Progress Check 4 (Units 10–12)

1 Choose the correct item.

1 Jane ..... her hair cut at the moment.
(A) is having B has C was having

2 She gave me ..... very useful advice.
A a B any C some

3 Jodie smiled ..... as she opened her presents.
A happy B happier C happily

4 Sally bought a ..... of milk at the supermarket.
A carton B glass C block

5 He ..... his teeth checked twice a year.
A has had B has
C will have had

6 Martin is the ..... boy in the basketball team.
A tall B taller C tallest

7 James did very ..... in his exams.
A good B well C better

8 Mark has had a lot of ..... working with cars.
A experienced B experiences C experience

9 Amy ran ..... up the stairs to her bedroom.
A quick B quicker C quickly

10 Paul ..... his car window smashed by a falling tree branch.
A had B will have C is having

11 The blue dress is ..... the black one.
A least expensive of B less expensive
C less expensive than

12 Brian ..... a suit made for him.
A having B has C has had

13 He found a ..... box in the attic.
A black, small, wooden
B wooden, black, small
C small, black, wooden

14 Those trousers ..... far too big on you.
A are B is C was

15 I would prefer ..... at home rather than go to the theatre.
A stay B to stay C staying

16 We have never been to ..... Italy before.
A a B – C the

2 Choose the correct item.

1 Mr Brown wants to set ..... his own business.
(A) up B off C out

2 Martin translated the poem ..... Italian for his teacher.
A into B of C from

3 It was raining, so we stayed ..... home all afternoon.
A in B at C on

4 I ran ..... some old records while I was tidying the attic.
A into B across C after

5 He's been waiting ..... the bus for half an hour.
A of B about C for

6 I ran ..... sugar, so I sent Paul to the shops.
A out of B down C after

7 I can't think ..... anything to wear to the party.
A about B of C on

8 Mum told me to keep an eye ..... my little sister.
A at B on C in

9 Everyone stood ..... when the teacher entered the room.
A for B up to C up

10 I'm a bit short ..... time. Can we talk later?
A of B on C in

11 I got on the wrong bus ..... mistake.
A at B for C by

12 She is very upset ..... losing her job.
A for B about C with

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Progress Check 4

3 Rewrite the sentences in the *causative*.

1 You should hire someone to clean up the garden.
You should have the garden cleaned up.
2 A famous artist has painted his portrait.
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3 A well-known surgeon will operate on the footballer's leg.
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4 The hairdresser permed my hair yesterday.
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5 Gary arranged for his luggage to be flown home.
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6 Tina's bag was stolen on her way to work.
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4 Fill in *the* where necessary.

1 I've never been to ..–.. Tahiti but I've been to ..the.. Hawaiian Islands.
2 They lived in ..... north of Canada for two years and then moved to ..... Washington D.C.
3 ..... Victoria Coach Station is near ..... my friend's house.
4 All ..... injured were taken to ..... hospital by ..... helicopter.
5 I prefer reading ..... *Time Magazine* to reading ..... *Washington Post*.
6 Does ..... Great Wall of ..... China run through ..... middle of ..... country?
7 ..... Ambassador is going to ..... Philippines on ..... Royal Yacht.
8 ..... Yangtze Kiang river flows through ..... China to ..... East China Sea.
9 He's travelled all over ..... British Isles, ... France and ..... Netherlands.

Listening

5 31 You will hear some information about a short story competition. For each question, fill in the missing information in the numbered space.

Short Story Competition

■ ***Participants***
Ages: 13 to **1)** ..17..

■ ***Story***
Type: **2)** .....
Maximum length: **3)** ..... words

■ ***Judges***
Michael Thomas,
editor of **4)** ..... *Living*
Julie Yen, assistant editor

■ ***Prizes***
First prize: £2,000
Other prizes: computers and famous **5)** .....

■ ***Deadline***
6) 19th



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