

TEST UNIT 8
(Global Pre-interm.)

Name:
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A Complete the text with the correct passive form of the verbs in brackets.

Central Edinburgh (0) **was made** (*make*) a UNESCO World Heritage site in 1996. The Scottish Parliament building (1) (*design*) by the Spanish architect Enric Miralles. The first debates in the new parliament (2) (*hold*) in September 2004. It (3) (*open*) officially by Queen Elizabeth a month later. The building (4) (*locate*) in Edinburgh city centre. An old brewery building (5) (*destroy*) to make way for the new parliament.

B Match the sentence halves.

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| 1. If he stays at the Rainbow hotel, | a) he'll have a very relaxing holiday. |
| 2. If you went to Thailand, | b) I'd visit the Scottish Parliament. |
| 3. If the weather's bad tomorrow, | c) we'll get a big discount. |
| 4. If I wanted to see elephants, | d) you'd go to Paris |
| 5. If we book before 31 st March, | e) you could come shopping with me. |
| 6. If you go to the Louvre, | f) I'd probably go to India. |
| 7. If I went to Edinburgh, | g) you'd see some wonderful architecture. |
| 8. If you like Amsterdam, | h) we'll go the city art gallery instead of the zoo. |
| 9. If you didn't have to work tomorrow, | i) you might see the Mona Lisa, but there are always lots of people there. |
| | j) you'll love Venice. |

C Choose the correct form of the verb.

1. *I'll pay* / *I'd pay* for the holiday if you like.
2. The weather *will* / *would* be much nicer if you go in January.
3. If you visited the castle, you *can* / *could* see the prison.
4. What *will* / *would* you do if you lost the tickets?
5. If you *didn't leave* / *don't leave* now, you'll miss the bus.

D Complete the missing words. They are animals

I had a h_____ when I was little – it lived in a cage in my bedroom.
I've always wanted to have a r_____, because I love their long ears.
I'm scared of s_____ because they have too many legs.
My grandmother had a pet b_____. It used to sing all day.

E Complete the sentences with the correct prepositions:

~~at~~ ~~out of~~ ~~of~~ ~~off~~ ~~through~~ ~~about~~ ~~in~~ ~~in~~ ~~up~~

Example: My pet mouse is very good **at** getting **out of** her cage.

Eva is going canoeing on holiday. She's a bit worried falling the water.
My cat's very fond jumping high walls, and she never hurts herself.
I'm really interested climbing Mount Everest.
There's a long tunnel under the road near our house. I'm afraid walking it at night.

F Complete the phone conversations with the correct phrases.

Example

A: Could I speak to Mr. Ling, please?

B: I'm afraid he's out of the office at the moment.

A: OK. I'll **call back** later.

1-

A: Can I speak to Sue Halliday, please?

B: Of course. I'll

A: Thank you very much.

2-

A: Can I speak to Olga?

B:

A: Oh hello Olga, it's Gail Hoppen here.

3-

A: I'm afraid she's in a meeting at the moment. Can?

B: Yes, please. Could you tell her Glen called?

4-

A: Hello, this is Clare Tring. I'm the new delivery dates.

B: Just a moment, please.

G Listening: Listen to the announcement at London Heathrow Airport. Decide if the sentences are *True (T)*, *False (F)* or if the announcement *Doesn't say (D)*? Choose *Doesn't say* if there is not enough information to answer true or false.

1- Snow storms are expected in about 20 minutes.

2- Two runways will be closed.

3- Flight BA646 was scheduled to arrive at 13.35.

4- Flight KLM645 has flown to Paris Orly.

5- The train and bus services to and from Heathrow are still running.

6- Flights that leave later than 12.30 are all cancelled.

7- There are special arrangements for passengers with children under ten.

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H Writing: You work for a travel agency and you need to attract visitors to your town. Write the description of your town. Include the following information: name; sort of town; where exactly; what it is like; main attractions; what you can do; the best thing and the worst thing about it.

I Reading: Read the holiday advertisements, and answer the questions.

A Red Sea sunshine

If you fancy some winter sun, you'll get it during a 7-night stay at the Calm Hotel in Sharm El Sheik for £415 per person, half-board including flights from London Gatwick. Visit www.calmholidays.com. Depart 8th Oct.

B German mini-cruise

See the beautiful Ahr Valley during a six-day cruise, including a stay in the village of Altenhar, from £300pp B&B including ferry crossing and accommodation. Call 0800-112-1112 Depart 11th Oct.

C A week in South Devon

Forget the hassle of airports! Set on a hilltop near Ermington, with shared use of an indoor pool, The Barn sleeps 8 (+ pet) and costs just £613 for a week's stay. Visit www.barnholidays.co.uk. Until end Oct.

D Halloween Vegas-style

The 4-star Shine Hotel in Las Vegas is offering a four night stay, including a ghostly party on The Strip, for £555 pp (including flights). Call 0800-316-3124 Depart 29th & 30th Oct.

E Mountain idyll in Slovenia

If you fancy a weekend break in a magical setting, you'll find it at Lake Bled in Slovenia's Julian Alps. And you won't pay Swiss prices. Walking, swimming and riding. Return flights to Ljubljana from £40, with optional stay in 5 star hotel for £75 per night, two sharing. Call 0800-656-4500.

Example:

Which holiday(s) include travel by boat? **B**

- 1- Which holiday(s) include some meals?
- 2- Which holiday(s) don't have flights included?
- 3- Which holiday(s) don't have to include accommodation?
- 4- Which holiday(s) last for less than a week?
- 5- Which holiday(s) offer entertainment/activities?
- 6- Which holiday(s) involve moving from place to place?
- 7- Which holiday(s) include sharing some facilities?
- 8- Which holiday(s) compare one country to another?

Guess the meaning of these words from the context. The words are in bold in the text.

1- hassle (advertisement 3) means:

- a speed
- b problems
- c waiting

2- idyll (advertisement 5) means:

- a relaxation
- b a much enjoyed place
- c a happy, peaceful place