

Life Vision Elementary Unit Test 5

A Grammar: Past simple

Complete the sentence with the correct form of the word in brackets.

- 1 A year ago, we _____ (plan) a trip to the coast.
- 2 Dave _____ (study) at an expensive school in 2019.
- 3 I _____ (love) the pancakes we made for breakfast yesterday.
- 4 They _____ (watch) the news this morning.
- 5 Priya _____ (stay) with her aunt last week.
- 6 Last night, Filip _____ (want) something sweet after dinner.
- 7 I _____ (walk) home after work yesterday.
- 8 The children _____ (play) in the park last Sunday.
- 9 The people _____ (wait) two hours for a bus.
- 10 I _____ (like) the party last night. It was fun.
- 11 Everybody _____ (laugh). It was a funny joke.
- 12 We _____ (pass) Seville University on the bus. It was very elegant.
- 13 The train _____ (stop) at the station for ten minutes.
- 14 John is a bad student. He _____ (copy) my English exam yesterday.
- 15 At the end of the song all the people _____ (clap).
- 16 We _____ (carry) the suitcases from the airport to the hotel.

B Grammar: Past simple of *be*

Complete the sentences with one or two words.

- 1 My mum and aunt _____ great dancers at primary school.
- 2 We _____ born in the USA, but we moved there when I was five.
- 3 How old _____ he when he first went to school?
- 4 Reading _____ easy for me at first, but now I read really quickly.
- 5 _____ you able to use the printer earlier this morning?
- 6 She _____ at a concert last week.
- 7 Where _____ you last night? I called you, but you _____ at home.
- 8 _____ Sandra happy after the exam?' 'No, she _____.'
- 9 I remember I _____ very worried, but you _____ calm.
- 10 Betty and Paul _____ at home; they _____ at the cinema
- 11 _____ you tired after the concert?' 'Yes, I _____.'
- 12 I'm very sorry. You _____ right, and I _____ wrong.
- 13 We _____ late! We _____ early. The concert was at 8 and we arrived at 7.

- 14 Vivian _____ at the meeting, but I _____ there. I always go to the meetings.
- 15 _____ Tim with you?' 'No, only Sally and Peter _____ there with me.'

C Grammar: Modal verbs for ability and possibility

Complete the sentence with the correct form of the words in brackets.

- 1 He _____ (can / not / go) to school yesterday because he was ill.
- 2 Yesterday, I was free, so I _____ (can / watch) my favourite show on TV.
- 3 She _____ (can / paint) very well when she was only six.
- 4 _____ (can / you / find) a seat at the concert last Saturday?
- 5 _____ (can / they / see) the actors' faces well last night?
- 6 Last night, we _____ (can / not / stop) talking about how terrible the game was.

D Vocabulary: Understanding topic vocabulary

Choose the correct words from the box to complete the sentences. There are three words you do not need.

hip-hop painting festival screen cultural theatre exhibition artists
crowded

- 1 Thousands of people come to this music _____ in August every year.
- 2 The _____ included art by several famous painters.
- 3 The streets are _____ with people who are coming to the town fair.
- 4 We went to the cinema to watch the film on a big _____.
- 5 We don't like listening to _____ music.
- 6 People love London because there are great _____ events.

E Vocabulary: Understanding topic vocabulary

Choose the correct words from the box to complete the sentences. There are three words you do not need.

excellent performances original film terrible acting wonderful show
loud rock music nothing special TV series boring characters
a romantic ending

- 1 These are really _____. I'm not interested in any of them!
- 2 I don't believe in any of the people in this film because of the _____.
- 3 I think this film is OK but it's _____.
- 4 There are _____ by the amazing actors in this film.
- 5 I can't sleep because the neighbours are listening to _____.

