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StartUp3 Unit 3 Test

LISTENING

Listen to the passage and answer the questions.

(**Audio track:** StartUp3_Unit03_Test_01)

____ 1. What is this passage mainly about?
   a. A family that stayed in the wrong house during a trip.
   b. A family that had a relaxing trip.
   c. A family that met some new people on a trip.

____ 2. What was the family tired from?
   a. cleaning the house
   b. driving four hours
   c. packing their bags

____ 3. Why was the couple outside?
   a. They were waiting for the family to arrive.
   b. They were going to the beach.
   c. They were cleaning the yard.

PRONUNCIATION

A. Listen to the speaker. Choose the pronunciation of the underlined *-ed* ending.

____ 4. (**Audio track:** StartUp3_Unit03_Test_02)

I just relaxed during the weekend.

   a. /t/
   b. /d/
   c. /ɪd/

____ 5. (**Audio track:** StartUp3_Unit03_Test_03)

We were bored during the movie.

   a. /t/
   b. /d/
   c. /ɪd/

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B. Listen. Choose the stressed words.

____ 6. (**Audio track:** StartUp3_Unit03_Test_04)

Have you been to the art museum?

a. Have
b. you
c. been
d. to
e. the
f. art
g. museum

____ 7. (**Audio track:** StartUp3_Unit03_Test_05)

What did you do after school?

a. What
b. did
c. you
d. do
e. after
f. school

GRAMMAR

A. Complete the sentences with the *-ed* or *-ing* form of the verb in parentheses.

8. She was so _____ (*excite*) when she learned that she got the job.

9. I don't like getting those _____ (*annoy*) phone calls from people I don't know.

10. We heard a really _____ (*interest*) news story on the radio.

B. Complete the sentences with the present perfect or simple past form of each verb in parentheses.

11. Thomas _____ (*be*) to Mexico many times for work.

12. Our friends _____ (*eat*) at that restaurant last night and said they loved it.

13. Susan _____ (*want*) a cat for a long time now.

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C. Complete the sentences with *could*, *couldn't*, or the correct form of *be able to*. More than one answer may be possible.

14. He _____ make an appointment for 8:00 on Wednesday morning.

15. The plane _____ leave until all the passengers were on board.

16. Harriet _____ remember little things about her childhood even when she was very old.

VOCABULARY

A. Complete the sentences with the correct phrase:

a. tired
b. embarrassed
c. relaxed
d. surprised
e. excited

____ 17. A: I spilled coffee on my shirt while I was talking to my manager.
B: Oh no. You probably were _____.

____ 18. A: I'm _____.
B: Did you sleep late?

____ 19. A: My mom planned a birthday party for me, and I didn't know it!
B: I'm sure you were _____.

B. Choose the correct word to complete each sentence.

____ 20. We have _____ a tour around the city.

a. taken
b. looked
c. been
d. seen

____ 21. She has _____ some desserts for us.

a. done
b. made
c. saw
d. had

____ 22. I've _____ to Boston before.

a. gone
b. worked
c. studied
d. heard

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C. Complete the following sentences with the correct adjective.

a. upset	d. calm
b. angry	e. curious
c. nervous	f. happy

____ 23. I'm so _____ because my dog ate my books.

____ 24. Babies look so _____ when they're sleeping.

____ 25. I'm so _____ about what's going to happen on the show next week.

CONVERSATION

Complete the conversation with the correct sentences.

a. It sounds like it was a great day!	c. Yes I did!
b. Oh yeah, where did you go?	d. It was!

26. A: How was your weekend? Did you have a good time?

B: Yeah, but it was tiring.

A: _____

A: Well, on Saturday, we took a bus tour around the city.

B: Oh, was it fun?

A: _____ But I was so embarrassed because I fell asleep!

Complete the conversation with the correct sentences.

a. I went for a walk	c. It was nice catching up
b. We've both been so busy	d. Oh, that reminds me

27. A: So, what did you do last weekend?

B: We went to an outdoor theater. It was really nice to see a play outside!

A: _____! Have you guys been to any outdoor concerts this summer?

B: _____, so, no, but we're planning to! How was it?

A: It was amazing! You should go.

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READING

Read the interview and answer the questions.

Have you ever spent a full day hiking? How about a week? A surprising number of people are choosing to spend months hiking long distances. I spoke to Kristen Lowry, who has just finished hiking the 2200-mile Appalachian Trail (AT), to find out why.

Brian Piper (BP): Hi Kristen, thanks for taking the time to talk to me. I'm sure our readers all want to know why someone would chose to thru-hike (to hike a long-distance trail in one trip) more than 2000 miles (3500 km). But first, can you tell us how you got started hiking.

Kristen Lowry (KL): Of course, Brian. I grew up in the mountains, and when I was a child, I went hiking with my father almost every weekend. You may be surprised, but at first, I thought hiking was so boring!

BP: Really? When did you start to enjoy it?

KL: I remember my first two-day camping trip. My father taught me how to put up a tent, and how to start a fire. We got water from a stream and prepared some food for dinner. I felt so independent, like I could live on my own in nature. That night as I was looking up at the stars, I felt so tired from a long day of hiking but also so relaxed.

BP: So, that trip changed how you felt about hiking?

KL: Well, yes, I think it was that trip. All I know is that being in nature felt good. It even made me feel better when I was upset or disappointed. After that, I started hiking on my own more often.

BP: And is that the reason that you decided to spend five months hiking the Appalachian Trail?

KL: Yes, that's one of the reasons. After years of 2-3 day hikes on different parts of the AT, I became curious about thru-hiking it. To be honest, I just wanted to see if I could do it. I was able to take some time off work, and I thought if not now, then when?

BP: I read that last year almost 4000 people tried to finish hiking the AT, but only 25 percent completed it. Why do you think most people fail?

KL: It's hard! Some people get hurt, others get lonely or bored after a while.

BP: Well, congratulations on making it to the end! Now, what's next for you?

____ 28. What is Kristen talking about in the beginning of the interview?

a. How she doesn't really enjoy hiking.
b. How she learned how to cook on a hiking trip.
c. How she used to go hiking with her father.

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____ 29. How did Kristen feel about hiking when she first started?

a. She was curious about it.
b. She thought it was boring.
c. She felt very relaxed.

WRITING

Choose the best word to complete each sentence.

a. cold
b. hot
c. slowly
d. quickly

____ 30. We went to the beach last week because it was very _____.

____ 31. We went to visit my grandparents very _____. Yesterday before the snow came.

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