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File Test 4
Grammar, Vocabulary, and Pronunciation A

GRAMMAR

1 Complete the email. Put the verb in brackets in the present perfect or past simple.

Hi Darren

I'*ve just received* (just / receive) your email. Sorry to hear you aren't well. I hope you feel better soon. You [1] _____ (be) really busy recently! [2] _____ (you / plan) your holiday yet? In August, I [3] _____ (go) to Canada with my family again. We [4] _____ (go) there three times now! But this time, we [5] _____ (not stay) with my uncle in Toronto. Instead, we [6] _____ (hire) a car so we could visit different places. Then in October, Tanya and I [7] _____ (travel) around Morocco. [8] _____ (you / ever / go) there? It's a really interesting country.

Write soon!

Raoul

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2 Complete the dialogues with *just*, *already*, or *yet*.

Example: **Tom** Have you finished that report *yet*?
Mo I've *just* typed the last page. I finished it a few minutes ago!

1 **Ana** I haven't emailed Yoshio [1] _____. What about you?
Tim I've [2] _____ sent him five emails!
2 **Bob** I've [3] _____ seen this film. I saw it at the cinema.
Jill Don't tell me what happens! I haven't seen it [4] _____!
3 **Jan** I've [5] _____ made some biscuits. Would you like one?
Li No, thanks. I'm not hungry. I've [6] _____ had lots to eat today.

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3 Underline the correct word.

Example: I want to take Mum **somewhere** / **anywhere** / **nowhere** nice for her birthday.

1 She didn't do **nothing** / **something** / **anything** yesterday.
2 I knocked on the door but **somebody** / **nobody** / **anybody** answered.
3 We've bought you **something** / **somebody** / **somewhere** for Christmas.
4 I'm thirsty because I've had **something** / **nothing** / **anything** to drink.
5 Did you go **anywhere** / **nowhere** / **anything** nice at the weekend?
6 **Anyone** / **Someone** / **Something** left their wallet in the classroom.

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VOCABULARY

4 Complete the shopping words in the sentences.

Example: These shoes don't **f***it*. They're too small.

1 You can try the dress on in the **c**_____ room.
2 They went to the **c**_____ to pay for everything.
3 You need your **r**_____ when you take something back to a shop.
4 Ken hates going to shops, so he does all his shopping **o**_____.
5 This colour doesn't **s**_____ me. It makes me look older.
6 This jacket is too small. I need a bigger **s**_____.
7 I love buying things on **a**_____ sites like eBay.

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5 Complete the sentences with the correct word.

Example: Sam never *makes* his bed in the morning.
does makes puts

1 Elena is _____ a cookery course at the local college.
doing making going
2 Paul _____ some mistakes in his homework.
did put made
3 Lunch is nearly ready. Can you _____ the table, Pete?
make lay put
4 Don't walk on the kitchen floor! I've just _____ it.
ironed made cleaned
5 Jaime forgot to do the _____, so there aren't any clean cups.
washing washing up shopping
6 Remember to _____ out the rubbish before you go to bed.
take make do
7 Don't leave your clothes on the floor. _____ them up.
leave pick find

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6 Choose from the pairs of adjectives to complete the sentences.

boring / bored exciting / excited interested / interesting relaxing / relaxed depressing / ~~depressed~~ tiring / tired

Example: I was very *depressed* yesterday because I failed my driving test.

1 Walking around the museum was quite _____. I need a rest!
2 The kids were _____. They had nothing to do.
3 I'm not _____ in art. I prefer sport.
4 The football match was really _____. Our team scored in the last minute.
5 The lesson was really _____. We nearly fell asleep.
6 I always feel _____ after swimming. It helps me forget all my stress.

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PRONUNCIATION

7 Match the words with the same sound.

du**s**t **k**ey **j**umper ~~**l**unch~~ n**o**body s**ai**d

Example: s**o**mebody *lunch*

1 chan**g**ing _____
2 **a**nything _____
3 pro**c**eed _____
4 a**cc**ount _____
5 cl**o**thes _____

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8 Underline the stressed syllable.

Example: a|ssis|tant

1 cus|to|mer
2 re|ceipt
3 ru|bbish
4 house|work
5 a|ccount

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Pronunciation total	10
Grammar, Vocabulary, and Pronunciation total	50

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Reading and Writing A

READING

1 Read a student's review of a shopping event and tick (✓) A, B, or C.

My free shopping trip

Have you ever been to a shop and bought a dress that was too small or some shoes that were too uncomfortable? I have. Have you ever bought clothes online and then never worn them? Yes, me too. In fact, although my wardrobe is full I usually wear the same trousers and jumpers every week. I think most of my friends have the same problem.

