UNIT 6

QUIZ A

NAME: _____

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A Listen to the conversation between two friends, Alex and Javier. Choose the correct answers.

1 What three things did Javier dislike about his old city?
- **A** the cars, smoke, and trash
- **B** the cars, birds, and noise
- **C** the people, streets, and traffic

2 What do people do in Javier's new city when they see garbage in the street?
- **A** They shout angrily.
- **B** They pick the garbage up.
- **C** They mess things up.

3 What could Javier hear at night in his old city?
- **A** People painting graffiti.
- **B** Birds singing.
- **C** People shouting angrily.

4 What does Alex say about crime in their city?
- **A** There's almost no crime and very few police officers.
- **B** There's almost no crime and a lot of police officers.
- **C** There's a lot of crime, graffiti, and noise.

5 What do Alex and Javier enjoy in their city?
- **A** the concrete buildings
- **B** the green spaces and parks
- **C** playing soccer in the park

_____ / 10 (2 points each)

B Complete the sentences with the words in the box.

air concrete graffiti noise pollution smoke space trash

1 Plastic is one of the world's biggest _____ problems.
2 The factories produce a lot of _____, so the sky sometimes looks black.
3 There's very little green space where I work. All the offices are large _____ buildings.
4 The kids just want a little _____ to kick a ball around.
5 A lot of cities around the world have problems with _____. There is too much waste.
6 Every night I hear a lot of _____ in the street outside. It stops me from sleeping!
7 When I got home from work yesterday, I found _____ on my front door. It took me a long time to clean it off.
8 The _____ downtown is very dirty. Breathing it can even be dangerous sometimes.

_____ / 8 (1 point each)

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C Choose the correct answers.

1 I asked my neighbor _____ to turn the music down because it was so loud.
A beautifully B dangerously C politely

2 Air pollution is increasing _____. We need to find ways of stopping it.
A loudly B angrily C dangerously

3 The man was extremely angry, but the police officer spoke to him _____.
A calmly B completely C safely

4 The city workers cleaned the park _____. Now it's great to walk and exercise there.
A politely B beautifully C loudly

5 Katie isn't happy because her boss spoke to her _____.
A angrily B beautifully C completely

6 Did I spell the word "pollution" _____?
A calmly B completely C correctly

_____ / 6 (1 point each)

D Circle the correct answers.

1 If people drop *so much / so many* trash on the ground, the city gets messy.
2 There's *several / almost no* pollution where I live.
3 There is *so many / so much* traffic on my way to work.
4 There are *so many / so much* traffic jams in LA. The highways look like parking lots!
5 In my neighborhood, there's *very little / very few* crime.
6 *So few / So little* spaces are green in my city. There's concrete everywhere.
7 *None / A little* of the trash cans are full. Why don't people use them?
8 There's *several / some* pollution downtown, but not out in the country.

_____ / 8 (1 point each)

E Choose the correct answers.

1 If we leave now, we _____ in a big traffic jam for hours!
A will be B are

2 If there _____ garbage on the street, people drop more garbage.
A is B will be

3 If we _____ something about it, pollution will get worse.
A will do B don't do

4 When people _____ angrily to their neighbors, things usually get worse.
A will speak B speak

5 I always talk politely when there _____ a problem.
A is B will be

6 If cities become more polluted, people _____ unhealthy.
A are B will be

7 In the future, there will be more crime if we _____ now.
A don't do something B do something

8 If you give people a place for graffiti, they _____ on other buildings.
A paint B won't paint

_____ / 8 (1 point each)

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F Read the student's essay. Circle *True* or *False* for each statement.

My Dream World

Let's imagine a clean new world, a world where there's almost no trash. How would that happen? I see five things that might make our world a better place to live.

1. People recycle everything they use. If something can't be recycled, no one buys it. All the trash cans in towns and cities are almost empty. If a child drops a piece of trash, several people run to pick it up. If the streets are beautifully neat and clean, they will stay neat and clean.

2. The air everywhere is healthy, clean, and fresh. There's very little smoke in the sky because there are very few factories. People are happy and healthy. Animals and plants are also healthy because the land is clean and green again.

3. When people build new houses, they use wood, not concrete. A lot of the houses are in open green spaces where kids can play safely and adults can exercise.

4. There are almost no traffic jams ever because almost all of the people who live here travel by bike or on foot. If someone wants to own a car, they buy a small car that doesn't pollute. These cars work with electricity so they don't drive noisily along the highways anymore. It's not possible to drive dangerously because the cars drive themselves. There are no more accidents.

5. And how about crime? Can people live calmly and safely in this perfect world? Yes, they can. Everybody speaks politely and kindly, and there are very few problems in the community. There is a little graffiti, but that's because there's a special place for graffiti artists to paint and draw. People enjoy seeing the new pieces of art.

My dream world isn't the world that we live in now. Most of our streets have trash on them, and the air in a lot of the world is dangerous to breathe. More and more cars fill our streets and highways. And crime is something many people worry about. Still, I believe that my dream world is possible. All the ingredients of my dream world have already appeared – if not in daily life, then at least in the laboratory. We just need to work together, and we can have a much better world sooner than most people imagine.

1 People won't pick up trash in the writer's dream world. True / False

2 There aren't many factories, so there isn't much smoke in the dream world. True / False

3 In the dream world, it's possible to have a car that doesn't pollute and that is safe. True / False

4 Unfortunately, there are still a lot of traffic jams in the dream world. True / False

5 There aren't many problems in the community in the dream world. True / False

_____ / 10 (2 points each)

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