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File Test 6
Grammar, Vocabulary, and Pronunciation A

GRAMMAR

1 Underline the correct word or phrase.

Example: The students **don't** / **aren't** like doing tests.

1 Cora **doesn't** / **isn't** at school today.
2 I **don't** / **'m not** working at the moment.
3 **Does** / **Is** this Amber's purse?
4 What **do** / **are** they looking at?
5 **Do** / **Are** you like shopping?
6 Where **does** / **is** Irina from?

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2 Complete Ryan's email with the verbs in the box. Use the *-ing* form.

listen	cook	do	dance	~~study~~	be	sit

Hi Hayley

My name's Ryan and I'm a student at Birmingham University. I don't like *studying* but I like [1] _____ a student. I live in a house with another student. We love [2] _____ in cafés, drinking coffee and talking. We also like [3] _____ to good music, but we both hate [4] _____ – we can't dance very well.

I usually go home at the weekend. I don't mind [5] _____ and my favourite food to cook is pasta – but I love the food my mum makes!

What do you like [6] _____?

Write soon

Ryan

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3 Complete the sentences with *me* / *my*, *you* / *your*, *him* / *his*, etc.

Example: It isn't a good book. I don't like *it.*

1 Are they Scottish? Can you ask _____?
2 It isn't _____ car. She has a red car.
3 That isn't _____ house. They don't live in this street.
4 We're friends. You like me and I like _____.
5 That's _____ phone! Give it to me.
6 He likes Anita, but he doesn't love _____.
7 We don't speak Russian. They can't understand _____.
8 Can you help _____? I can't do my homework.

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VOCABULARY

4 Complete the lists.

Example: twenty-fourth, twenty-fifth, *twenty-sixth*

1 second, _____, fourth, fifth
2 _____, March, April
3 fiftieth, _____, fifty-second
4 April, May, _____
5 spring, _____, autumn, winter
6 ninth, tenth, _____
7 October, November, _____
8 _____, September, October

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5 Complete the sentences with the correct word.

decide	strange	inside	towards
valuable	desert	~~through~~	

Example: You can see *through* a glass bottle.
1 It's very hot in the Sahara _____.
2 He can see his house far away so he walks _____ it.
3 What's that _____ noise? I don't know what it is.
4 Silver and gold are _____.
5 We are thirsty so we _____ to drink some water.
6 It's raining so she opens the door and says 'Come _____.'

6

6 Complete the words.

Example: Judith plays the piano. She's a **p *i a* n *i s t***.

1 He's a **t** _ _ **m** _ _ _ _ _. He plays the trumpet.
2 Jessica sings in a **c**_ _ _ **r**.
3 My aunt likes jazz, but she doesn't like **c** _ _ _ _ **i** _ _ **l** music.
4 I sometimes go to pop **c**_ _ **ce** _ **ts**.
5 My cousin plays the accordion. He's an **a**_ _ _ **r** _ _ _ **n** _ _ _.
6 She's a **d** _ _ _ _ _ **r**. She plays the drums.

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PRONUNCIATION

7 Underline the stressed syllable.

Example: aw|ful

1 gui|tar
2 fan|tas|tic
3 mu|si|cian
4 key|board
5 terr|i|ble

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8 Find the word which does not contain the sound at the beginning of the line.

Example: /θ/ **th**ink **th**umb twelf**th** **th**ey

1 /ð/ mo**th**er **th**is six**th** **th**e
2 /aɪ/ **vi**olin s**pri**ng F**ri**day some**ti**mes
3 /j/ **beau**tiful **mus**ic **fru**it **new**
4 /i:/ n**ie**ce s**ee** pol**i**ce **i**ce
5 /ɪ/ h**i**m m**i**nd **i**nternet mus**i**cian

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Pronunciation total	10
Grammar, Vocabulary, and Pronunciation total	50

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Reading and Writing A

READING

1 Read the webpage text and tick (✓) A, B, or C.

The best festivals in Europe

Read our online guide to choose which European festival is right for you…

Sziget festival

When? In August

Where? Budapest, Hungary

How long? 7 days

First festival? 1993

This summer why not go to Sziget festival in Hungary? Sziget means *island* and the festival takes place in the capital city on Old Buda Island. People come from all over Europe to this festival as well as from Hungary. There's even a special festival train called the Sziget Express which brings people from Germany, Italy and France.

If you like big festivals, then Sziget is the one for you. Almost 500,000 people go to this festival every year. This year it is from Wednesday 8th to Wednesday 15th August so you can enjoy a week full of music, theatre, film and other fun.

