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Key to Test booklet

Test 1

Vocabulary

A.

1. style
2. colourful
3. nowadays
4. treat
5. experience
6. nightmare
7. company
8. pastime
9. degree

B.

1. c
2. e
3. a

4. b

5. d

C.

1. babysitter
2. earrings
3. skills
4. managed
5. overtime

Communication

1. d
2. e
3. b
4. a
5. c

Grammar

A.

1. is ringing
2. prints, is creating
3. does your father do
4. want
5. aren't going
6. are thinking

B.

1. anywhere
2. everything, nothing
3. nobody, something

C.

1. bought

2. didn't get, wasn't
3. annoyed
4. didn't know, started

D.

1. ...aren't as comfortable as casual clothes.
2. ...is the best hockey player.
3. ...is more expensive than an anklet. / ...isn't cheaper than an anklet.
4. ...is less important

than people skills.
5. ... isn't as outgoing as Frank.

Listening

1. P
2. K
3. P, F
4. P

Reading

- a. 4
- b. 2
- c. 3
- d. 1

Listening Transcript

Kirsten is my best friend. She's great to hang out with so we spend lots of hours together. Kirsten is a bit lazy sometimes, just like me. Sport isn't our idea of having fun. We prefer staying at home, surfing the Net or chatting. She always listens to my problems and tries to cheer me up.

I first met her at football practice. We play in the same team. She's alright, but she can be really annoying at times. Paula isn't such a good listener, mostly because she always thinks she's right about everything. She also wants people to do whatever she says and never changes her mind. This can be really difficult sometimes, especially in football, because it's a team sport and everyone must work together.

I admire Fiona for her character. I'm shy by nature myself and I'm a bit lazy, too, but Fiona is very energetic and makes me join her in all sorts of activities. She really believes in herself and she always knows what she's doing. I like her for that – if it wasn't for her, I would just stay at home by myself and do nothing.

Test 2

Vocabulary

A.

1. d
2. g
3. f
4. b
5. a
6. c
7. e

B.

1. hostel
2. yacht
3. temperature
4. Peel
5. foggy

6. breed
7. secret

C.

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

Communication

1. b
2. d

3. a
4. c

Grammar

A.

1. (that) / (which)
2. who / that
3. whose
4. (that) / (who)
5. that / which
6. where
7. that / which
8. (where)

B.

1. b
2. b
3. c
4. a
5. a
6. b
7. b

C.

1. either
2. Both
3. neither
4. All
5. None
6. Either

7. Both

Listening

1. b
2. c
3. a

Reading

1. a/one week
2. warm, sunny
3. the temperature
4. a museum

Listening Transcript

In the north of the country it will be very cold. Temperatures are going to drop from 5°C to -2°C. There won't be any rain however and the weather will be sunny with blue skies most of the day.

In the south it will be sunny too, but it will also be windy so the temperature will drop even lower, about -5°C. Snow is definitely not expected because of the wind, but don't leave the house without your coat and gloves.

In the west it's a different picture with heavy rain and temperatures rising up to 10°C. Drivers should be careful, especially in the afternoon hours as it will be quite foggy.

Test 3

Vocabulary

A.

1. g
2. a
3. f
4. h
5. e
6. b
7. d
8. c
9. j
10. i

B.

1. medal
2. Commercials
3. record
4. muscles
5. episode
6. marathon

C.

1. fence
2. volume
3. coast
4. carpet
5. heroine
6. goggles
7. collection
8. workout

Communication

1. c
2. b
3. d
4. e
5. a

Grammar

A.

1. Laura is such a selfish girl / Laura

is so selfish (that) nobody wants to be her friend.

2. This is such a wonderful place / This place is so wonderful (that) I could stay here forever!

3. The day was so foggy / It was such a foggy day (that) we couldn't see a thing.

4. Steve was so shocked by what he saw (that) he couldn't speak.

5. John is such an energetic person / John is so energetic (that) he

works out at least three hours a day.

B.

