

5 Test

Consolidation

VOCABULARY

1 Choose the correct answer.

0 He's sure to be found guilty if he doesn't get himself a good **judge** / **lawyer**.

1 There was only one **barrister** / **witness** to the crime, but she was very short-sighted.

2 The **jury** / **solicitor** took only two hours to reach agreement on the verdict.

3 The **defence** / **prosecutor** called three witnesses who all confirmed that Taylor had been nowhere near the scene of the crime on that day.

4 When the **barrister** / **judge** sentenced him to life imprisonment, the victim's family looked very happy.

5 I'm going to speak to a **prosecutor** / **solicitor** to get some legal advice on this situation.

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2 Complete the sentences with the nouns below.

burglary conspiracy espionage
forgery fraud vandalism

0 The recent damage to the children's play area is another example of the *vandalism* that is becoming so common.

1 Although the victim was killed by only one person, three others were charged with _____ to commit murder.

2 People who are involved in industrial _____ try to steal secret information about a company.

3 Experts are dismissing claims that the painting is a _____, as it contains many elements that link it to the famous artist.

4 After discovering that the woman had used hundreds of stolen cards to pay for goods, police charged her with credit card _____.

5 Because his flat was usually very untidy, Neil didn't realize at first that he'd been the victim of a _____.

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GRAMMAR

1 Complete the second sentence with the correct passive form so it has a similar meaning to the first.

0 Someone took the injured man to hospital.
The injured man *was taken* to hospital.

1 They will give us our results next week.
We _____ our results next week.

2 Someone found the wallet under a hedge.
The wallet _____ under a hedge.

3 They have talked about this plan for ages.
This plan _____ for ages.

4 They publish a report of the match in the paper each week.
A report of the match _____ in the paper each week.

5 We noticed that they had turned the cinema into a café.
We noticed that the cinema _____ a café.

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5 Complete the sentences with *utterly*, *very* or *rather*.

0 Everyone thought that the food was *utterly* delightful.

1 When she heard the terrible news, she felt _____ sad.

2 The hotel looked nice, but the rooms were _____ cold. In fact, we were freezing.

3 It's going to start getting dark soon. It's _____ late to go out for a walk.

4 Having not eaten all day, everyone was _____ starving by the time we arrived.

5 I bought my bike about seven years ago, so it's _____ old now.

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3 Choose the correct answer.

0 **It's feared** / **Is feared** that the missing fishermen may have drowned.

1 Acting **is considered** / **it's considered** to be a glamorous career.

2 Many years ago, **it is thought** / **was thought** that people who owed money were morally weak.

3 Crime in the capital is estimated **that** / **to** have fallen this year.

4 It's often said **to be** / **that** family background is the key to understanding a criminal's mind.

5 **Isn't** / **It isn't** widely known that humans actually have more than five senses.

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4 Tick (✓) the correct sentence, A or B.

0 A Strangely, I didn't remember having met her before. ✓
B I strangely didn't remember having met her before. _

1 A The film was bad incredibly._
B The film was incredibly bad._

2 A I quickly ran to the door and closed it._
B I ran to quickly the door and closed it._

3 A Worryingly, he hadn't taken his mobile phone with him._
B He hadn't worryingly taken his mobile phone with him._

4 A She was tremendously pleased with her present._
B Tremendously, she was pleased with her present._

5 A We hard tried to make them feel at home._
B We tried hard to make them feel at home._

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1 Complete the sentences with the verbs and nouns below.

anticipate forecast imagine omen
predicted premonition prophecy

0 The man said that it was going to rain for 31 days and, amazingly, his *prophecy* came true.

1 What weather have they _____ for this weekend?

2 I had a(n) _____ that my cousin Laura was planning a surprise visit from Australia.

3 Scientists have _____ that we'll be able to send a rocket to Mars by 2030.

4 Some people think that a picture falling off a wall is a(n) _____ that something bad is going to happen.

5 When I agreed to help out, I didn't _____ that I'd be working all day.

6 I can't _____ what it would be like to live on another planet.

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2 Complete the sentences with the singular or plural noun form of the verbs in brackets.

0 You need to use your *imagination* (imagine) when you're writing a story.

1 The _____ (forecast) wasn't good for the company's end-of-year results.

2 Some people make a living out of making _____ (predict) about the future.

3 I was really pleased that someone had the _____ (foresee) to bring some food and drink.

4 There's a lot of _____ (speculate) about who's going to win the prize, but nobody actually knows anything.

5 One of the nicest things about going on holiday is the _____ (anticipate).

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3 Choose the correct answer.

0 A **clairvoyant / palm reader** is someone who looks at your hand to tell you about your destiny.

1 To be a **football scout / market analyst**, you need to be able to analyze someone's physical characteristics.

2 **Financial advisers / Careers advisers** tell you what you should do with your money.

3 If you want to know what you should wear when you leave the house, you should listen to a **fortune-teller / weather forecaster**.

4 **Town planners / Clairvoyants** advise on decisions about our local landscape.