What kinds of music performances can you see? Well, Sziget is famous for dance and hip hop music but now you can also hear rock, reggae, jazz and pop. Some performers from recent years are singers such as Rihanna, and bands like Florence and the Machine and Kasabian.

Sziget has a lot of the same performers as the world-famous Glastonbury festival in England, but it has one thing that Glastonbury doesn't have – fantastic weather! The summer in Hungary is always quite hot – often over 30 degrees. A lot of the music is outside but if you really don't like being in the sun, don't worry because some of the performances are inside.

We love this festival and go every year but it isn't for everyone. If you're looking for something small, or you want different music such as classical or folk, read on to find out about other festivals.

Example: The webpage tells you about American festivals.
A True ☐ B False ✓ C Doesn't say ☐

1 Sziget festival takes place in the spring.
A True ☐ B False ☐ C Doesn't say ☐

2 The festival is more than 10 years old.
A True ☐ B False ☐ C Doesn't say ☐

3 The festival is a weekend long.
A True ☐ B False ☐ C Doesn't say ☐

4 Tickets for the festival are expensive.
A True ☐ B False ☐ C Doesn't say ☐

5 Only Hungarian people go to Sziget.
A True ☐ B False ☐ C Doesn't say ☐

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6 You can hear hip hop, dance, rock, reggae and pop music there.
A True ☐ B False ☐ C Doesn't say ☐

7 At Sziget festival, you can see films as well as listen to music.
A True ☐ B False ☐ C Doesn't say ☐

8 Glastonbury festival is in the north of England.
A True ☐ B False ☐ C Doesn't say ☐

9 The weather at Sziget festival is hot.
A True ☐ B False ☐ C Doesn't say ☐

10 All the performances at Sziget festival are outside.
A True ☐ B False ☐ C Doesn't say ☐

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2 Read the text again and answer the questions.

Example: Where does Sziget festival take place?
In Budapest, Hungary.

1 How many people go to the festival?
_____

2 Which countries do they come from?
_____

3 When does the festival finish this year?
_____

4 What temperature is it in Budapest in summer?
_____

5 Can you hear classical music at Sziget festival?
_____

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Reading total	15

WRITING

Read the notes and write about a festival. (75–100 words)

- Name? WOMAD (World of Music, Arts, and Dance)
- Takes place when? Once a year, in summer
- Where? Malmesbury (150 kms west of London)
- How many people go? Around 35,000
- What to see? Musicians, dancers, artists from around the world
- Kinds of music? World music
- What to do? Listen to music, watch dancers, try new food, buy clothes

WOMAD is a music, arts, and dance festival. It takes place …

Writing total	10
Reading and Writing total	25

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LISTENING

1 Listen to the conversation. Underline the correct answer.

1 The date is **17th November** / **20th November**.
2 **Viktor** / **Juliette** wants to go shopping.
3 Viktor's trip to Canada is on **22nd November** / **29th November**.
4 Viktor usually goes on holiday with his girlfriend in **winter** / **summer**.
5 The present for Juliette's boyfriend is **some guitar lessons** / **some guitar lessons and a guitar**.

5

2 Listen to five conversations that Jane has with her teenage children. Tick the correct answer.

1 What music does Jane sometimes enjoy?
A hip hop ☐
B reggae ☐
2 What does Emma want to do for her mum's birthday?
A help her mum with housework ☐
B buy her mum a book ☐
3 How many musical instruments can Jane play?
A two instruments ☐
B one instrument ☐
4 What day is Adam's French test on?
A 13th September ☐
B 30th September ☐
5 Which is Jane's favourite month to visit Berlin?
A August ☐
B January ☐

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Listening total 10

SPEAKING

1 Ask your partner these questions.

1 What kinds of music do you listen to?
2 Who are your favourite singers / bands?
3 Where do you usually listen to music?
4 Do you listen to music when you're travelling?
5 How often do you go to concerts?
6 Do you play a musical instrument? What?

Now answer your partner's questions.

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2 Read the information about Amanda and answer your partner's questions.

Favourite music: rock
Favourite band/singer: Coldplay, Ed Sheeran
Listens to music in car and at home
Hates singing with other people because can't sing very well
Doesn't like jazz
Goes to music festivals sometimes

3 Ask your partner these questions about Anatoly.

- What / music / like?
- Who / favourite / composers?
- Where / listen / music?
- like / play / piano?
- What / music / not like?
- How often / go / concerts?

Speaking total		15
Listening and Speaking total		25

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