

Progress test 2 Units 7–12

Exercise 1 Present Perfect and Past Simple

Complete the text with the Past Simple or the Present Perfect form of the verbs in brackets.

1 point for each correct answer 8

Carla Brown (1) has worked (worked) in marketing for 10 years. She (2) _____ (study) marketing at college, and then (3) _____ (find) a job with a small advertising agency in Manchester. Since then she (4) _____ (change) her job several times and she (5) _____ (live) in many different places. Three years ago, she (6) _____ (start) working for Jerome and Jerome, a big company with offices all over the world. She (7) _____ (be) a manager with the company for eighteen months. The company has clients in the USA, and Carla (8) _____ (be) there several times on business. Last year she (9) _____ (spend) six months in their New York office.

1 point for each correct answer 8

Exercise 2 for and since, ever and never

Tick (✓) the correct sentence.

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| 1 a I've known David since I was a child. | ☒ |
| b I've known David for I was a child. | ☐ |
| 2 a I have lived in Brighton for five years. | ☐ |
| b I have lived in Brighton since five years. | ☐ |
| 3 a We haven't never been to China. | ☐ |
| b We haven't ever been to China. | ☐ |
| 4 a I've been a teacher before I left university. | ☐ |
| b I've been a teacher since I left university. | ☐ |
| 5 a I went to Bristol University six years ago. | ☐ |
| b I've been to Bristol University six years ago. | ☐ |
| 6 a He's studied English since a long time. | ☐ |
| b He's studied English for a long time. | ☐ |
| 7 a I've ever been to Russia, but I'd like to go. | ☐ |
| b I've never been to Russia, but I'd like to go. | ☐ |
| 8 a Have you ever won a prize? | ☐ |
| b Have ever you won a prize? | ☐ |
| 9 a How long have you lived here? | ☐ |
| b How long time have you lived here? | ☐ |

Exercise 3 have to / don't have to, should / must

Complete the sentences with the correct form of the pairs of verbs in the box.

have to / go to school should / take up must / forget
~~should / wear~~ have to / train have to / study
 must / go to bed should / have have to / work

- You should wear comfortable clothing when travelling.
- A doctor _____ for many years.
- We _____ squash to try and get fit.
- You _____ early. We have an early start tomorrow.
- We _____ to buy Jack a birthday card.
- Today is a holiday, so the children _____.
- I _____ another cake. I'm trying to lose weight.
- We're so busy in the office that I _____ late every night last week.
- _____ you _____ Latin when you were at school?

1 point for each correct answer 8

Exercise 4 Narrative tenses; joining sentences

Choose the correct words.

I (1) heard / have heard a funny story the other day. A German woman (2) refused / was refusing to serve a couple (3) while / when they asked for a table in her restaurant. (4) So / But she didn't realize that the man and woman were the king and queen of Sweden! The woman (5) had / had had no free tables because a big group (6) was enjoying / enjoyed a wedding reception in the restaurant. She admitted that she didn't recognize the king and queen (7) because / although they (8) didn't wear / weren't wearing royal clothes or a crown! She was sorry but the couple (9) hadn't / didn't booked a table and there was nothing she could do. (10) As soon as / Until she realized her mistake, she (11) had decided / decided to send a letter to the king and queen to apologize. (12) After / Before the king and queen left the restaurant, people say they (13) managed / had managed to get a pizza!

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1 point for each correct answer 12

Exercise 5 Active or passive?

Choose the correct verb forms.

- 1 Portuguese *speaks* / *is spoken* in Brazil.
- 2 That's the third time he *has failed* / *has been failed* the exam.
- 3 'The Da Vinci Code' *wrote* / *was written* by Dan Brown.
- 4 A lot of trees *cut down* / *were cut down* to build that house.
- 5 They *don't grow* / *aren't grown* bananas in Scotland.
- 6 Some pictures *have taken* / *have been taken* from the museum.
- 7 Someone *has stolen* / *has been stolen* my bike!

1 point for each correct answer 6

Exercise 6 Passives

Write the sentences in the passive.

- 1 Someone interviewed the politician on TV.
The politician was interviewed on TV.
- 2 They didn't deliver the post until midday.

- 3 They have made nylon since 1932.

- 4 We throw away tons of rubbish every day.

- 5 When will they build the new supermarket?

- 6 People don't use cheques very often now.

- 7 Someone has scratched my car.

1 point for each correct answer 6

Exercise 7 Present Perfect Simple and Continuous

Tick (✓) the correct sentence.

