Special assignment

Book: Solutions units 1 and 2: 2nd year

Vocabulary

1 Complete the sentences with the adjectives below. There are two extra adjectives.

ashamed	bored	disappointed	excited	frightened	relieved	upset

1 You were very _____ when your best friend moved to America. You cried all day.

2 Megan was _____ of the big, angry dog.

3 My brother was _____ when the doctor said he was OK.

4 The old man talked about the same thing for over an hour – we were very _____.

5 Thanks for inviting me to your party next week – I'm really _____ about it!

2 Write OK in the sentences which contain the correct form of the adjectives. Rewrite the adjectives which are incorrect.

6 My friend was surprising when she found a message in a bottle. _____

7 The teacher was annoyed when the students didn't listen to her. _____

8 My mum often has a very tired day at work. _____

9 There is a lot of information on the internet, and often it's very confusing. _____

10 I think that learning English is very interested. _____

3 Choose the correct words to complete the sentences.

11 The sea is very **shallow** / **deep** here, so only go into the water if you're a good swimmer.

12 The man was close to the **volcano** / **waterfall** when it erupted.

13 We can't jump across this stream because it's very **narrow** / **wide**.

14 Stay away from that **mountain** / **cliff** – it's easy to fall!

15 This road is very **rocky** / **icy** in winter, so don't trip.

Grammar

4 Choose the correct form of the verb to complete the sentences.

16 **Do you always play** / **Are you always playing** video games after school?

17 We **go** / **are going** on holiday with our parents in August.

18 You **don't need** / **aren't needing** to bring any money for the school trip.

19 Why **do you use** / **are you using** my computer right now?

20 I **read** / **'m reading** a book every night before I go to sleep.

5 Complete the dialogue with the words in brackets. Use the present simple or present continuous.

Sam What [1]_____ (you do) this afternoon, Ben?

Ben I [2]_____ (play football) in the park with Joe and some of his friends.

Sam Oh, [3]_____ (they need) another player?

Ben Yes, they do. [4]_____ (you want) to play?

Sam Yes, please.

Ben Great! I [5]_____ (go) round to Joe's house now. Come with me.

6 Complete the sentences with the words in brackets. Write one verb in the past simple and one in the past continuous.

21 While I _____ (walk) along the beach, I _____ (find) some money.

22 Rick _____ (see) the helicopter as he _____ (swim) back to the shore.

23 We _____ (talk) to the doctor when we _____ (hear) gunshots.

24 As the police _____ (help) the man, they _____ (see) blood on the floor.

25 As Mike _____ (get dressed), he _____ (remember) something important.

7 Choose the correct words to complete the text.

For my eighteenth birthday my mum and dad [1]**were buying** / **bought** me a really interesting present – a quad-biking adventure weekend. [2]**While** / **When** the big day arrived, I was really excited. It took about two hours to drive to the adventure centre, and when we arrived lots of people [3]**were driving** / **drove** around the centre on quad bikes. They [4]**had** / **were having** a brilliant time! A man helped me with my helmet, and then I did some training before our group went out. It was great fun, but we went through a lot of streams – and my clothes [5]**got** /
was getting very dirty!