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Vocabulary total 15

GRAMMAR

1 Match the parts of the sentences.

0 At this time tomorrow, I will hopefully be *B*

1 By next Thursday, we should have *_*

2 James may be *_*

3 If I get the job in Rome, I might be *_*

4 The match started at 3pm, so it'll probably *_*

5 I might have *_*

A have finished by now.

B picking up the prize for best footballer.

C staying with us next Christmas.

D found a job by the time we next speak.

E moved into our new house.

F living in a different country by next summer.

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2 Complete the conversation with the future continuous, future perfect and future perfect continuous form of the verbs in brackets.

Ben: Hi Mark. I haven't seen much of you recently. Do you want to meet up this Saturday?

Mark: I can't. I've got to work on a project for college.

Ben: You started that weeks ago. You ⁰*will still be working* (work) on it at Christmas at this rate!

Mark: How about we meet up next Sunday afternoon?

I¹ _____ probably _____ (finish) it by then.

Ben: I can't. This time next Sunday **I**² _____ (fly) somewhere over France on my way to Italy, to spend a week with my parents. They ³ _____ (expect) me.

Mark: How long have your parents been over there now?

Ben: They ⁴ _____ (live) there nearly two years this September.

Mark: Time really has flown, hasn't it? Well, give me a call in three weeks or so. You ⁵ _____ probably _____ (recover) from your trip by then!

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3 Choose the correct answer.

- 0 She bought me a really expensive present, **even though** / **even if** she didn't have much money.
- 1 You should at least try to make up with Jo, **even so** / **even if** it turns out to be a waste of time.
- 2 Jack jumped into the river to save the dog, **even so** / **even though** he couldn't swim.
- 3 Everyone agreed that the trek was a dangerous one. **Even so** / **Even though**, we all decided to go.
- 4 **Even if** / **Even though** it takes me years, I'm going to finish writing this novel one day.
- 5 **Even if** / **Even though** he's supposed to be a vegetarian, he still eats chicken and fish.

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5 Tick (✓) the correct sentence, A or B.

- 0 A In spite of his success, he wasn't happy. ✓
B Although his success, he wasn't happy. _
- 1 A The sisters look the same age, though Nuria is three years older. _
B The sisters look the same age, despite Nuria is three years older. _
- 2 A In spite of I was tired, I felt really excited. _
B In spite of the fact that I was tired, I felt really excited. _
- 3 A Though having no money, we always had a great Christmas. _
B Despite having no money, we always had a great Christmas. _
- 4 A Although it was raining, we decided to go for a walk. _
B Although that it was raining, we decided to go for a walk. _
- 5 A Despite we didn't know each other, we got on very well. _
B Despite the fact that we didn't know each other, we got on very well. _

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6 Complete the sentences with *although* or *despite*.

- 0 *Despite* our recent problems, we all felt very positive.
- 1 _____ his name, Luca is English, not Italian.
- 2 _____ we weren't happy with the hotel, we decided to stay there.
- 3 _____ the fact that he didn't feel well, he stayed until the end of the concert.
- 4 _____ the river looked deep, the group were able to walk across it.
- 5 _____ not speaking a word of French, she managed to order a meal.

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Grammar total 30

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1 Complete the sentences with the verbs below.

catch grab leak scan scoop spread

0 The band's PR company decided to *leak* the news that they were splitting up in order to boost sales of their music.

1 She woke up to find that her relationship with the MP was _____ all over the front pages of the local paper.

2 It is every newspaper editor's dream to _____ a good story ahead of rival papers.

3 In some newspapers, the only stories to _____ the headlines are those involving so-called celebrities.

4 I read the Sunday papers from cover-to-cover in order to _____ up on any news that I might have missed during the week.

5 He tends to _____ the headlines rather than read the articles in any depth.

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2 Choose the correct answer.

0 We've just had some **breaking** / **newsworthy** news about an explosion in the centre of town.

1 The police decided to hold a press **release** / **conference** to update the media on the latest developments.

2 She tweeted her comments without checking the facts and was found guilty of **slander** / **libel**.

3 After a news story is written, it has to be **edited** / **censored** before being published in a newspaper.

4 A story may not get into the papers because the editor doesn't consider it to be sufficiently **newsflash** / **newsworthy**.

5 The celebrity couple **broke** / **edited** the news of their engagement on Twitter.

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3 Complete the sentences with the prepositions *about*, *by*, *in*, *of*, *on* or *with*.

0 I wonder if there's been any news *on* the boy who went missing yesterday?

1 Everyone listened intently as Karen amazed us with news _____ her travels through the Far East.

2 The tabloid newspapers tend to focus on news _____ celebrities and football players.

3 When Mrs Hanson was found guilty of fraud, we were all really shocked _____ the news.

4 I was waiting at the bus stop when my brother phoned _____ the news that his wife had had a baby girl.

5 The only reason that they're _____ the news at all is because they're good friends with a member of the royal family.

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Vocabulary total

15

GRAMMAR

1 Match the parts of the headlines.

0 Public invited to	A new housing
1 Police commander	B avoid stolen goods
2 Plan unveiled for	C give views on finance
3 Shoppers urged to	D takes on new role
4 Man's sentence	E to save world's rarest apes
5 Scientists in race	F cut after appeal

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