

4th Adol - Unit 6 & 7 Exam- Optimise B1

1. Choose the correct relative pronoun to complete the sentences.

- 1- Last year I went on a cooking summer camp **when /where** I learnt to cook.
- 2- My favourite cookery book, **which /that** is on Italian cooking, is full of interesting recipes.
- 3- The best meal **that /who** my dad cooks is spaghetti Bolognese.
- 4- Our cookery teacher, **which /whose** name is Marta, is from Córdoba.
- 5- Friday evening, **which /when** I get home from school, is my favourite time of the week.
- 6 Sun-dried tomatoes, **where /which** are from Italy, are delicious!
- 7- Is there a famous person **that /which** you would like to cook for?
- 8- My lunch, **which /that** my mother prepared, has disappeared.
- 9- JoanRoca, **who /whose** restaurant is one of the best in the world, studied cooking in France.
- 10- The restaurant **where /which** is closest to my house is Dan's Bistro.

2. Complete the text with words from the box. There are two words which you do not need to use

Bake barbecue boil fry microwave
roast salty sour spicy sweet

Origins of Cooking and Taste

Most modern families have a (1)_____ which can cook a meal in a few minutes. Just set the timer and 'ping', it's ready. But how did cooking begin? It's possible that early humans used to (2)_____ meat because they had smelt the flavour of cooked meat when an animal was burnt in a fire and decided to taste it. Maybe they preferred the taste. Later they put meat on sticks to cook. We still do this today when we have a (3)_____. When pots were invented humans would not only (4)_____ water, but cook food in the heated water. When oil was put in the pot humans could (5)_____ food. By the 4th century the Chinese had described five basic tastes: (6)_____, based around sugar; (7)_____, for example lemons or milk that has gone off; briny, from the sea; (8)_____, or hot, like chillies; and bitter, the taste that most people don't like, although coffee in the morning is very popular.

3. Complete the sentences with the correct alternative.

- 1- First, we need to chop the onion **down /up** into small pieces.
- 2- Before we can eat the cake we should let it cool **off /down** a bit.
- 3- I have decided to cut **down on /with** the amount of meat I eat.
- 4- My grandmother always tells me to eat **down /up** all the food on my plate.
- 5- Put the milk back in the fridge, Pippa! If you don't, it will go **off /down**.
- 6- Pizza again? I sometimes think we live **down /on** nothing but pizza in this family!

4. Complete the second sentence so it has a similar meaning to the first one. Write no more than 3 words

- 1- The market is not very busy today compared to last week.
The market is not _____ as it was last week.
- 2- I've never had to wait this long for a bus before.
This is _____ I have ever had to wait for a bus.
- 3- In our area there isn't a market bigger than the Teenage Market.
The Teenage Market _____ market in our area.
- 4 The clothes in the shopping centre are better quality than the clothes in the market.
The clothes in the market are _____ the clothes in the shopping centre.
- 5- The service in the burger bar is slow compared to the coffee shop.
The service in the coffee shop is not _____ as in the burger bar.
- 6- Charity shops are cheaper than all the other shops in town.
Charity shops _____ shops in town.
- 7- The second pair of shoes was not as comfortable as the first one.
The first pair of shoes was _____ than the second.
- 8- These two dresses cost the same. And they are both expensive!
This dress is as _____ the other dress!

5. Complete the sentences with the verbs in brackets. One must be in past simple and the other one in the past perfect simple

- 1- Steven_____ (not like) the T-shirt his mother_____ (bought) him, so he gave it to charity.
- 2-_____ (you ever visit) a second-hand clothes shop before you _____ (go) there with me?
- 3- Terry_____ (be) very tired because he_____ (spend) the whole day shopping.
- 4-Joe_____ (neverthink) of selling his own products until he_____ (see) the Teenage Market.
- 5- Jenny_____ (not hear) her alarm, so she_____ (be) late for the trip to the

6. Choose the correct word or phrase to fill each gap.

Hi Jenny, Thanks for the email. I _____(1) you were in Liverpool. How exciting! I'm in London! Yesterday we_____ (2) to Camden Market. My English friends, Dave and Paul, took me there. It was the first time I _____(3) there and I didn't know what to expect. Before I came to the UK, I_____ (4) good things about it. All my friends who_____ (5) there said that I should take my camera because there were always interesting people about. Anyway, we_____ (6) at the stalls for just a few minutes when I_____ (7) an incredible leather jacket, just like the one I _____(8) for before I came here! The man selling it said that a famous singer_____ (9) the jacket once before. I bought the jacket and felt very happy. But only a few minutes later I saw another jacket exactly the same as the one I_____ (10) . See you soon! Jack

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| 1 A haven't known | B didn't know | C hadn't been knowing |
| 2 A had gone | B went | C had been going |
| 3 A had been going | B went | C had been |
| 4 A had always heard | B always hear | C am always hearing |
| 5 A had already been | B went already | C were already going |
| 6 A have been looking | B had been looking | C did looked |
| 7 A had seen | B had been seeing | C saw |
| 8 A had looked | B had been looking | C was been looking |

9 A had worn B had been wearing C was wearing
10 A had been buying B had bought C was buying

7. Complete the dialogue with a phrasal verb, using one word from each box. You may use each word more than once.

add - get - pay - run - save - shop - take
Around - back - by - out - up

Brett: Hey, Carla! What are you doing with that calculator?
Carla: I'm going to _____(1) how much money I have. I want to see if I can _____(2) until the end of the month.
Brett: Don't forget you have to _____(3) me the £20 that I lent you.
Carla: Oh no! I forgot about that. What am I going to do!
Brett: Well, if you keep on buying clothes every week, you will _____(4) of money soon. Why don't you _____(5) some of the clothes you have bought to the shop?
Carla: I think I'll have to. Here's your £20.
Brett: Thanks. I've got £80 now. I'm trying to _____(6) my money to buy a guitar. I saw an acoustic guitar I like for £200.
Carla: That's expensive. I'm sure if you _____(7) you can find one a bit cheaper.
Brett: That's a good idea. Maybe I'll look online.

8. Complete the dialogue with the words and phrases from the box. There are three words which you do not need to use.

Bargain - brand-new - cash card - cost - exchange - half price -
order return - second-hand- special offer- voucher

Elinor: I'd like to buy something in the sales. They start today and many things are on _____(1) .
Alan: I'll come with you. I need to _____(2) this jumper to the shop. My dad bought it for me. It's horrible! I want to _____(3) it for a pair of jeans.
Elinor: I still have a _____(4) from my uncle for £25. I'm hoping to buy two tops that normally _____(5) £25 each, but I want to get them both for _____(6) so I won't need to spend any money.

Alan: If you can get them for that price it will be a _____ (7) ! That reminds me, I need to find my _____ (8) so I can take out some money from the machine.

Elinor: Hurry up then! The shops open in half an hour!