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Vocabulary**1 Complete the words.**

- 1 I want to go to university and get a _ _ g _ _ _.
- 2 Under the sea there's a beautiful _ _ e _ made of coral.
- 3 If you don't know what job to do, it's a good idea to speak to a careers _ _ _ _ _ r.
- 4 The Alps are a famous mountain _ _ _ _ e.
- 5 After you finish secondary school you can go into _ _ _ _ e _ education.

 5**2 Complete the sentences with an appropriate verb.**

- 1 I'll _____ you know when I arrive.
- 2 Why do you _____ the fool all the time?
- 3 The film didn't _____ up to my expectations.
- 4 I think I'll _____ your advice.
- 5 You mustn't _____ on negative things all the time. You need to think more positively!

 5**3 Complete sentence B in each question so that it means the same as sentence A. Write one word in each space.**

- 1 A I don't know how to answer this question.
B I don't know the right _____ to answer this question.
- 2 A I feel very happy.
B I feel over the _____.
- 3 A The film had lots of action.
B The film was action-_____.
- 4 A It's not very difficult!
B It's not _____ science!
- 5 A That story is very improbable!
B That story is very far-_____!

 5**4 Put the verbs in the correct form. Add a preposition where necessary.**

- 1 My parents criticised me _____ (not study) enough.
- 2 We agreed _____ (have) the meeting on Friday.
- 3 I've warned you several times _____ (not get) home late.
- 4 I denied _____ (leave) all the lights on.
- 5 Max apologised _____ (forget) to do the shopping.

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Grammar

5 Put the verbs in brackets in the correct form or add the missing words.

- 1 If only you _____ (come) to the party last night.
- 2 I'd rather we _____ (not see) each other tonight.
- 3 I'd prefer _____ (go) to a Chinese restaurant.
- 4 It's time you _____ (get) a job.
- 5 I'd prefer _____ we didn't have a big lunch today.

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6 Rewrite the sentences with the same meaning. Use reported speech.

- 1 I asked my dad, 'What are you doing?'
I asked my dad _____.
- 2 Last night Tom said, 'Paris is the most beautiful city I've ever been to.'
Last night Tom said _____.
- 3 Jessica asked me, 'Can you help me?'
Jessica asked me _____.
- 4 'Don't drink the water in India!' David said to me.
David warned _____.
- 5 'Is your dad going to take us in his car' asked Laura.
Laura asked me _____.

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7 Rewrite the underlined parts of the sentences. Use the words in the list.

likely | bound | might | can't | must

- 1 Perhaps Liam has passed the exam.

- 2 Laura will probably be angry about this.

- 3 It's obvious that my parents have gone out because there car isn't here.

- 4 I'm sure your boyfriend will like this present.

- 5 It's clear that my brother's team didn't win the match because he doesn't look very happy.

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8 Rewrite the sentences in the passive.

- 1 They say that this is a good book. _____
- 2 Did the shop offer you a new phone? _____
- 3 We know that Marcus Aurelius was a great emperor. _____
- 4 They're aren't giving us very good food at the hotel. _____
- 5 They believe that this pop star and his wife split up last week. _____

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Reading

- 9 Read the article about an expedition to Mars. Choose the options: A, B, C or D which you think fit best according to the text.



Destination Mars!

- A** Starting a colony on Mars might sound like science fiction, but it could soon become science *fact*: the first human mission to Mars is actually planned to take place in 2024. Interestingly, the expedition isn't being organised by a government agency like NASA. It's being carried out by a private organisation based in Holland. They're raising the money by asking for donations and by selling the rights to sponsor the expedition and broadcast it on TV.
- B** What's more, they're not going to send professional astronauts. They're looking for volunteers to take part and over 200,000 people have applied! Currently, they're busy selecting the first four people to go: two men and two women. The organisers say that successful applicants will need to be creative, curious about the world, adaptable and trustworthy. They must also be physically fit and have a basic command of English.
- C** The final round of the selection process will consist of a simulation of life on Mars where groups of four candidates will be expected to demonstrate their ability to live and work together in extremely harsh conditions. A long time before the crew of four makes it to the Red Planet, equipment, accommodation and food will have been transported there. Consequently, they will have everything they need once they land.
- D** The expedition will be very expensive and the journey to Mars will last eight months or so. For this reason, participants will only get a one-way ticket – there's no possibility of coming back! Furthermore, relations between the four of them are likely to be pretty intense as no new arrivals are scheduled until three or four years later! Nevertheless, for the few individuals who do finally go, it is bound to be an experience which is literally out of this world!

- When will the first human mission to Mars happen?
 A probably not in our lifetime B before 2030 C definitely in 2024 D perhaps in 2024
- The organisation responsible for the expedition
 A is connected to the government in Holland. B needs a lot of money to support the project.
 C thinks it can make a lot of money from the expedition. D is similar to NASA.
- What has the response to the project been like?
 A A lot of people are going to take part. B Over 200,000 people will act as volunteers.
 C There has been a lot of interest. D Too many people want to go to Mars.
- What qualities will the successful candidates need?
 A They must be able to work in a team. B They need to be creative and artistic.
 C They must have lived in extremely harsh conditions. D They must speak English very well.
- When the first four people arrive on Mars, they
 A won't have any contact with Earth. B will have to build their accommodation.
 C won't have any immediate problems surviving. D will need to look for somewhere to live.
- What or who does they (underlined in section C) refer to?
 A the candidates B food and accommodation
 C the crew that will transport the first people who live on Mars D the first people who land

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- 10 Find words or expressions in the text which mean the same as the words below.

- difficult (section C) _____
- ability / skill (section B) _____
- generating (section A) _____
- very different (section D) _____
- arrives (section C) _____
- show (section A) _____

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11 Rewrite the sentences with the words in brackets. Keep the same meaning.

- 1 We couldn't play football because the weather was very bad. (*due to*)
- 2 This jacket's expensive but I'm going to buy it. (*although*)
- 3 The head teacher is worried because the school's results aren't very good. (*consequently*)
- 4 Jane got angry because her brother took her mobile phone. (*as a result of*)
- 5 I felt cold although I was wearing two jumpers. (*despite*)

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- 12** Write a biography (140 – 180 words) of someone in your family, alive or dead.
Use two linkers of effect (*consequently, due to, etc.*) and one linker of contrast (*however, etc.*).

Divide your essay into four paragraphs:

- Introduction
- Main events in their life
- Conclusion
- Early life
- Future plans (if the person is alive)

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