

B1 Grammar/Voc/Use of English 2

Student name _____

Group/Class _____

Date _____ Score _____

GRAMMAR

1 Choose the best answer (A, B or C) to complete the text.

I (1) _____ a mountain before but this summer we (2) _____ climbing in Scotland. My dad is a climber and he (3) _____ to take us to the Alps but Scotland is better for beginners like me and my sister. The Scottish mountains aren't (4) _____ the ones in the Alps but we can still climb (5) _____ mountain in Britain – Ben Nevis!

- 1 A never climbed B 've never climbed C never climb
- 2 A 're going to go B will go C go
- 3 A has wanted B will want C wanted
- 4 A smaller than B as big as C the biggest
- 5 A the highest B the higher C the most high

2 Choose the correct alternatives to complete the short dialogues.

- 1 A: Did Mike give/Has Mike given you an invitation to his party yet?
B: No. I haven't seen him since the summer.
- 2 A: Why aren't you sunbathing? It's lovely out here.
B: My skin is very pale. If I sunbathe/will sunbathe, I go bright red. You need to be careful in the sun!
- 3 A: Let's go to the new exhibition at the gallery.
B: OK. I 'll ask/'m asking my dad to give us a lift on Saturday morning.
- 4 A: Where have you been? Your jeans are dirty!
B: I know. I fell over while we played/were playing football in the park.
- 5 A: You're spending too much time on the computer. You'll get a headache.
B: I know. But if I don't finish this project, I'm not getting/won't get good marks.

VOCABULARY

3 Complete the sentences with these words.

drought floods painkillers pollution throat

- 1 I usually get a sore _____ when I have a cold and it hurts when I eat or drink.
- 2 The _____ levels in the town centre are higher this year because of an increase in traffic.
- 3 Could you get me some _____ from the chemist's, please? I've got a terrible headache.
- 4 There was no rain last year and the country had a very bad _____ in the summer.
- 5 Last winter we had a lot of heavy rain in our village and ten families had to leave their houses because of _____.

4 Complete the sentences with the correct adjective form of these words.

break fun inform move scare

- 1 The documentary about farming was very _____. I learnt a lot.
- 2 I don't like _____ films. I prefer comedies and action films.
- 3 I don't think the new cartoon series is very _____, do you?
- 4 My brother's got a _____ leg so he can't play football at the moment.
- 5 We saw *Romeo and Juliet* at the theatre last night. It was very _____ and I cried at the end.

5 Choose the correct alternatives to complete the note.

Hi Nicholas,

It's Shawn. I got (1) *injured/pain* today when I was playing football. I've broken my (2) *ankle/elbow* so I can't walk. I'm at home now, but I'm really (3) *awful/bored*. There's nothing on TV except (4) *documentaries/soaps* about the beginning of the universe! Can you give me a call when you get (5) *off/back* from school?

Shawn

USE OF ENGLISH

6 Complete the email with one word in each gap.

Hi Jenny,

How are you? I'm not very well I'm afraid! Do you remember that I had an accident on my bike two years (1) _____? Well, I've had a bad back (2) _____ then. Sometimes it's OK, but recently it has started hurting quite badly again. In fact, it's a lot (3) _____ than it was before. I took (4) _____ painkillers, but they didn't help, so my mum took me to the doctor yesterday. He said that I shouldn't do any exercise for a week! It was an order! For me, that's (5) _____ long time. I play tennis on Fridays and go to the gym every Tuesday. My mum is (6) _____ to make an appointment for me to see a special doctor. I have to (7) _____ better for the start of next term. I'm in (8) _____ school football team!

See you soon!

Tim