

Use of English

9 Read the text and decide which answer (A, B, C or D) best fits each gap.

Welshmen in court after night at Sea World

Two tourists from Wales, Rhys Jones, 21 and Keri Mules, 20, appeared in an Australian court yesterday and had to pay a fine of 1,000 Australian dollars for stealing a penguin named Dirk.

The court heard that on 1 _____ night of April 14, the two men went to a beach party next to the Sea World theme park in Queensland. They stayed very late, and as they 2 _____ walking past the entrance to Sea World on their way home, they decided to break 3 _____ the park. While they were inside, they went swimming with dolphins and let off a fire extinguisher, causing a lot of damage. On their way out, they 4 _____ across Dirk, a seven-year-old penguin, which they 5 _____ and took home with them.


The following morning they could not 6 _____ much about the night before and were shocked to find the penguin in their apartment. They tried to look after the bird by feeding it and putting it in the shower, and then took it to a canal and let it go. A member of the public saw the bird and contacted the keepers from Sea World, who came and rescued the penguin. The police arrested the men and 7 _____ them with theft of a protected animal and with 8 _____.

In court, the judge said the two men were very stupid and were lucky to be alive. Jones and Mule wrote a letter of apology to Sea World and the Australian public and regretted what they had done.

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| 1 A a | B those |
| C the | D one |
| 2 A are | B have |
| C was | D were |
| 3 A across | B into |
| C over | D in |
| 4 A found | B saw |
| C went | D came |
| 5 A stole | B proved |
| C hacked | D analysed |
| 6 A remember | B remembers |
| C remembered | D remembering |
| 7 A accused | B investigated |
| C questioned | D charged |
| 8 A arson | B vandalism |
| C robbery | D mugging |

Score ___/8

Listening

10  Listen to a boy talking to a classmate at school. Complete the sentences. Write one or two words for each gap.

- 1 The boy was having _____ when these events started.
- 2 The horse was running towards the _____.
- 3 The woman said some _____ left the gate open.
- 4 The boy went off on his _____.
- 5 The boy didn't _____ the horse, so he came back.
- 6 The boy and the woman finally found the horse by the _____.

Score __/6

- 5 When they found horse it was ...
A frightened.
B stressed.
C relaxed.
- 6 What happened after the boy got home?
A He started looking for his mother.
B His mother spoke to the police.
C The police car arrived.

Score __/6

11 Listen again and choose the best answers.

- 1 How many lessons did the boy miss?
A two
B three
C seven
- 2 Why did the boy go to the window?
A He saw a horse.
B He heard a horse.
C He heard someone making a noise.
- 3 The woman says that someone ...
A tried to steal the horse.
B left the gate open.
C wanted to ride the horse.
- 3 The boy used his phone to call ...
A home.
B the woman.
C the police.