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Vocabulary**1** **Circle** the correct adjective in each sentence.

- 1 I don't understand why Nathan is ignoring me. I'm really *puzzled* / *impatient*.
- 2 Chloe is very intelligent. She is the *brightest* / *dullest* person I know.
- 3 I felt really *ashamed* / *awkward* when I couldn't remember the new boy's name. It was very embarrassing.
- 4 My brother's so *bad-tempered* / *arrogant*. He's always angry!
- 5 I'm *cautious* / *stuck*! Can you help me with this question?

 5**2** **Complete the sentences with the words in the list.**

belt | wig | helmet | audience | pedestrian

- 1 You must wear a _____ when you ride your bike.
- 2 A _____ must not cross the roads when the lights are red.
- 3 Where's my _____? I need it with these trousers.
- 4 There was a big _____ at the classical music concert.
- 5 My dad's got a lot of hair so he doesn't need a _____.

 5**3** **Match the sentences.**

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| 1 ☐ Jordan's been going through a difficult period | a but she lives in London now. |
| 2 ☐ Phoebe grew up in the country | b while she was living in Quebec. |
| 3 ☐ Bethany tiptoed down the stairs | c but she's OK now. |
| 4 ☐ Amy picked up some French | d although she grew up in a poor area. |
| 5 ☐ Sophie got ahead in life | e because she didn't want to wake anyone up. |

 5**4** **Complete the sentences with the appropriate word.**

- 1 I'm in a h _ _ _ y because I'm late for school.
- 2 It's a good t _ _ _ g that we've got our umbrellas because it's raining.
- 3 You like Beyoncé, r _ _ _ _ ?
- 4 I didn't break the window on p _ _ _ _ e! It was an accident!
- 5 My dad says that he's stopped smoking f _ _ good.

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Grammar

5 Circle the correct options.

- 1 Did you manage *finishing* / *to finish* your homework?
- 2 I feel like *having* / *to have* a pizza.
- 3 When did you start *learning* / *to learn* English?
- 4 Did you remember *posting* / *to post* the letter I gave you? It's important!
- 5 Jan has asked me *lending* / *to lend* her my bike.

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6 Complete the sentences with a relative pronoun.

- 1 Is that the man _____ was speaking to you?
- 2 Rob, _____ brother's in my class, is very good at football.
- 3 That's the café _____ I celebrated my birthday.
- 4 We won the match, _____ made us very happy.
- 5 That's the best film _____ I've ever seen.

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7 Underline the mistake in each sentence and correct it.

- 1 None the boys in my class passed the exam.
- 2 That's so nice tattoo!
- 3 This coffee isn't enough warm!
- 4 Hardly all of my friends have a smartphone – about 95% of them
- 5 We were so tired than we went to bed.

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8 Circle the correct options.

- 1 A Do you play football?
B I *used to play* / *'m used to playing* football, but not now.
- 2 A Is it hard for you to get up early?
B Not now - I've *been* / *got* used to getting up early.
- 3 A So, you didn't like the concert ...
No – I *did* / *didn't* like the concert!
- 4 A Do you always do the washing up in your house?
B Yes, but I'm / *get* used to doing it, so it's OK.
- 5 A Do you like classical music?
B I *was used to* / *used to* hate it, but I love it now.

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Reading

9 Read the article. Decide if the sentences are (T) true or (F) false.

The keys to creativity

Have you got friends who are extremely creative and imaginative? You know the type of people: perhaps they wear interesting clothes, or they draw really well, or they always seem to be involved in fascinating projects ... Do you sometimes think you're a bit dull in comparison? Well, the good news is that you can make your life more dynamic and creative, but it'll take some effort! You're probably stuck in a routine, and you need to change it! Start with some simple things, first. Do you always take the bus to school? Try walking or going by bike! Do you have the same thing for breakfast every day? Now's the time to experiment! You'll be surprised at the difference that a few small changes can make.

Doing sport is another great way to stimulate your creativity. There are several reasons for this. First of all, physical exercise increases the supply of oxygen to your brain, which obviously makes you mentally more active. In addition, like all animals, we need to keep active if we want to function at our best. Doing sport also provides a change of focus, and one of the keys to creativity is doing different things in our free time.

It's often a good idea to take up a completely new hobby, too. For instance, why not start going to a cookery class? Once you learn the basics, cookery is a very creative activity because it lets you try out different combinations of ingredients. Meditation is also an excellent aid to creativity as it calms the mind and makes us more open to fresh ideas.

So, if you want to become more creative, there are plenty of ways to get started! What's more, you'll almost certainly turn out to be much more creative than you thought!

- 1 There are some obvious ways to know if someone is creative. _____
- 2 It's easy to make your life more interesting and creative. _____
- 3 To get more creative, it's important to radically change your routine. _____
- 4 Sport is a good way to improve our brains. _____
- 5 If we do sport, we don't need to start doing a new hobby. _____

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10 Choose the best words/expressions to complete the sentences.

- 1 The article starts by giving examples of *signs of creativity* / *ways to become creative*.
- 2 The author thinks the reader might have a *high* / *low* opinion of himself.
- 3 *Routine* / *Change* is good for creativity.
- 4 If you make small changes, you are *being too cautious* / *doing the right thing*.
- 5 The author recommends *doing specific types of sport* / *moving our bodies*.

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11 Complete the sentences with your own ideas.

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Use the following questions to help you:

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