

Present and past habits

1 Circle the best alternative.

- Looking at these old photos of my mum, I can see that the clothes she wore would be/used to be all the rage.
- The press criticised/were criticising young people for trying to be on trend.
- Naomi is continually boasting/would continually boast about her fashion sense. I'm finding it quite tiring.
- Patrick will forever go on/would forever go on about how influential his father was.
- Mia takes/would take her sister's new blouse without asking. She's always doing that.
- She 'll buy/will buy every new skirt she sees. She loves keeping up with the latest fashions.
- Last summer, I was wearing/wore those old trousers every day thinking that they were back in fashion, but I realise now that they weren't.

2 Complete the second sentence so it has a similar meaning to the first. You should use between two and five words, including the word given.

- The school holidays were always exciting when I was growing up. **USED**
The school holidays boring when I was growing up.
- When she was younger, Tina wouldn't worry about what was in fashion. **TO**
When she was younger, Tina about what was in fashion.
- My grandparents never visited us on Saturday mornings as Grandad didn't want to miss the football. **WOULD**
My grandparents us on Saturday mornings as Grandad didn't want to miss the football.
- The only thing Mia talks about is her vintage clothes. I wish she'd talk about something else. **IS**
Mia about her vintage clothes. I wish she'd talk about something else.
- I'm not surprised Luke hasn't remembered our meeting today. He always finds a way to avoid doing his share of the group work. **WOULD**
Of course Luke our meeting today. He always finds a way to avoid doing his share of the group work.
- I think that's Kevin. He always texts me if he's going to be late. **WILL**
That He always texts me if he's going to be late.
- My brother wasn't very helpful at home, but now he's older he does a lot of the housework. **DID**

My brother very helpful at home, but now he's older he does a lot of the housework.

8 Margaret used to turn up late which disturbed me and the rest of the class. **WAS**
Margaret up late which disturbed me and the rest of the class.

/ 15 points

Relative clauses

3a Complete the sentences with these words. You can use the words more than once.

when · where · which · who · whose

- The teenagers study here are encouraged to interact with their peers as much as possible.
- Marrakech is a city in you can find all sorts of culinary delights.
- I was born in the eighties, disco became all the rage.
- Have you been to the restaurant John went for his birthday?
- In my opinion, Brian only bought his new smartphone, I admit is quite cool, because it's the latest model.
- Fabanti is that clothes designer recycled handbags are the must-have accessory for this season.
- The striped trousers I've been wearing for years are back in fashion.

b In which of the above sentence(s) can the relative pronoun be replaced by *that*?

c In which sentence(s) can the relative pronoun be omitted?

4 Find and correct the mistakes.

- There are many vintage boutiques downtown that the trendsetters go to shop.
- It strikes me that many people would like careers in which will bring them fame.
- I'll never forget the day which she decided to become a punk.
- Lena is the one, who is a bit of a trendsetter.
- Stacey Black's video which is fantastic by the way has gone viral.
- Do you know anyone whose in the know about the fashion world and can help me with the costumes for the show?
- You know the shop I mean – the one which the decor is terribly outdated.

/ 16 points

Unit review

5 Choose the best answer (A, B, C or D).

New Musical Trends

When we talk about changes in music trends, we are not only talking about the types of music we listen to, but also the ways in (1) we listen to it.

In the past, people (2) on the radio, eager to listen to their favourite show and find out (3) was being talked about in the music world. Music fans (4) buy vinyl, cassettes and CDs based on the recommendations of a DJ. However, in just a few decades this ritual (5) completely outdated. The next generation of listeners would instead switch on their devices and stream music that had been recommended by their peers on social media. This generation (6) digital music platforms. Nevertheless, this new way of engaging with music did not prove popular with the music industry, (7) loss of revenue was dramatic. Nowadays, however, the music industry is using this changing trend to its advantage. Record companies have discovered new ways to make money and many listeners (8) happily pay for a premium subscription to music streaming services. What's more, the record industry has been quick to realise that online music videos can generate huge amounts of advertising revenue, (9) eliminates the need to actually sell the music.

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| 1 A what | B how |
| C which | D that |
| 2 A did turn | B would turn |
| C will turn | D have turned |
| 3 A which | B where |
| C that | D what |
| 4 A used to | B did |
| C will | D was |
| 5 A will become | B became |
| C was becoming | D used to become |
| 6 A were forever praising | B were forever praised |
| C were praising forever | D were praised forever |
| 7 A who | B whom |
| C whose | D that |
| 8 A should | B must |
| C would | D will |
| 9 A what | B that |
| C which | D who |

/ 9 points

Total: / 40 points