Lessons 4 and 5 unit 5

Read a personality quiz. Then complete the comprehension questions.

PERSONALITY QUIZ: ARE YOU A PLANNER OR A FREE SPIRIT?

You are planning a quiet weekend at home, but then—surprise! An old friend texts you. He wants to go fishing—in an hour. What's your response? Will you change your plans and meet him?



Some people love surprises. They get bored if every day is the same. These free spirits are always up for anything. Other people are the opposite. They are planners. They are very organized. Planners usually don't like last-minute changes to their plans. What kind of person are you—a free spirit or a planner? To find out, take our quiz.

What do you do when ...?

1) You are planning a trip to London.
a. I read about the city and make a list of everything I want to see.
b. I ask my friends on social media about places to visit.
c. I wait until I arrive. Then I decide what to do.

2) You want to cook dinner tonight, but you need to go shopping.
a. I decide what to cook. Then I check the refrigerator and make a list.
b. I buy what looks good. Then I cook whatever I bought.
c. I get a call from a friend, and we decide to go out for pizza instead.

3) You buy a desk on the Internet. It arrives in a box in twelve pieces. Now you need to put it together.
a. I read the instructions. I find a video online to help me.
b. I usually don't read instructions, but I look at them if I have a problem.
c. I never use the instructions. I figure it out on my own.

4) You wake up. It's a beautiful, sunny day.
a. I walk to work with a smile on my face.
b. I go to my office but take a long lunch in the park.
c. I take my laptop and go hiking. I do some work in a beautiful place.

5) You have a deadline next week for a project at work.
a. I finish early so I can check my work.
b. I work until midnight, but I finish on time.
c. I think of a better idea for the project. My boss will love it!

3 CHECK YOUR UNDERSTANDING

A What is the main point that the quiz makes?

a. Free spirits have more fun than planners.
b. Planners and free spirits have opposite personalities.
c. A personality quiz can help you to improve your life.

B Who probably said it? Write *P* (planner) or *F* (free spirit) in the blanks.

1. ___ When I have a big project, I do a little bit of it every day.
2. ___ When I visit a new city, I just get on a bus and see where it goes.
3. ___ I like to know my weekend plans before Friday night.
4. ___ I check a map on my phone before I start to drive.
5. ___ I think I'll have a party tonight. I just posted an invitation on my social media page.
6. ___ When I find a cheap flight to a new place, I buy a ticket.

LIVEWORKSHEETS

Read the email. What are Edgar and his friends doing next weekend?

Re: Weekend Plans

From: Edgar Price

To: Carlos Ryan

Hey Carlos and Ryan!

Let's go camping at Red River Park next weekend! It's amazing there this time of year. On Saturday, we can go swimming, jet skiing, or fishing. I'm sure we'll catch some fish. We can cook them for dinner. Do you like cooking over a fire? ☺ On Sunday, how about kayaking? I love kayaking. Does that sound good? Or, we can go hiking!

I can give you guys a ride, or we can meet at the lake. I'm leaving on Friday afternoon—around 3:00. Can't wait. It'll be a lot of fun.

Edgar

What activities does Edgar suggest?

Friday	Saturday	Sunday
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

Find words and expressions in Edgar's email that have similar meanings.

1. We should go. _____

2. It's great. _____

3. I definitely think _____

4. What do you think of _____

5. Do you agree? _____

6. It'll be a great time. _____

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