Name _____ Class _____ Date _____

TEST 1

1 Circle the correct words.

0 I've *given* / *made* / *taken* a resolution to go to the gym more often.
1 Simon is really *struggling* / *changing* / *forming* with this new computer program.
2 Why don't you *give* / *make* / *take* up a more relaxing hobby?
3 Smoking is a really difficult habit to *break* / *give* / *struggle*.
4 If she wants to succeed, she'll have to *break* / *form* / *change* her ways.
5 *Giving* / *Making* / *Breaking* up chocolate is easy – I've done it lots of times!

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2 Complete the sentences with the correct form of the verbs in the list.

retire | ~~start~~ | get | travel | settle | leave

0 When he was sixteen, he *started* a career in computer science.
1 It has always been my ambition to _____ the world.
2 My grandfather _____ school at 15. That's why he doesn't have a degree.
3 Donald made so much money with his invention that he _____ at the age of thirty.
4 She didn't _____ down and start a family until she was in her forties.
5 My grandmother _____ a degree in physics when she was eighty!

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3 Complete the email with the correct words.

Hi Sam,
You'll never guess what I've [0] *been* up to. I've started learning the guitar! I [1] _____ up to four hours a day practicing. Sometimes I'm up really [2] _____ at night because I enjoy it so much. I've always wanted to be a guitarist, and it's up to [3] _____ to make that happen. By the way, [4] _____ up with your sister? She ignored me yesterday! Is she angry because she asked me to play tennis and I told her I [5] _____ want to?
Steve

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4 Complete the sentences. Use the correct present tense forms of the verbs.

0 I *haven't done* (not do) my homework yet.
1 Donna _____ (hate) going to the gym.
2 I _____ (try) to buy tickets online for two hours now!
3 It's 11 a.m. and my sister _____ (still sleep).
4 You _____ (ask) me that question three times already.
5 Nobody really _____ (understand) how the brain works.

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5 Write sentences. Use the correct present tense.

0 My parents / want me / go / to college
My parents want me to go to college.
1 Sally / practice / the piano at the moment.
_____
2 I / love / classical music / since I was a child.
_____
3 What / you / do / for the past hour?
_____
4 I / think / you / need / a vacation.
_____
5 Daniel / always / use / my laptop without asking!
_____

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6 Complete the dialogue with the correct present tense forms of the verbs in the list.

do | like | ~~be~~ | go | sound | hear

MARY Tony! Good to see you! Where [0] *have* you *been*?
TONY I [1] _____ research for my media project.
MARY That [2] _____ interesting.
TONY It isn't, really. So, where [3] _____ you _____ now?
MARY I [4] _____ just _____ there's a new café on Moor Street!
TONY Can I come? I [5] _____ trying new places.
MARY Sure.

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7 Circle the correct words.

0 I *'ll meet* / *'m meeting* Maria at 2 o'clock this afternoon.
1 Do you think Dan *'ll be picked* / *'s being picked* for the school team this year?
2 Sally is learning Portuguese because she *'ll live* / *'s going to live* in Brazil.
3 I think I *'ll go* / *'m going* for a bike ride after lunch.
4 We *'ll leave* / *'re leaving* here at six-thirty, so don't be late!
5 *Are you going to eat* / *Will you eat* that last sandwich, or can I have it?

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8 Write the questions.

0 A *What are you doing on Saturday?*
B We're **having a party** on Saturday.
1 A _____?
B I think **Germany** will win the World Cup next year.
2 A _____?
B I'm meeting Sally **this afternoon**.
3 A _____?
B Tim **is going to study English** in college.
4 A _____?
B **No**, I don't think it will rain this evening.
5 A _____?
B I'm going to be **a writer** when I grow up.

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9 Match the parts of the sentences.

0 Now that you mention it, d
1 The problem is that
2 To be honest, I don't
3 My grandfather is always
4 I don't really feel
5 It's not always so easy

a enjoy going to school very much.
b to find time to do things.
c it costs my parents so much money.
d Sally did seem a little upset last night.
e like doing any work today.
f shouting at me.

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10 Circle the correct words.

JEFF What food [0]*are you going to* / *will you* bring to Mark's party this weekend?
GREG I'm not sure. Maybe I [1]*m going to* / *'ll* make a pizza.
JEFF Good idea. Della says she [2]*'ll make* / *'s going to* bake a cake.
GREG That [3]*will be* / *is being* nice. Her cakes are fantastic.
JEFF How [4]*will you get* / *are you getting* to Mark's house?
GREG I think I [5]*'ll walk* / *'m walking* there.

5

TOTAL SCORE 80

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