1. have been working out, have... burnt
2. has... broken
3. have been planting
4. have been
5. has been playing, has... made

C.

1. Did you clean
2. haven't lost, started
3. has always wanted, gave
4. Have you ever heard
5. didn't go, chose

Listening

1. b
2. a
3. b

Reading

1. b
2. c
3. b
4. c
5. c

Listening Transcript

Richard: Hello?

Curtis: Richard? Hi, this is Curtis. Where have you been? I haven't seen you since we went to the cinema last week.

Richard: Hey, mate! You're right, we haven't seen each other for a week but I don't remember watching a film with you. We went to that fast food restaurant remember?

Curtis: That's right. Anyway, what have you been doing?

Richard: Nothing much ... I'm watching a DVD right now.

Curtis: Again? You know, Richard, you're not leading a healthy lifestyle.

Richard: Yeah, yeah ... right! Believe me I've tried that but it didn't work.

Curtis: I don't get it!

Richard: A few days ago I joined the school hockey team.

Curtis: Why hockey? You're crazy about football. We could be on the football team together.

Richard: I thought I could try something different.

Curtis: And? Wasn't it fun?

Richard: Not really. At first I was excited. I bought all the necessary equipment and started going to practice. But on the third day it happened.

Curtis: What happened?

Richard: I was playing really well and I was about to score a goal when this boy from the other team hit me with his stick.

Curtis: These things happen. Don't you remember last year I broke my leg during football practice?

Richard: Well, I've got a broken arm after only two days of playing. So, why not stay at home and watch hockey only on TV? I think it's safer.

Test 4

Vocabulary

- A.**
- reward
 - responsible
 - suggest
 - expert
 - explanation
 - sense
 - exist

B.

- b
- a
- c
- b
- c
- a
- b

C.

- false
- mirror
- ghost
- theory
- detective
- superstition
- truth
- local

Communication

- d
- e
- a
- b
- c

Grammar

A.

- was driving, jumped
- developed, noticed
- broke, was cleaning
- entered, grabbed, tied... up

B.

- from
- near
- on
- towards
- at
- in

C.

- f
- g
- a
- c
- d
- e
- b

D.

- Had... come, went
- hadn't found
- arrived, had stolen

Listening

- b
- b
- a

Reading

- F
- NM
- F
- T
- F

Listening Transcript

Brian: Say, Tina, what happened with that painting you lost? Did you find it?

Tina: Yes, I did ... but it seems that I hadn't lost it after all.

Brian: What do you mean?

Tina: Well, it's not that easy to just 'lose' a painting, Brian, is it? Someone had stolen it.

Brian: Really? How?

Tina: Well, it was in my gallery, together with other works of art. When it disappeared, it didn't cross my mind that someone had taken it; I thought I had put it somewhere and I couldn't remember where. But then I noticed that from that day, the security guard was acting kind of strange...

Brian: The security guard? Of the gallery?

Tina: Yes! He had stolen it. Can you believe it?

Brian: How did you find out?

Tina: I called a detective and he investigated the crime scene and found some clues which led to Mike – that's the security guard.

Brian: Has the guard explained why he did it?

Tina: It's funny, actually; At first he said that he took it home to clean it but that didn't make any sense. In the end he told the police the truth. It was his favourite painting and he just wanted to have it – so he just took it.

Brian: Some security guard!

Test 5

Vocabulary

A.

- keep
- make
- leave
- read
- answer
- shake

B.

- d
- e
- a
- b
- f
- c

C.

- SPEECH
- MICROSCOPE
- GESTURE
- NOTE
- MOTORWAY
- BASEMENT

Communication

- b
- e
- d
- c
- a

Grammar

A.

- b
- c
- b

4. a

5. a

6. b

B.

- need
- doesn't need
- need
- needn't

C.

- shaking
- to help
- point
- ironing
- to watch
- doing

D.

- How about buying Jim this mobile phone for his birthday.
- I was sorry to hear that Carol's dog had died.
- I don't remember turning off the TV before we left the house.
- You should avoid eating too much sugar.
- It's easy to do this exercise.
- John's mother doesn't let him go to the cinema.

