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Grammar

1 Choose the correct alternatives.

- 1 I often go/I'm often going to the cinema on Thursdays if I'm not busy.
- 2 He can't go out tonight. He's studying/He studies for an important exam at the moment.
- 3 We loving/We love classical music. We go to a concert almost every month.
- 4 Well, I usually play/I'm usually playing computer games in the evening but tonight I'm too tired.
- 5 Are you working/Do you work right now? I need some help with the washing.
- 6 What do you usually do/are you usually doing at the weekend?
- 7 My brother isn't wanting/doesn't want to be a pilot when he finishes university.
- 8 Jill's living/Jill lives with her friend until she can buy her own apartment.
- 9 Sometimes I eat/I'm eating out on Saturdays but I prefer cooking at home.
- 10 Do you always play/Are you always playing the violin in your bedroom?
- 11 She's working/She works in London at the moment so she can't come, I'm afraid.

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2 Choose the correct option, a, b or c.

- 1 When are you b that assignment? I need it for the meeting.
a finishing b going to finish c finish
- 2 I am tennis with Belinda on Friday. Do you want to play?
a 'm not playing b 'm not playing to c 'm not going play
- 3 When he finishes university, he is going for work abroad.
a looking b 's going to look c 's looking
- 4 How is to work with a broken arm?
a are you going to drive b you are going to drive c are you driving
- 5 She is meeting her friends at 9 o'clock near the clock tower.
a going to meet b 're meeting c 's meeting
- 6 On 6th January, they are going to Geneva but will be back on the 18th for the presentation.
a 're going to b going to go to c going to

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3 Complete the sentences with the correct form of will.

- 1 My father thinks people won't drive cars in the future. Cars will drive themselves.
- 2 Martin's sure his team will win the cup this season. They will also finish top of the table.
- 3 We think it will rain later – the sky is dark grey. But tomorrow will be lovely and sunny.
- 4 I hope I will play the piano better when my sore finger improves. It will hurt so much.

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- 5 There will be more cars on the road in the next ten years. We will be stuck in traffic jams all the time!
- 6 Will they speak more languages in the future? Or will there be just one or two?

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Vocabulary

4 Complete the sentences with the correct form of the words in the box.

have get pass run study take train work

- 1 I need to pass my exams so that I can go to university.
- 2 Dominic has three degrees but I can't remember what they are at the moment.
- 3 He didn't run a degree from university but he still became richer than all his classmates.
- 4 Did you learn Spanish by yourself or did you take a course?
- 5 He only has part time because he has to look after three children.
- 6 Is she studying for a degree in engineering or computer programming? I can't remember.
- 7 Do you want to become as a doctor or a dentist? You need to choose now.
- 8 Gina has her own company. It's doing very well!

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5 Complete the words related to personal characteristics.

- 1 Our postman always arrives at 8 a.m. He's very reliable.
- 2 My husband speaks in front of hundreds of people for his job but he doesn't mind. He's quite outgoing.
- 3 One son is very hard-working but the other is the complete opposite. He's so lazy!
- 4 I lost my wallet but a very honest person found it and took it to the police station.
- 5 Martino is quite open and will say exactly how he feels about something.
- 6 You need to be very organized in this job because there is so much paperwork.
- 7 We're very busy today and it's taking time to talk to everyone. Please be patient.
- 8 Are you ambitious? We need someone who wants to work hard and get to the top.

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6 Complete the sentences with the correct form of the words or phrases in the box.

fall ~~get better~~ get harder get worse
improve increase reduce

- 1 Public transport has got better but it still isn't perfect.
- 2 The number of extreme weather events isn't _____ according to the government. However, most people think it is going up.
- 3 We need to _____ the amount of plastic in the environment before it's too late.
- 4 How can I _____ my score? I keep getting poor results.
- 5 My cold _____ so I went to bed.
- 6 The economy isn't very healthy at the moment and house prices _____ every month.
- 7 Every year, it _____ to earn good money in this business.

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Function

7 Choose the correct option, a, b or c to complete the conversation.

- A: I'm so bored! I've got nothing to do.
B: How ¹ c playing a video game with me. I've got a great football game.
A: I'm not keen ² _____ playing computer games.
B: I think ³ _____ enjoy this one. It's got your favourite team in it.
A: No. I prefer playing real football.
B: Here's ⁴ _____ idea. I'll call some friends and we can have a game in the park.
A: I'm not ⁵ _____ football is a good idea because I've just eaten.
B: What about ⁶ _____ to the cinema, then? We could see the new *Star Wars* film.
A: I'm not really ⁷ _____ that kind of thing, I'm afraid.
B: Why not ⁸ _____ it? It's supposed to be really good.
A: No. Actually, I don't feel too well. I have a bit of a headache.
B: Oh. Then I recommend ⁹ _____ a short sleep.
A: I'm not tired.
B: You'll ¹⁰ _____ better, I'm sure.
A: Maybe I should go home.
B: That's a good ¹¹ _____! Bye.

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| 1 a is | b to | c <u>about</u> |
| 2 a in | b on | c to |
| 3 a you'll | b you're | c should |
| 4 a more | b a | c another |
| 5 a thinking | b sure | c keen |
| 6 a going | b goes | c go |
| 7 a in | b into | c for |
| 8 a do | b fancy | c try |
| 9 a having | b have | c to have |
| 10 a go | b feel | c feeling |
| 11 a idea | b thing | c fun |

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