Now imagine a clothes store with no check out and no prices! Last weekend, I went to a store like that. It was a 'Clothes swap' at my college. Here's how it works. You bring clothes that are nearly new which you don't want any more. Then you swap with other people. I took twelve items to the 'Clothes swap'. When I arrived at about 9.30, it was already busy. One of the student organizers checked that my items were clean and nearly new. Then she gave me twelve labels – one label for each of my items – which I could swap for new clothes.

There were changing rooms and mirrors, so I tried on a few things. I wanted a blue party dress but there wasn't anything blue in my size. I decided not to look at the shoes at all. (I don't need more shoes!) Instead, I tried on a cute black skirt and smart white shirt. They were perfect. By lunchtime, I still had ten labels but it was time to go. Although I swapped just two items for my original twelve – I was happy.

The 'Clothes swap' was a lot of fun. My wardrobe and my bedroom are tidier. Swapping is also good for the planet because it is a kind of recycling. The clothes I brought home are not new, but they feel new to me. I think swap events are something that everyone can enjoy. Happy swapping – and don't go shopping!

Example: The writer never buys clothes that are the wrong size.
A True ☐ B False ✓ C Doesn't say ☐

1 The writer doesn't have many clothes.
A True ☐ B False ☐ C Doesn't say ☐
2 The items in the 'Clothes swap' were free.
A True ☐ B False ☐ C Doesn't say ☐
3 The 'Clothes swap' was in a shopping centre.
A True ☐ B False ☐ C Doesn't say ☐
4 The writer went to the event with her best friend.
A True ☐ B False ☐ C Doesn't say ☐
5 People at the event could try on the clothes.
A True ☐ B False ☐ C Doesn't say ☐
6 The writer found a blue party dress.
A True ☐ B False ☐ C Doesn't say ☐
7 Nobody wanted any of the writer's clothes.
A True ☐ B False ☐ C Doesn't say ☐
8 The writer chose ten items.
A True ☐ B False ☐ C Doesn't say ☐

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9 The writer stayed at the 'Clothes swap' for several hours.
A True ☐ B False ☐ C Doesn't say ☐

10 The writer's bedroom is tidier than before.
A True ☐ B False ☐ C Doesn't say ☐

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2 Read the review again and answer the questions.

1 What does the writer usually wear?

_____

2 What did the student organizer check when the writer arrived?

_____

3 What did the writer try on at the event?

_____

4 Why didn't the writer look at the shoes?

_____

5 Who does the writer think will enjoy clothes swapping?

_____

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Reading total	15

WRITING

Write about a time you went clothes shopping with a friend. Answer the questions. (100–150 words)

- Which shop(s) did you go to?
- What did you need to buy?
- Did you try anything on? What?
- Was your friend helpful?
- Are you planning to go shopping with your friend again? Why/Why not?

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Writing total	10
Reading and Writing total	25

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LISTENING

1 Listen to Archie talking to his mum. Tick (✓) A, B, or C.

1 Mum is cleaning _____ .
A the living room ☐ B the bathroom ☐ C Archie's bedroom ☐
2 Archie's room is _____ .
A tidy ☐ B untidy ☐ C dirty ☐
3 Archie hasn't _____ yet.
A done his homework ☐ B put his school clothes away ☐ C got the hoover ☐
4 Archie wants to tell mum _____ .
A about his friend ☐ B a funny story ☐ C some exciting news ☐
5 Mum thinks that lunch will be _____ .
A interesting ☐ B delicious ☐ C relaxing ☐

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2 Listen to five conversations. What have the people just done? Match the conversations with the actions (A–G). There are two answers you don't need.

Conversation 1 ☐
Conversation 2 ☐
Conversation 3 ☐
Conversation 4 ☐
Conversation 5 ☐

A bought something online
B made lunch
C been to the supermarket
D broken something
E done the hoovering
F done English homework
G tidied the kitchen

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Listening total	10

SPEAKING

1 Ask your partner these questions.

1 Have you ever been shopping in a foreign city? What did you buy?
2 Have you ever tried a new sport? Which one did you try?
3 Have you ever been to an unusual birthday party? Why was it unusual?
4 Have you ever bought something you've never worn? What was it?
5 Have you ever forgotten to do your homework? What happened?

Now answer your partner's questions.

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2 Look at Clare's list of jobs for the day and answer your partner's questions.

Things to do today
take out rubbish ✓
pick up wet towels ×
clear table ✓
tidy living room ×
do ironing ×

3 Has Tom done his jobs for the day? Make questions and ask your partner.

- tidy / bathroom?
- make / dinner?
- do / washing up?
- clean / floor?
- put away / clean clothes?

Speaking total		15
Listening and Speaking total		25

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