- 1 a How long have you been learning English? ☒
- b How long have you learnt English? ☐
- 2 a How long have you known Wendy? ☐
- b How long have you been knowing Wendy? ☐
- 3 a I saw her five minutes ago. ☐
- b I've seen her five minutes ago. ☐
- 4 a How long have you waited for the bus? ☐
- b How long have you been waiting for the bus? ☐
- 5 a She's been buying a new car. ☐
- b She's bought a new car. ☐
- 6 a I've planted three trees this morning. ☐
- b I've been planting three trees this morning. ☐
- 7 a He is waiting to see the doctor since nine o'clock. ☐
- b He has been waiting to see the doctor since nine o'clock. ☐
- 8 a How long have you been trying to sell your house? ☐
- b How long are you trying to sell your house? ☐
- 9 a I've run in the park, so I'm tired. ☐
- b I've been running in the park, so I'm tired. ☐

1 point for each correct answer 8

Exercise 8 Tense review

Find *one* mistake in each sentence and correct it.

- 1 I ~~am~~ a teacher for 10 years. **have been**
- 2 I work here since last summer.
- 3 I didn't born in hospital.
- 4 We've been taking about 100 photos.
- 5 She love to be an actress one day.
- 6 Hurry up! I've waited ages for you.
- 7 They've moved house two months ago.
- 8 I already spent half my salary this month.

1 point for each correct answer 7

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Put the words in the correct order.

- 1 hear / if / I / news / any / you / I / phone / will

I will phone you if I hear any news.

- 2 buy / she / if / passes / test / she / car / driving / her / a / will

- 3 weather / go / if / we / won't / bad / out / the / is

- 4 you / feel / stop / better / if / will / you / smoking

- 5 my / her / won't / doesn't / wedding / she / if / apologize / I / invite / to

- 6 problem / help / I / you / have / you / a / will / if

- 7 annoyed / fans / win / don't / they / be / if / the / will / very

1 point for each correct answer 6**Exercise 10 might**Rewrite the sentences with *might* or *might not*.

- 1 Perhaps we won't have a holiday this year.

We might not have a holiday this year.

- 2 Perhaps I'll see you later.

- 3 Perhaps you won't need to borrow the money.

- 4 Perhaps she isn't at home today.

- 5 Perhaps she'll call you at the weekend.

- 6 Perhaps he'll be a bit late.

- 7 Perhaps they don't live there anymore.

1 point for each correct answer 6**Exercise 11 Second conditional**

Make five sentences from the chart.

Use each verb in **B** once only.

A	B	C	D	E
	lived	a dictionary		go to see her.
	earned	you	I'd	look up the word.
If I	knew	in Brazil	I wouldn't	marry George.
	had	more money		learn Portuguese.
	were	Maria's address		save it.

- 1 _____
- 2 _____
- 3 _____
- 4 _____
- 5 _____

1 point for each correct answer 5**Exercise 12 Words that go together**

Cross out the word or phrase that doesn't go with the verb.

- 1 **play** *games / a part / ~~karate~~*
- 2 **get** *engaged / single / divorced*
- 3 **miss** *someone who died / the bus / your wallet*
- 4 **have** *a tough time / a baby / pregnant*
- 5 **wear** *an umbrella / aftershave / sunglasses*
- 6 **do** *a photo / exercises / the shopping*
- 7 **make** *a discovery / a phone call / the housework*

1 point for each correct answer 3

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Exercise 13 Word formation

Complete the sentences with the correct form of the words in brackets.

- 1 Don't be **nervous** (nerve) about your exam.
You'll be fine.
- 2 They came back to England from Australia because they felt _____ (home).
- 3 She was _____ (disappoint) when she didn't get her dream job.
- 4 There's a lot of _____ (compete) for places at the best universities.
- 5 She's training to be an _____ (employ) lawyer.
- 6 They run a _____ (success) online business.
- 7 I don't read her blog. It isn't very _____ (well / write).
- 8 Don't be _____ (bad / dress) for your interview – wear a suit.

1 point for each correct answer

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Exercise 14 Vocabulary

Choose the correct words to complete the sentences, a, b, or c.

- 1 Have you just sent me a ... ?
a **text message** b website c phone call
- 2 Thank you for your ...
a kindly b kindness c kind
- 3 Our network is fully protected against computer ...
a viruses b games c waves
- 4 Don't be ... of her. She's worked very hard to be successful.
a scared b proud c jealous
- 5 The dress code at work is casual, but I usually wear a ...
a skirt b scarf c suit
- 6 How long have the airport staff been ... strike?
a on b in c at
- 7 The fire caused a lot of damage ... the area.
a by b to c for
- 8 Why didn't you wait ... ?
a for me b me c to me

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