

END OF YEAR ASSESMENT

Pre-FCE Course 2020

La Salle Extracurricular Programme

GRAMMAR SECTION

1. Complete the sentences using the correct form of the verbs in brackets. Use the present perfect simple or continuous.

- a. I _____ (try) to call Emily all morning, but I _____ (not have) any luck. I wonder if she _____ (go) to the library.
- b. Sam _____ (go) to a music school in the city centre for about a month. He _____ (have) ten guitar lessons so far, but he _____ (not become) a guitar legend yet!
- c. Ellie _____ (not paint) for long today, but she _____ (already, finish) two rooms in her new flat. Unfortunately, she _____ (just, run out of) paint!
- d. _____ (you, see) Ben today? It's his birthday and I _____ (not wish) him happy birthday yet. If you see him, can you tell him that I _____ (look) for him?

2. Rewrite the questions correctly.

- a. Which city Bruce liked the best on his trip?

- b. Who did take these beautiful photos of Amsterdam?

- c. Where in New York live your cousins?

- d. What happens when you lost your passport?

3. Complete the second sentence so it has a similar meaning to the first. Do not change the word given. Use two to five words, including the word given.

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| a. I have an appointment to see the dentist at five o'clock tomorrow. | AM |
| I _____ at five o'clock tomorrow. | |
| b. Hi Lisa. Would you like to go mountain biking with me this weekend? | SHALL |
| Hi Lisa _____ mountain biking this weekend? | |
| c. Look! Cathy's about to finish the race first! | GOING |
| Look! Cathy _____ win the race! | |
| d. Can you predict the winner of the board game? | WILL |
| Who do you think _____ the board game? | |

4. Complete the sentences with the correct comparative or superlative form of an adjective from the box. Add words if necessary. There is one extra adjective you do not need.

Delicious | fast | generous | happy | hard | interesting

- a. I think visiting a shopping centre is much _____ than visiting a museum.
- b. I do Judo at the weekend but it's difficult. It's much _____ than I first thought.
- c. Rick's birthday cake was the _____ I have ever tasted.
- d. My _____ memory was celebrating my grandma's 80th birthday.
- e. The _____ time I have run 100 metres is 17 seconds.

5. Complete the second sentence so it has a similar meaning to the first. Do not change the word given. Use two to five words, including the word given.

- a. I might catch a cold and then I would go to the doctor. **IF**
I'd go to the doctor _____ a cold.
- b. You won't grow big and strong if you don't eat all your vegetables. **UNLESS**
You won't grow big and strong _____ all your vegetables.
- c. The moment you catch flu, you should go to bed. **SOON**
As _____ flu, you should go to bed.
- d. I should run more often to feel better. **WOULD**
If _____ I feel better

6. Write a relative pronoun or adverb in each gap. Sometimes there is more than one.

- a. Do you remember _____ we ate five whole packets of biscuits?
- b. These tomatoes, _____ my grandfather grew, are delicious.
- c. The student _____ father is a doctor is called Jenny.
- d. The hospital bed _____ I slept in was very uncomfortable.
- e. The doctor with _____ you should speak is not available.

VOCABULARY SECTION

1. Complete the extract from a tourism website with the words in the box.

able | access | breadth | dying | head | make
make | public | regardless | spaces | unbelievable

You can travel the length and (1) _____ of England, but there are not many cities as interesting and historical as York. (2) _____ sure you leave enough time to visit the Castle Museum. Here, you can find out how important this (3) _____ city has been throughout history. You are even (4) _____ to see how the insides of houses looked in the past, and you can walk down a Victorian street. When you're feeling hungry, just (5) _____ over to the café for a tasty snack. It's easy to get to the museum by (6) _____ transport. If you're coming by car, there are plenty of parking (7) _____ nearby. (8) _____ of the weather, York is an ideal place for a day out. (9) _____ your arrangements now – we're (10) _____ to show you around! Please note, there is wheelchair (11) _____ to many parts of the museum.

2. Replace the phrases in bold with a phrasal verb. Make any necessary changes.

- a. We need to **deal with** this problem. _____
b. The teachers don't **allow** any talking in our class. _____
c. **I'm not in the mood for** going out today. _____
d. I wish you wouldn't **criticise and make fun** of people like that. It's not nice! _____
e. This rainy weather really **makes me feel depressed**. _____

3. Read the comments. Which hobby is each person describing? Sometimes there is more than one answer.

- a. You can't do this unless you have some training because you need to be safe. But when you're down there among the fish, it's an unbelievable experience!

b. I do it once or twice a week and sometimes people pay me a little. I love music and being able to make people dance.

c. There are different sports involved in this, like judo and karate, and they all help you to stay safe on the streets. They're good for the mind as well as the body.

d. There are several languages that you can learn for this hobby, but they're not easy! If you're good, you can design software.

4. Choose the best word (A, B, C or D) to complete the text.

All about allergies

Discovering that you are allergic (1) _____ something can be worrying, but it's (2) _____ normal to have allergies. This can be very uncomfortable, with symptoms such as a blocked or runny nose, itchy eyes or a (3) _____ throat. One of the worst allergies is hay fever, which is caused by pollen from plants. Doctors (4) _____ against going out if you are a sufferer and the pollen count is high. (5) _____, around 5% of us have food allergies. A food allergy can be extremely serious, so if you have symptoms like difficulty breathing or stomach (6) _____, you need to get help immediately. Of the foods that we eat (7) _____, the worst tend to be milk and nuts, but you can have a problem with almost any food and, so far, there is no cure (8) _____ it. Most treatment for food allergies is based (9) _____ avoiding particular foods. A(n) (10) _____ small amount of that food can cause a problem – even breathing the dust from it in the air can do it.

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| 1 | A against | B on | C for | D to |
| 2 | A currently | B relatively | C regularly | D hopefully |
| 3 | A sore | B sprained | C bruised | D bur |
| 4 | A date | B advise | C addict | D approve |
| 5 | A Anxiously | B Frequently | C Shortly | D Surprisingly |
| 6 | A cramps | B sprains | C cuts | D viruses |
| 7 | A accidentally | B daily | C well | D basically |
| 8 | A for | B of | C against | D to |
| 9 | A to | B of | C for | D on |
| 10 | A happily | B traditionally | C gradually | D unbelievably |