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Vocabulary

1 Complete the sentences with the missing words.

- Mack is the _____ of his band because he has got the best voice.
- The _____ went crazy when the band appeared. People were clapping and some were even crying.
- Mario prepared a _____ of his favourite songs to listen to on his journey to school.
- Terry played violin in a concert and gave a perfect _____.
- At the concert, Heather couldn't hear the music clearly because the _____ wasn't very good.
- Jim bought tickets to see his favourite group the first day he could because he knew they would _____ fast.

Score __/6

2 Complete the dialogue with one word in each gap.

- Amy** Hey Joel. Did you know that Taylor Swift is starting a world **1** _____ next month?
- Joel** Yes, of course! She is going to **2** _____ all the songs from her latest album. I've got my ticket and have been studying all the **3** _____ to the songs so I can sing the words along with her! But the most exciting thing is that she is going to **4** _____ some of the concerts and choose the best recordings for a **5** _____ album!
- Amy** Wow! If you sing loudly, we might hear you! Do you know when she will **6** _____ it?
- Joel** I think it'll be coming out at the end of the year. I can't wait!

Score __/6

3 Complete the sentences with the correct form of the words in the box. There are two extra words.

boredom jealousy joy loyal optimism satisfied
surprise sympathy

- Annabelle gets a lot of personal _____ from helping other people.
- For Nina, happily singing along to Shakira is a _____ experience.

- Chantel is very _____. She always sees things in a positive way.
- Kendal was _____ when he saw his friends. He had no idea they would come.
- Kevin was _____ so he tidied his bedroom.
- Jess was _____ towards her brother when he told her about his problems.

Score __/6

4 Choose the correct answers to complete the dialogue.

- Paul** How was your concert at the weekend?
- Bea** Well, before it started, I was quite **1** _____ to be honest. I thought it would be a disaster because I haven't been practising singing much. When I got on stage and looked at all the faces in the **2** _____, I started to feel a bit **3** _____.
- Paul** How was the **4** _____?
- Bea** It went really well. When we finished, everyone clapped and shouted, 'We want more!' So, we decided to **5** _____ one of our new songs. I was a bit **6** _____ because I forgot some of the **7** _____, but I don't think anyone noticed!

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| 1 a pessimism | c sympathetic |
| b pessimistic | d optimistic |
| 2 a support band | c lead singer |
| b musician | d audience |
| 3 a scared | c embarrassment |
| b fear | d pessimism |
| 4 a release | c tour |
| b performance | d perform |
| 5 a perform | c release |
| b sell out | d tour |
| 6 a content | c embarrassed |
| b jealous | d embarrassing |
| 7 a playlist | c record |
| b performance | d lyrics |

Score __/7

Grammar

- 5 Complete the dialogue with the correct present perfect simple or present perfect continuous. Use the verbs in the box to create positive or negative (+/-) sentences. Use contractions.

call do finish help plant write

- Lou** Hi Tom! You 1 _____ (-) me today. Are you OK?
- Tom** Yes. Sorry. I 2 _____ (+) a new song all morning. I 3 _____ (-) it yet. I need some new ideas. What 4 _____ you _____ (+) all day? You sound tired.
- Lou** I sound tired because I 5 _____ (+) my dad in the garden. We 6 _____ (+) two small lemon trees.
- Tom** Lemon trees? I think you've given me an idea for my song! Thanks!

Score __/6

- 6 Complete the sentences with the correct question tags.

- 1 The DJs were excellent, _____ ?
- 2 Miguel enjoyed the concert, _____ ?
- 3 I'm a good guitarist, _____ ?
- 4 You like hip hop, _____ ?
- 5 Julie hasn't heard your new song, _____ ?
- 6 At 8:00 pm, we were doing our homework in our rooms, _____ ?

Score __/6

- 7 Complete the sentences with the correct prepositions.

- 1 Who do you depend _____ ?
- 2 You look happy. What are you thinking _____ ?
- 3 Before you go home, could you please switch the light _____ ?
- 4 Do you have any good music that I can listen _____ ?
- 5 You have made a cake. Who is it _____ ?
- 6 I like your coat. Which shop is it _____ ?

Score __/6

- 8 Choose the correct answers to complete the text.

Hello everyone!

Helen here. Today I've got some exciting news. As you know I 1 _____ the violin for about a year now, but I 2 _____ my classes in a music class anymore. I've started having them online. I know! It sounds really strange, 3 _____ ?

I 4 _____ two classes so far and I really like them. Before, I 5 _____ a lot of time travelling to classes, but now I 6 _____ travel at all, which is great! My teacher is the same, but we have changed the time of the class. Which reminds me, I have to go, my next class 7 _____ in 15 minutes!

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| 1 a 'm studying | c 've been studying |
| b studied | d study |
| 2 a didn't have | c haven't had |
| b don't have | d haven't |
| 3 a doesn't it | c does it |
| b isn't it | d is it |
| 4 a 'm having | c had |
| b 've been having | d 've had |
| 5 a 'm spending | c was spent |
| b used to spend | d spend |
| 6 a must | c don't have to |
| b can't | d mustn't |
| 7 a is starting | c has started |
| b will start | d start |

Score __/7

Reading

Want to be successful in life? Start playing the piano

Not everyone who is learning to play the piano will become the next classical music genius, or have a sell-out world tour, but did you know that learning to play the piano can also help develop some practical life skills?