Listening

Speaker 1: a
Speaker 2: b
Speaker 3: a

Reading

- go to the cinema
- the afternoon
- Nancy's dad
- the station

Listening Transcript

Speaker 1

I went on a trip to New Zealand last summer. A lot of things there are different from what we are used to in Europe. I was really surprised, for example, by the way my aunt welcomed me. She didn't welcome me with a hug or a kiss, but she pressed her nose against mine and rubbed it! The rubbing of noses together is called a 'hongi' and it's the Maori way to welcome people.

Speaker 2

I was spending my holiday in Greece when something funny happened. I was in a restaurant with my friends after a wonderful dinner and the waiter asked if we liked the food. My friends said 'yes' but I had my mouth full so I just raised my eyebrows and the waiter got very upset! Then he went to the kitchen and he brought the chef to our table to apologise. You see, raising your eyebrows in Greece means 'No' and they thought I didn't like the food! When we finally realised what had happened, however, everybody broke out in laughter.

Speaker 3

We were travelling around Japan and we got lost in Tokyo one day. We stopped to ask for directions and a man who could speak English was luckily on his way to the station too. We gave him a lift and he showed us the way. We thanked him and then I formed a circle with my fingers to show him that everything was OK. Oh, I'll never forget his expression! In Japan this gesture – forming a circle with your fingers – means 'money'! He must have thought that I was asking him for money! Can you believe it?

Test 6

Vocabulary

A.

1. organisation
2. colourful
3. instructor
4. homeless
5. environmentally
6. Researchers
7. pollution

B.

1. b
2. a
3. b
4. a
5. a
6. b

C.

1. c
2. a
3. d
4. g
5. b
6. f
7. e

Communication

1. b
2. c
3. d
4. a

Grammar

A.

1. The, the, - , the
2. - , -
3. The

B.

1. c
2. d
3. e
4. a
5. b

C.

1. were saved
2. was polluted
3. is... served

4. is pumped into

D.

1. should be taken
2. will be built by the local authorities
3. is going to be done by Class C5 tomorrow
4. have been killed by oil spills since last July

Listening

1. All
2. more than ten
3. 12,000

4. the sea birds (in the area)

Reading

1. Freedom International
2. Five times longer
3. Because it will follow the warmest seasons around the world
4. By small boats or by plane
5. From nursery school to university

Listening Transcript

We interrupt our programme to inform you about the oil tanker disaster that happened at around eight this morning. The oil tanker, Blue Ocean, caught fire and exploded while sailing off the southern coast of the country. Luckily, everyone on board managed to jump into the sea and was later saved by rescue teams and other ships that were in the area. The fire has just been put out. It took the firefighters more than ten hours. The environmental disaster is huge. A total of 7,000 square metres has been covered in oil as the oil tanker was

carrying 12,000 tons of oil. Volunteers from different environmental organisations are already there and together with scientists will try to clean up the oil spill. Greg McRoy, the man in charge of the clean-up operation: "The oil spill is huge. Unfortunately, most marine life will be destroyed and thousands of sea birds will also be harmed. There are lots of sea birds in the area and we must try to save as many as possible." The local authorities have promised to help by giving...

Test 7

Vocabulary

A.

1. c
2. d
3. a
4. b
5. e

B.

1. librarian
2. bully
3. injury
4. torch
5. wish
6. delay

C.

1. bleeding

2. teasing
3. painkiller
4. typewriter
5. fundraising

Communication

1. c
2. a
3. d
4. b

Grammar

A.

1. it
2. themselves
3. her
4. yourself

B.

1. What has Jill bought for Peter
2. Who called the fire brigade
3. What caused all that noise last night
4. Who was diagnosed with a life-threatening disease
5. Who will you meet at the shopping centre

C.

1. bullied, would talk
2. would panic, saw

3. had, would buy
4. would you react, came across
5. was/were, would put

D.

