

# TEST

## Test 3

### 1 Complete sentences 1–8 using *and* / *but* / *or* / *or not* and a suitable ending from the box.

- 1 My grandfather doesn't have a DVD player .....
- 2 We swam in the sea .....
- 3 I enjoyed the walk .....
- 4 I couldn't decide whether .....
- 5 The tour fee includes all meals and transport .....
- 6 Nowadays, it is difficult to study without a computer .....
- 7 I like most drinks .....
- 8 The price for the hotel includes both breakfast .....

...I got a little lost near the end.      ...dinner.      ...not entry to the museum.  
 ...I don't like coffee.      ...a laptop at home.      ...even a television at home.  
 ...we walked along the beach collecting shells.      ...to go to the party.

### 2 Find and correct the 8 mistakes in the conversation below.

(C = customer, TA = travel agent)

C: Good morning. I'd like to book a holiday for myself and my family.

TA: Certainly, where would you like to go?

C: Well, I'd like to go for a week to an island somewhere with plenty to do, and I am not want to travel very far. Do you can suggest somewhere suitable?

TA: Well, there's a lovely island what is only two hours away by ferry.

C: I see. How much is it cost for a family of four?

TA: \$1000.

C: Is that include the ferry?

TA: Yes, it includes all transport or hotel accommodation.

### 3 Add a relative pronoun to each of the following sentences. Which two sentences do not need a relative pronoun?

- 1 The students struggle the most are those without any maths qualifications.
- 2 It was my grandmother first taught me about art.
- 3 I'm not really sure we have to write about in this essay.
- 4 A thermometer is an instrument is used to measure temperature.
- 5 I am writing to apologise for I said to you last week.
- 6 Venus is a planet you can sometimes see without a telescope on a very clear night.
- 7 Yabbies are creatures live in rivers and lakes in Australia.
- 8 The people I know on my course are all from my previous school.

**4 Fill in the blanks with the correct auxiliary verb: *be, do or have*.**

- 1 What time ..... you get home last night?
- 2 When ..... you going to get a new car?
- 3 Where ..... you been? I ..... been waiting here for ages.
- 4 Stephen ..... arriving on the 6 o'clock flight tomorrow morning.
- 5 A special tool ..... used to cut the aluminium cans to the correct size.
- 6 ..... not worry, I ..... not going to tell your mother about your test result.
- 7 My sister wears very strange clothes; she ..... not care what people think.
- 8 At last I ..... finished my homework!

**5 Fill in each blank in the following essay with one word.**

**Some people believe that too much money is spent on protecting animals and endangered species and that we should spend more money looking after the people on this planet instead. What are your views?**

Whether you love animals (1)..... hate them, they play an important role in our ecosystem. Losing even a tiny insect species could have a very large impact on us all. For example, recent studies have shown that when there are fewer insects, there are also fewer birds. This means that crops will suffer because birds play an important role in pollinating plants, (2)..... they also eat insects that are harmful to plants.

Human beings are said to be the most dangerous animal on our planet, (3)..... we are also very vulnerable. If our crops fail, this could have disastrous consequences for all of us. In other words, we are as dependent on the tiny insects of this world as they are on us. They rely on us to protect them (4)..... their environment. If we do not, their numbers could begin to decline, (5)..... , even worse, they may become extinct altogether.

It is true that some people are already doing (6)..... they can to protect the environment, (7)..... this is not enough. Nowadays, people always want to buy the newest and latest gadgets, (8)..... what happens to the 'old' mobile phones, computers or toasters (9)..... are thrown away? We all

need to realise that our everyday actions can have an impact on whether (10)..... not other animal species survive. We (11)..... need to stop buying new things altogether; however, we do need to change both the way we think (12)..... the way we behave.