AMERICAN THINK SECOND EDITION

# LEVEL 3
# END-OF-TERM TEST 3 STANDARD

Name _____ Class _____ Date _____

## Vocabulary

**1 Match the sentence halves.**

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| 1 | ☐ If you want to do that course, | **a** | with the party preparations this year – it's going to be amazing. |
| 2 | ☐ I just couldn't go on. | **b** | It's gone viral! |
| 3 | ☐ Mia's gone one step further | **c** | – I don't think it went very well. |
| 4 | ☐ I'm a bit worried about my science exam | **d** | – it was too dangerous. |
| 5 | ☐ Have you seen my dancing cat video? | **e** | you should go for it! |

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**2 Circle the odd one out.**

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| 1 | a reward | a refund | owe |
| 2 | qualifications | law | healthcare |
| 3 | recover | tragedy | survive |
| 4 | alien | extraterrestrial | odd |
| 5 | unnecessary | tremble | shake |

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**3 Complete the sentences with the correct form of the verbs in the list.**

come | figure | take | cheer | move

1 The research helped us to _____ out what had happened to the missing ship.
2 I was terrified the evening before my exam results but mom made my favorite dinner and that _____ me up.
3 My brother _____ away from home last month. We're going to visit him at his new apartment next week.
4 The police _____ care of the gold watch and hope to find its owner soon.
5 I hit my head hard and I didn't _____ to until I'd arrived at the hospital.

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**4 Choose the correct option: a, b or c.**

1 I can't find my sneakers – that's _____, I'm sure I left them by the front door.
**a** unexplained **b** secret **c** odd

2 In the UK, people normally leave the waiter a _____ of about 10%.
**a** refund **b** tip **c** bargain

3 My boss has over one hundred _____ working for her.
**a** employees **b** employers **c** management

4 If you work as a firefighter you must _____ people's lives all the time.
**a** rescue **b** save **c** recover

5 I could never be a teacher because I'm too _____ with other people.
**a** impossible **b** impolite **c** impatient

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## Grammar

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

can't | could | might | must | should

1 Crop circles _____ be made by people as they are common and quite easy to create.
2 The Loch Ness monster _____ be a dinosaur but I'm not sure.
3 She _____ have told the truth about the painting because they found out it was fake and she got caught.
4 UFOs _____ exist because most of the photos I've seen of them look fake.
5 Emelia Lockhart _____ have been an American spy, but the US government won't say if this is true.

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**6 Circle the correct options.**

1 Fifty years from now we won't *have used* / *be using* banknotes and coins.
2 I'm *so* / *such* hungry I could eat a horse!
3 By the end of next year we will *be finishing* / *have finished* school.
4 There was *such* / *so* a lot of snow that the schools were closed for the day.
5 What will you *be doing* / *have done* at this time next Saturday?

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**7 Complete the sentences with the gerund or infinitive of the verbs in parenthesis.**

1 They can't afford _____ (buy) a car so they travel by bus.
2 When I was six I learned _____ (play) the recorder.
3 I feel like _____ (go) to the beach. Do you want to come?
4 He offered _____ (drive) me to the station but I said I could walk there.
5 She suggested _____ (watch) the match on TV because all the tickets had been sold.

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**8 Choose the correct option: a, b or c.**

1 If only I _____ she couldn't swim. It was a bad idea to come to the pool today.
**a** know **b** knew **c** had known

2 We looked on the Internet _____ find the cheapest vacation.
**a** so **b** so as to **c** because

3 The teacher _____ have warned us about the test – we did badly because we hadn't studied.
**a** would **b** must **c** should

4 I wish I _____ my mom's birthday – now she is really upset.
**a** had remembered **b** remember **c** remembered

5 I have to _____ when my parents are working.
**a** take care of my brother **b** take care my brother of **c** my brother takes care of

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## Reading

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

### Why do we have fears?

Most people are scared of something, like spiders or heights. This is called a phobia, and it comes from the Greek word for fear, "phobos". People can experience physical reactions like sweating and shaking. Why is this? Most spiders cannot hurt us, and if we are careful we can avoid falling off tall buildings.

Many fears develop in children between the ages of 7 and 9. These often relate to things like animals or the dark. For example, a child who has a bad experience with a dog might develop a fear of dogs as a result. Children are often scared of the dark and want to sleep with the light on or their bedroom door open so that the "monsters" can't get them. Among adults, more women than men have phobias.

There is an evolutionary reason for most fears. In the past when people didn't live in houses and had no electricity, life was dangerous. For example, a bear or a wolf could kill you, and at night animals could attack you before you saw them.

Sometimes children learn their fears from their parents by watching and copying their parents' reactions to things around them. This can be seen in animals too, with primates learning to fear snakes by imitating their parents' reactions. This process helps the family and the species to survive.

However, some fears or phobias people suffer from can be really odd. For example, "globophobia" is a fear of a balloon bursting and making a loud noise.

So is there a cure for phobias? Sometimes people can learn to deal with their fear by getting used to being near things that scare them, but this takes time. An alternative treatment is hypnotherapy, when the person is put into a relaxed state and a hypnotherapist talks to them and suggests that they shouldn't be scared.

It's normal and natural to have phobias – just don't let them control your life!

1 Phobias do not make people react in a physical way. _____
2 The word "phobia" comes from a Greek word. _____
3 Many fears develop in adults. _____
4 Childhood fears come from watching horror movies. _____
5 Children can learn fears from their parents. _____
6 Humans are the only animals that show fears. _____
7 "Globophobia" is a fear of balls. _____
8 People who have phobias can get better. _____
9 Hypnotherapy can be used to help people with phobias. _____
10 Many people have a phobia at some time in their life. _____

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## Writing

**10 Complete the sentences for you.**

1 This time next year I will _____ .
2 I shouldn't have _____ .
3 I don't mind _____ .
4 If only I had _____ .
5 I wish I _____ .

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**11 Think about a time you tried something new. Write your article in 120 words. Think about:**

- what you did
- why you did it
- how you felt before/during/after you did it
- how it changed your life
- is it a good or bad memory?

**Use:**

- three phrasal verbs
- three different modal verbs (such as *should(n't) have* + past participle)
- *I wish... / if only...*

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TOTAL SCORE 100


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