1. I wish my best friend wasn't / weren't angry with me.
2. I wish I could use the Internet. / I wish I could finish this project today.
3. I wish my friends didn't want to go to a karaoke place. / I wish I didn't sing terribly. / I wish I

- could sing. / I wish I sang well!
4. I wish I could stay out after 10pm. / I wish my parents let me stay out after 10pm.

Listening

1. b
2. b
3. a

Reading

1. F
2. T
3. NM
4. T

Listening Transcript

1.

Brenda: Ouch! I'm in pain, Mum!

Mum: Brenda, it's no big deal. Come with me to the bathroom... (water running) ... Sit still! The cold water will make the pain stop. Isn't it better now?

Brenda: Ahh! Yes, it's much better now.

Mum: Now we need to put something on it. Where are the bandages? I think I've seen them in the kitchen.

Brenda: They're in the cupboard on the second shelf.

Mum: OK, then, here you are. Brenda, next time you want to iron your skirt don't do it by yourself, OK? I don't trust you with the iron.

2.

Tina: Wake up, Mary!

Mary: Ouch! Don't touch me, Tina!

Tina: Sorry... but you need to get out of the sun now. You're red all over. What time did you get here?

Mary: Eleven o'clock. What time is it?

Tina: 4 o'clock. You've been out here for ages! You look like a tomato!

Mary: Stop making fun of me. I guess I fell asleep. I wish I had put on some sunscreen!

Tina: Well, it's too late now. I'm going to wet your T-shirt and then you can wear it to cool your skin. When you get home, put on some after-sun cream immediately. Oh, and make sure you drink plenty of water.

Mary: OK, Tina, I'll do that. Thanks.

3.

Randy: Randy's famous salad will be ready in a few seconds (noise cutting vegetables) ...ouch! My finger!

Karen: Be careful with that knife, Randy.

Randy: Too late now... it's bleeding non-stop! Where's the cotton wool?

Karen: Here, let me clean the wound for you. Ew! Disgusting!

Randy: Thanks a lot, Karen, I'll clean it myself. Have we got any antiseptic cream? I'll need a plaster too.

Karen: The cut is pretty deep. If I were you, I'd use a bandage instead of a plaster.

Randy: I suppose so. Hurry now, everyone will be here for dinner shortly.

Test 8

Vocabulary

A.

1. blind
2. spectator
3. queue
4. ugly
5. silent
6. trendy
7. shopaholic

B.

1. c
2. a
3. b
4. b
5. a
6. c

C.

1. reply
2. changed

3. give
4. turned
5. took
6. race
7. makes

Communication

1. a
2. b
3. b
4. b
5. a

Grammar

A.

1. (that) there was a girl in her class called Kylie Minogue
2. (that) that was a cute little dog

3. (that) the preparations for the big celebration might take days to complete
4. (that) he was going to climb K2 the following summer
5. (that) she couldn't lend her her blue dress

B.

1. b
2. b
3. a
4. b
5. a
6. b
7. c

C.

1. Harry told his group (that) they had to record the second song again
2. Cliff asked Karen if/whether she had ever visited Mexico
3. The tour guide asked the tourists not to take photos in the museum
4. Mrs Doyle told the new girl to introduce herself to the rest of the class
5. Peter asked Angie if/whether she was going to the cinema that night

D.

1. asked
2. told / asked
3. wanted
4. told
5. had
6. if / whether

Listening

1. b
2. a
3. b

Reading

1. Both
2. The Chinese New Year
3. The Carnival in Rio de Janeiro

Listening Transcript

Rita: Mike, I'm back!

Mike: Good. I'm starving.

Rita: Starving? Why, what's the time?

Mike: A quarter past nine. Do you know how long you were gone?

Rita: A couple of hours.

Mike: No, Rita. Five whole hours! I've no idea why. You only had to buy a couple of things.

Rita: What are you talking about?

Mike: The supermarket, Rita! You did go to the supermarket, didn't you?

Rita: Well, I was on my way there when...

Mike: Oh, I don't want to know...

