think he likes her!

4 The shop assistant was so _____ (HELP), I had to ask to speak to the manager.

5 Kyle loved his English teacher because she always treated him with _____ (KIND).

6 What's the _____ (DIFFER) between 'honesty' and 'sincerity'?

7 Don't be so _____ (CHILD)! It's only a little spider!

8 Baz and I had an _____ (ARGUE) over where to go on holiday this year.

5) Write a word from the box to complete each sentence.

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of • from • about • in • with • for

- 1 'You can't prevent me _____ phoning my friends!' shouted Lisa angrily.
- 2 You don't believe _____ UFOs, do you?
- 3 My parents don't approve _____ me going out on week nights.
- 4 Which teacher is responsible _____ dealing with disciplinary problems?
- 5 We had to complain _____ the food. It was awful!
- 6 Could you help me _____ the washing-up?

6. Complete the sentences with one word.

- 3 Slow _____! You're driving much too fast.
- 4 Would you mind seeing Andy _____ at the station? He's leaving today.
- 5 The helicopter took _____ and circled around the airport.
- 6 I'm going to London for the weekend, but I'll give you a call when I get _____ on Monday.

7) Write the word in brackets in the correct form to complete each sentence.

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- 1 With modern means of transport, I think our ideas of _____ (DISTANT) have completely changed.
- 2 A huge crowd of people were waiting at the airport for the pop star's _____ (ARRIVE).
- 3 Did you understand what that _____ (ANNOUNCE) was all about?
- 4 I know that people from these two countries look quite similar, but they are _____ (CULTURE) very different.
- 5 People live on a few of the islands around here, but most of them are _____ (INHABIT).