Time management

As with any other hobby, to master the piano, you need to organise a regular schedule for lessons and practice. You need to decide when to practise and stick to your routines. If you have a busy schedule, this can be challenging, but it is a great way to learn the skill of time management.

Creativity

Unsurprisingly, learning the piano will help you unlock your creativity. At first you will imitate the music of others, but if you are curious, you will start to play your own tunes. But your creativity is not limited to music. Many famous musicians have later become film directors or artists.

Be a team player or a leader

You might think that pianists are lonely types who spend hours locked away in their rooms. While being alone is useful when you are learning the basics, you can also develop skills by performing with others. As part of a group, you will need to work as a team to create a perfect sound. The person who leads and coordinates the group will also learn important leadership skills.

Achieving goals

When you start learning, you might feel pessimistic as it can take a long time to see results. But hang on in there! For most people, playing any instrument well is not easy, but practice makes perfect! If you keep going when things are difficult, you will get even greater satisfaction when you reach your goals.

So, don't forget all the benefits you are getting while experiencing the joy of playing music!

9 Read the text and tick (✓) two things mentioned.

- 1 how to become a classical music genius ____
- 2 that a piano student must organise their time ____
- 3 famous musicians who used to be directors ____
- 4 feelings of loneliness experienced by pianists ____
- 5 a problem a student might have when they start ____

Score ____/2

10 Read the text again. Are the sentences T (true), F (false) or is there NI (no information)?

- 1 The way to improve at the piano is similar to improving other free-time activities. **T/F/NI**
- 2 Learning the piano will help your creativity only in making music. **T/F/NI**
- 3 All top solo musicians also play in groups. **T/F/NI**
- 4 It is difficult to get good at playing an instrument for the majority of people. **T/F/NI**

Score ____/4

11 Find the sentences in the text that mean the same as these

- 1 According to the writer, learning the piano can offer benefits that can help with life in general.

- 2 According to the writer, having a schedule makes it possible for you to improve.

- 3 The writer suggests that there are lots of benefits to playing with others.

- 4 The writer suggests that it is important to remember you are having fun and learning

Score ____/4

12 Read the text again and find an example of

- 1 a colloquial expression that means 'don't give up'.


- 2 an idiom that means 'if you work hard at something regularly, you will reach a high level'.

Score ____/2

13 Would you like to learn the piano? Write three reasons why/why not.

Score ____/3

Listening

- 14  Listen to five teenagers talking about recent experiences related to music. Complete the sentences using the words in the box. There are four extra words.

angry calm embarrassed jealous joyful
lonely optimistic satisfied surprised

- 1 Right now Claudia is feeling _____ about the news she has heard.
- 2 Oscar is _____ about finding the name of a song he likes.
- 3 Julia's brother is going to a concert tonight and she feels _____.
- 4 Josep feels _____ about something he has made himself.
- 5 When Gala first learned the guitar, she felt _____.

Score __/5

- 15 Listen again. Match something the speaker says (a–f) with speakers 1–5. Use each speaker once. There is one extra sentence.

- a It's often funny when I do something badly. ____
- b I am surprised that learning something has been so difficult. ____
- c My opinion about something changed when I heard a song. ____
- d I can't forget something that I heard. ____
- e I am creating music on my own. ____
- f I spent a long time learning the words to some songs. ____

Score __/5

- 16 Listen again. Choose the correct answers to complete the sentences.

- 1 Recently Claudia has been
 - a writing messages on the website of her favourite band.
 - b trying to remember the words of songs.
 - c buying all the records of her favourite band.
- 2 When Oscar sings in front of his friends,
 - a they are surprised how well he remembers the song.
 - b they are embarrassed by his bad singing.
 - c he doesn't feel very comfortable.

- 3 Julia didn't get a ticket for the concert because
 - a there were no tickets left when she wanted to buy one.
 - b she doesn't like any of the artist's songs.
 - c they sold out before she knew about it.
- 4 Josep says that he
 - a has got a set of drums and a keyboard.
 - b wants to have a whole orchestra playing on his new song.
 - c makes music by selecting the drum sound first.
- 5 In her first guitar lesson,
 - a Gala played a complete song.
 - b Gala laughed at her teacher's jokes.
 - c Gala's teacher was unhappy when she made mistakes.

Score __/5

Speaking

- 17 Complete the dialogue with one word in each gap.

- Mila** What's the 1 _____ ?
- Paco** To be 2 _____, I'm feeling really embarrassed because I made a mistake.
- Mila** Do you want to talk 3 _____ it?
- Paco** Yes. I shouted at my brother because he forgot my birthday. I was really upset. But I've just discovered that he ordered an amazing present for me online, but it hasn't arrived yet. I've been feeling too embarrassed to speak to him.
- Mila** How 4 _____ have you been feeling like this?
- Paco** All day. I don't know what to do.
- Mila** First, you should calm down, and when you feel ready, go and say sorry.
- Paco** Thanks. I feel 5 _____ better now. I'm glad I told you.

Score __/5

- 18 Work in pairs asking about and talking about feelings with your partner in the Speaking task from your teacher.

Score __/5

19 Write a review of a TV or online series you have watched recently. Say what you liked and didn't like about it and if you would recommend it or not.

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Speaking ___/10
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