Rita: No, listen, just one block before the supermarket I saw this wonderful pair of shoes that I had wanted for a long time. I just had to buy them, Mike, they're the latest trend.

Mike: Really. Good on you, then.

Rita: Come on, Mike. Don't be like that. Look at them. Aren't they cute?

Mike: As a matter of fact, they are.

Rita: And I also bought this lovely green dress to go with the shoes. What do you think?

Mike: I think you're nuts! Worse than that. You're a shopaholic.

Rita: No, I'm not.

Mike: Yes, you are. Look at all these bags. Clothes, shoes... what about food? There's nothing here, and nothing in the kitchen! What are we going to eat tonight?

Rita: I've got an idea. I'll wear my new dress and shoes and I'll take you to Antonio's for dinner. OK?

Mike: That's not a bad idea.

Final Test

Vocabulary

A.

1. Deaf
2. sprained
3. hugged
4. competitors
5. amazingly
6. matches
7. Grate
8. migrate
9. criticises
10. place

B.

1. conscious
2. depressed
3. dizzy
4. polluted
5. confident
6. caused
7. advance
8. teases

Communication

1. d
2. a
3. b
4. e
5. c

Grammar

A.

1. works, needs
2. are... going, am thinking

B.

1. Susan, whose brother is a famous writer.
2. take a picture of the creature that had just come out of the lake.
3. (who) you saw yesterday is my aunt.

C.

1. robbed, haven't arrested
2. have been sailing, haven't found

D.

1. use
2. to bring
3. reading
4. lifting

E.

1. Emma had finished the project by the time I left the office.
2. Wendy was ironing clothes while Ted was cleaning his room.
3. As Carol was driving home, she ran over a cat.

F.

1. must be at the hockey field by 5 o'clock.
2. couldn't fix the roof because they didn't have the necessary equipment.
3. don't have / need to take an umbrella because it's not raining.
4. should tell your parents that you have a problem with that bully at school.

G.

1. have to be worn in field hockey (by players)
2. is sometimes hung over the door for good luck.
3. were pulled out of the ruined house (by a rescue team)

H.

1. not as
2. somewhere
3. both
4. himself
5. that
6. would

I.

1. not to be late.
2. what time we were leaving the next / following day.
3. that Fred had made a mess in the kitchen.
4. that he couldn't find his keys.
5. to do the washing up.

Reading

1. T
2. F
3. NM
4. F
5. T

Listening

1. N
2. A
3. J
4. E

Listening Transcript

Emma

My parents were away for a wedding that weekend and I was at home with my sister. I remember that night because the weather was really strange. There were strong winds at first and the whole house shook. Then, the rain started. It hadn't stopped by the time we went to bed. Mary, my sister, came to sleep with me because she was afraid of the lightning. In the morning, it was still raining. When we went downstairs to make breakfast, we saw there was water everywhere- and not just in our house, but the streets, the neighbourhood, the whole village!

Alex

It was quite foolish, actually. I was riding my bike home after a rehearsal with the band. I play the guitar, you know. It was late in the afternoon and it was getting dark. As I reached the old cathedral, I remembered the stories my brother used to tell me about that place... you know, that it's haunted. I got a bit scared and lost control of my bike. I didn't see the tree at all. I was hurt, but not badly. My bike, though, was completely destroyed.

Jennifer

I was at a café with my sister, when at some point, I had to go to the bathroom. The minute I walked in, the lights went out. I wasn't scared at first but then I heard a voice whisper something. The lights came on again and I looked around but I was all alone. Then I noticed a message on one of the mirrors. It said 'HELP ME'. I ran out as fast as I could and told my sister what happened, but when we went back in there, the message was gone.

Neil

Well, what can I say... I remember the time he ran into a house which was on fire and, all by himself, he managed to rescue a five-year-old who was trapped inside. He was the town hero the next day and, of course, I was proud because he was my brother. But there are hundreds of things, both good and bad, about him. He's always confident about himself for example, but he can be really bossy and stubborn too, sometimes.