

TEST – UNIT 3

I. Complete these sentences with the correct preposition:

1. There were very many highly-qualified applicants the job.
2. Mark had a lot of experience marketing, so it wasn't difficult for him to find a well-paid job.
3. The baby-sitter they hired has a lot of experience children.
4. Frank took his law degree and decided to specialize company law.
5. Mr. Green will retire his job next month after 30 years of working for the company.
6. He tried to impress his teachers using big words in all his essays.
7. He tried to impress me his extensive knowledge of wine.
8. Do you think I would be good teaching primary school children?
9. Can I pay cash?
10. How much did they pay their new car?
11. When we changed our apartment we had to take a loan from my bank.
12. All this Christmas shopping is eating my savings.
13. Before becoming famous for the *Harry Potter* books, J K Rowling was rather poor and lived very little money so she couldn't afford go out a lot or on holidays.
14. I'm beginning to gain weight so I think I should cut sweets. (2 words)
15. If you really need that new appliance you should stop spending such a lot of money trifles and start putting money
16. I cannot make pancakes! I've run flour. Sorry! (2 words)

II. Infinitive or -ing?

1. We decided a new car. (buy)
2. I regret you we won't lend you the money. (tell)
3. Peter gave up (smoke)
4. He'd like an aeroplane. (fly)
5. I enjoy picture postcards. (write)
6. He offered help with the cleaning. (help)
7. Avoid silly mistakes. (make)
8. My parents wanted me home at 11 o'clock. (be)
9. I dream about a big house. (build)
10. He advised me so much money. (not spend)

III. Choose the correct item:

1. It should be easy to find ___ work / ___ trade / ___ occupation / ___ profession as a waiter.
2. I'm sure this car ___ bought / ___ sold / ___ cost / ___ paid a fortune.
3. This car park is for the use of members of the ___ crew / ___ team / ___ personnel / ___ staff only.
4. There have been no ___ pensions / ___ promotions / ___ perks / ___ permits in our department for over a year.
5. It was very ___ courageous / ___ intelligent / ___ patient / ___ hardworking of you to ask for a promotion.
6. We are looking for self-motivated people who can ___ take / ___ do / ___ get / ___ make the initiative.
7. When he retires at sixty, he'll get a very good ___ wage / ___ pension / ___ salary / ___ pay .

8. She doesn't work ___ part / ___ full / ___ whole / ___ some time. She only works 5 hours.
9. I wouldn't say he is very ___ punctual / ___ patient / ___ persuasive / ___ persistent. He's been late every day this week.
10. He's recently applied for the ___ post / ___ niche / ___ situation / ___ vacancy of Product Manager at Jack&Co.

IV. Complete the second sentence so that it has the same meaning as the first using the word given. Use between two and five words.

1. "What do you think of the college?" she asked me.
ASKED She of the college.
2. "I'll call you later tonight," Keith promised.
THAT Keith promisedthat night.
3. "I didn't break the window," said the boy.
BREAKING The boy the window.
4. "Why don't we stay home this evening?"
SUGGESTED She that evening.
5. "I will not thank you", said Paddy
TO Paddy me.
6. "You must do your homework tonight," the teacher said.
TOLD The teacher my homework that night.
7. "Don't try this at home," the stuntman told the audience.
ADVISED The stuntman do that at home.
8. "I'll give you a lift to the station if you want."
TO She a lift to the station.
9. "OK, OK. I'll lend you my car, but please be careful with it."
TO He him his car.
10. "This coffee is cold! Please bring me another!"
COMPLAINED She was cold.