

Unit 1

B2 First Part 7

- 1
c
2
1 degree 2 coursework 3 scholarship
4 tutorial 5 postgraduate 6 facilities
3
1 D 2 B 3 A 4 C 5 A 6 D 7 B
8 A 9 C 10 B

B2 First Part 3

- 1
c
2
1 f 2 a 3 d 4 e 5 g 6 h
7 b 8 c
3
1 valuable/invaluable 2 employment
3 disadvantages 4 professional
5 management/managers 6 undecided
7 undergraduate 8 expectations

Unit 2

Open comprehension

- 1
b
2
1 work job 2 write sign 3 makes does
4 for of 5 up down 6 pay salary
3
1 Employers want experience, but new graduates haven't had the chance to get any.
2 Because he got work experience while he was at school.
3 Because it shows you are motivated and good at working in a team.
4 How to get products to the customer quickly and carefully.
5 Use the opportunity to make contacts and look out for permanent jobs in the company.
6 You might have to do similar tasks in a job, e.g. write a report.
7 Optimistic because the writer says, 'nothing will stop you!'
4
1 tackle a problem
2 get your foot in the door
3 transferable
4 reference
5 handy hints

B2 First Part 1

- 1
c
2
1 b 2 f 3 e 4 a 5 c 6 d

3

- 1 C 2 C 3 B 4 D 5 A 6 B
7 C 8 D

Unit 3

B2 First Part 6

- 1
b
2
1 c 2 d 3 a 4 g 5 b 6 e 7 f
3
1 F 2 G 3 B 4 D 5 A 6 C

B2 First Part 4

- 1
a
2
1 board 2 lift 3 off-peak 4 commute
5 disagree 6 incorrect
3
1 he is/he's/he feels **incapable** of doing
2 **once** we've/we have taken
3 **rather** not go/drive/travel
4 **always** travels off-peak/during quiet times/at quiet times
5 won't/will not **have** finished
6 was **not** as/so expensive as

Unit 4

B2 First Part 5

- 1
a
2
1 psychologist 2 introverted
3 assistant 4 live wire 5 wallflower
6 loyal
3
1 C 2 D 3 A 4 B 5 D 6 A

B2 First Part 2

- 1
c
2
1 g 2 a 3 f 4 h 5 b 6 d 7 c
8 e
3
1 a 2 to 3 are/'re 4 the
5 although/while 6 this/that/such
7 why 8 less/not

Unit 5

Open comprehension

- 1
c
2
1 out 2 leg 3 out 4 note 5 belt
6 budget

3

- 1 They have all had a positive impact on British society./They are real people who are no longer alive.
2 the British public
3 several independent specialists and the committee/Banknote Character Advisory Committee
4 Whether a figure will be meaningful to the average person and has a positive image.
5 the Governor of the Bank of England
6 Because of his important/innovative work in the fields of computer science and artificial intelligence.
7 Not much of one, because the UK is moving towards a cashless society.

4

- 1 respect/thank/pay tribute to/celebrate
2 group/team/board/panel
3 vast/detailed/substantial/a large amount of
4 innovative/groundbreaking
5 uncommon/unusual

B2 First Part 1

- 1
b
2
1 **about** around 2 **for** on
3 **allowing** allowance
4 **over** out 5 **in** for
3
1 B 2 A 3 C 4 D 5 B 6 A 7 D
8 C

Unit 6

True/False

- 1
a
2
1 cough 2 health 3 dizzy
4 symptom 5 remedy 6 shape
3
1 F – ... they'd probably have raised their eyebrows in disbelief.
2 T – Unless you'd had this gadget, you might not have become the picture of health so rapidly.
3 F – If we didn't have this constant reminder, it would be easy to fall into bad habits and neglect our health.
4 T – Then you check the distance online and discover it isn't as far as your device recorded. How would you feel? Probably, not so happy suddenly.
5 F – How long will it be before technology reaches the stage where this data can be accessed by unauthorised companies?
6 T – For me, the pros outweigh the cons.

4

- 1 track 2 monitor 3 exhaustion
4 data 5 assistance

B2 First Part 4

1

- 1 T 2 F 3 T

2

- 1 broken 2 dizziness 3 injure
4 treatment 5 stiff 6 prescription

3

- 1 wish I hadn't broken
2 in case he
3 Dad hadn't done stretches/hadn't stretched
4 you don't/won't sleep well
5 unless your cough gets better
6 I would have got

Unit 7**Open comprehension**

1

b

2

- 1 cliffhanger 2 predictable 3 sequels
4 inspiring 5 thrillers 6 hilarious

3

- 1 Because it's unclear how it fits into traditional fiction.
2 the Internet
3 Several successful films have been based on fanfiction.
4 They are set in different time periods.
5 There are a wide range of writing abilities.
6 To change the original ending because they don't like it or to develop the characters further in a new story.
7 She writes fanfiction only because she loves it, not for money.
8 Their opinion doesn't matter to the writer.

4

- 1 harder/trickier 2 befriend
3 put pen to paper
4 didn't (quite) make the grade

B2 First Part 3

1

- 1 F 2 T 3 T

2

- 1 sell-out 2 ending 3 plot 4 vinyl
5 stunning 6 realistic

3

- 1 considered 2 appearance
3 popularity 4 putting 5 promotional
6 poorly 7 performances 8 receiving

Unit 8**B2 First Part 5**

1

c

2

- 1 earthquake 2 blizzard 3 apologise
4 relief 5 belong 6 Torrential

3

- 1 B 2 C 3 A 4 B 5 C 6 D

B2 First Part 2

1

a

2

- 1 d 2 f 3 h 4 b 5 g 6 a

7 c 8 e

3

- 1 have 2 by 3 through/across/over
4 Although 5 What 6 of/from
7 are 8 Due/Thanks

Unit 9**B2 First Part 6**

1

b

2

- 1 wire wireless 2 up in
3 copy back 4 watersafe waterproof
5 loader charger 6 land-phone landline

3

- 1 C 2 G 3 E 4 B 5 F 6 D

B2 First Part 1

1

a

2

- 1 scroll 2 operating system 3 stream
4 eco-friendly 5 key in 6 virus
7 durable 8 run on

3

- 1 D 2 A 3 B 4 D 5 C 6 B

7 B 8 C

Unit 10**True/False**

1

b

2

- 1 press 2 topics 3 headlines
4 bulletin 5 forecast 6 events

3

1 T - Most people find little more than flowery wallpaper and vintage flooring when they decide to make improvements to their house.

2 F - Soon after moving into their new house, they found a code in one of their kitchen cabinets.

3 F - Until this day, not one of them has been successful.

4 F - If he hadn't, he would be a wealthy man now!

5 T - the maps themselves are considered to be of value: some estimate \$6,000.

6 F - Upon further examination, they found the same kind of beautiful gold and silver writing on all four walls.

4

1 hid/lost/missed

2 dark/dull/unpolished/matt

3 unknown/ordinary/unimportant/insignificant

4 building/putting up/constructing

5 decrease/shrink/reduce/make small(er)

B2 First Part 3

1

a

2

- 1 g 2 c 3 f 4 a 5 b 6 e 7 h 8 d

3

1 careless 2 colourful 3 knowledge

4 broken 5 unaware 6 difference

7 recommendation 8 naturally