6 Of course it has _____. It's a love story!

F Vocabulary: Understanding topic vocabulary

Choose the correct words from the box to complete the sentences. There are three words you do not need.

rock streets concert drums artist screen painting events theatre

- 1 It was difficult to hear the songs at the pop _____ yesterday.
- 2 There is street _____, so you can watch actors outside.
- 3 Some people are playing the _____ while others are dancing.
- 4 I think I prefer this colourful _____ to that drawing.
- 5 She is an excellent photographer and an incredible _____.
- 6 They hate loud _____ music and prefer classical.

G Reading: Scanning

Read the text and write a one- or two-word answer. Use only words from the text.

TV Music Fashion Sport

The Celebrity Chef

There was a time when no one thought a chef could be as famous as a football player. Today, many chefs are celebrities with their own books, TV shows and podcasts. Maybe the most famous, or the most popular, is James Black. It all started in 1973 with his original TV show, *Cooked*. At the time, he was a young US actor and the television company asked him to study with some of the best French chefs in Paris and make his own show. After the show was a success, thousands of *Cooked* books were in kitchens around the world. James wanted everyone to feel like they could cook, or at least learn to make better food.

French cooking uses a lot of butter, oil, and other delicious things that weren't popular in the 1990s. That is when the healthy eating and cooking shows started like *Delicious Diets* and *Farm Good*. James then wrote his brilliant series of books *Healthy Plate*. A few years later, in 2001, the movie *Love Food* was showing all around the world. It tells the story of his life.

Knives is his latest popular cooking show where he gives talented chefs a chance to also become famous. When Mariam from Buenos Aires and Tom from Liverpool started on *Knives*, no one knew them. Now, they have their own amazing TV shows. Mariam teaches teenagers to cook, while Tom shares his grandma's best recipes with an older audience.

- 1 _____ was a TV show from the 1970s.
- 2 James Black is from the _____.
- 3 In the 1990s, French cooking became less popular because it has a lot of butter and _____.
- 4 *Farm* _____ is a TV show from the 90s that taught people to cook healthier food.
- 5 There was a movie about James' life in _____.
- 6 _____ became famous on *Knives* and helps young people.

H Listening: Identifying sequencing words

 **Listen to Zak talking about an acting course. Complete the sentences with the words from the text. Write one or two words only.**

- 1 _____, Zak was in a group with a few other students.
- 2 _____, some professional actors performed for them.
- 3 On the _____, Zak began studying for the part of Piotr.
- 4 _____, later that day, they watched each other act.
- 5 _____ lunch on the third day, they practised more.
- 6 In _____, their final performances in front of their families were very good.

I Speaking: Showing interest

Read the dialogue and choose the correct answer.

- 1 **Man** It was amazing ... then we saw elephants in the middle of the field!
Woman ____ How big were they?
A ☐ How sad! B ☐ Wow! C ☐ Poor you!
- 2 **Teacher** And then they asked me to be on television.
Student ____ I want to be on TV, too!
A ☐ How terrible! B ☐ No way! C ☐ Oh no!
- 3 **Girl** It was the biggest mistake of my life.
Boy ____ Why do you say that?
A ☐ Congratulations! B ☐ How wonderful! C ☐ Really?
- 4 **Woman** I learned to play the violin last year.
Man ____ They say it's quite difficult
A ☐ Oh no! B ☐ Well done! C ☐ How terrible!
- 5 **Brother** I'm sad because my friend moved to a new town and now I don't see him any more.
Sister ____ I hope you see him soon.
A ☐ Lucky you! B ☐ How wonderful! C ☐ Oh no!
- 6 **Boy** And then they gave me a free ticket.
Girl ____ Where did you travel to?
A ☐ Lucky you! B ☐ Poor you! C ☐ How sad!

J Writing: Showing sequencing

Choose the correct words from the box to complete the sentences. There are three options you do not need.

after ago finally first lastly then that when past

A year ¹ _____, I started having piano lessons. ² _____, I was terrible. ³ _____ I bought my own piano, so I practised more. ⁴ _____ that I got a lot better. ⁵ _____ I could play many songs, I decided to perform for people. ⁶ _____ last month, I got first prize in the local music competition!