Test 4

1 Complete the questions and answers using the words in brackets.

A: (1) ..... stamps at the newsagent's? (*can/buy*)
B: (2) ..... to the post office. (*Yes/can. Not/have to/go*)

A: (3) ..... our assignment in this Friday? (*have to/hand*)
B: (4) ..... it in until the following week. (*No/not have to/give*)

A: (5) ..... the test on Saturday? (*need to/Joe/take*)
B: (6) Yes, so ..... to the party on Friday. (*should/not/go*)

2 Join the two sentences together using the words in brackets.

1 They went to the cinema. They didn't go to school. (*instead of*)
.....

2 I enjoyed the party. I did not know anyone there. (*despite*)
.....

3 I am optimistic about the future. There are so many problems in the world. (*in spite of*)
.....

4 We all enjoyed the course. We had to work so hard. (*despite*)
.....

5 My parents gave me some money. They didn't buy me a present. (*instead of*)
.....

6 The company went out of business. They spent thousands of dollars on marketing. (*in spite of*)
.....

3 Find 12 mistakes with *to* in the candidate's answers. You may need to add *to* or delete it.

Interviewer: What kind of thing do you like doing in your spare time?
Candidate: Well, I really enjoy to listening to music and I also like doing sport in my free time. I think everyone should to look after their body and try keep fit. I love soccer, and I was actually offered a place in my local soccer team, but I had turn it down because my parents wouldn't to allow me take it.
Interviewer: Are there any new skills you would like to learn in the future?
Candidate: Well, as I said, I love music, so I would love to learn to play the guitar one day. When I was younger, my parents suggested to studying a musical instrument, but I wasn't interested at that time. If you want be a good musician, you really must to work hard and keep to practising every day. At that time, I was spending a lot of time to studying so I couldn't do it then, but I'm looking forward learning to play some time in the future.

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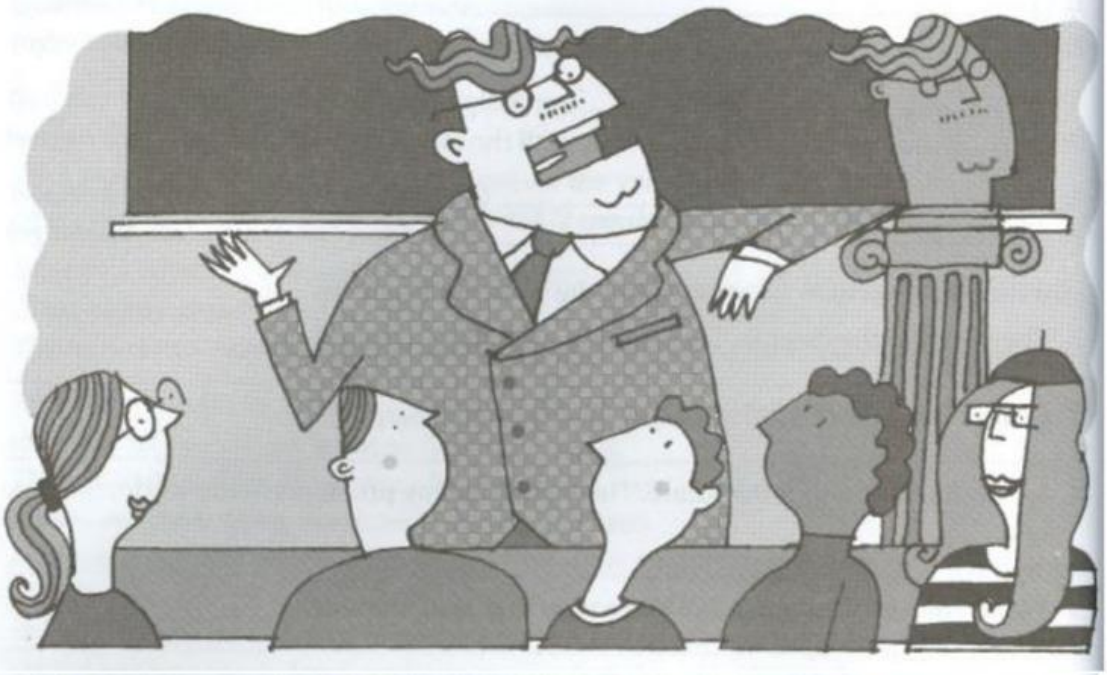
4 Fill in the blanks with the correct form of the verbs in the box.

get	make	practise	show	speak (× 3)	study	waste



Welcome to our school. I am the principal of the college and I'd just like to say a few words while your teacher is preparing (1)..... you a short video about our lovely town. We are all very pleased that you have decided (2)..... at our college. Some of you are here for only a few weeks, so you can't afford (3)..... any time in your studies. Learning (4)..... any language involves (5)..... that language as much as possible. So from today, I recommend (6)..... only English. While you are here, you should consider (7)..... as many friends as possible from other countries so that you don't spend too much time (8)..... your own language. Well, I think the video is ready now. I hope (9)..... the opportunity to meet you all individually at lunch.

5 Fill in the blanks using the words in brackets.

1 I didn't mind washing the dishes. I was ..... (*happy / do*) it.
2 Your essay was ..... (*impossible / mark*) because the handwriting was ..... (*too / difficult / understand*).
3 Alex felt ..... (*excited / get*) ready for the party.
4 I'm renting a flat because it was ..... (*too / expensive / buy*) one.
5 Our team was just ..... (*not / fit / enough / win*) the match.
6 There is so much bad news that I often feel ..... (*sad / watch*) the news on TV.

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