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Vocabulary

1 Circle the correct options.

- 1 I'm *puzzled* / *awkward* about why you don't like Liam. I really don't understand.
- 2 This film is so *stunning* / *dull* and boring!
- 3 This only happens once over *the moon* / *in a blue moon*! It's very rare!
- 4 This view is beautiful! It's really *breathtaking* / *far-fetched*!
- 5 You shouldn't feel *stuck* / *ashamed* about being bad at sport. It isn't your fault!

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2 Write the words for the descriptions.

- 1 Someone who walks in the street: p _____
- 2 Something you wear on your head when you don't have hair: _ i _
- 3 A small object you put in the wall to get electricity: _ _ _ g
- 4 You study at university to get this: _ _ g _ _ _
- 5 The Alps are an example of this: mountain r _ _ _ _

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3 Complete the sentences with the verbs in the list.

post | come | pick | make | hop

- 1 Did you find it easy to _____ up French?
- 2 How long can you _____ on one leg for?
- 3 When are you going to _____ an update on your blog?
- 4 I'd like to _____ a suggestion!
- 5 When did Hannah and Rob _____ down with the flu?

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4 The underlined words are incorrect. Correct them.

- 1 I didn't forget your birthday for purpose! _____
- 2 A Are you enjoying university? _____
B Yes – so long, so good. _____
- 3 I'll clean the dishes right off! _____
- 4 I'm really looking up to the holidays! _____
- 5 I think you're off to make a big mistake! _____

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Grammar

5 Choose the correct option.

- 1 I wish you *didn't use / hadn't used* my bike yesterday without asking.
- 2 I asked Jane when *was she coming / she was coming*.
- 3 Yes, you *were supposed to / had better* come three hours ago!
- 4 The criminal is believed to *escape / have escaped*.
- 5 I can't see you this afternoon because I *'m visiting / 'll visit* my aunt.

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6 Correct the underlined mistakes in each sentence.

- 1 We wouldn't get wet yesterday if we'd stayed inside.
- 2 I'd prefer if you didn't watch TV now.
- 3 You aren't nowhere near as clever as you think!
- 4 We've only got a few time.
- 5 I was never used to eating many vegetables, but I eat them a lot now!

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7 Complete the sentences with the correct form of the verb or a relative pronoun.

- 1 Is that the boy _____ (relative pronoun) sister likes you?
- 2 I can't afford _____ (buy) that shirt.
- 3 I needn't _____ (worry) because Bethany wasn't angry with me.
- 4 I _____ (give) a smartphone for my last birthday.
- 5 At this time tomorrow we _____ (get) on the plane!

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8 Rewrite the sentences to have the same meaning. Use the words or instructions in brackets.

- 1 There are very few people at the cinema. (*hardly*)
There were _____ people at the cinema.
- 2 We're looking at a building. It's my old school.
The building _____ is my old school. (relative clause)
- 3 I want to have an ice cream. (*feel like*)
I _____ an ice cream.
- 4 I'm short, so I can't see what's happening. (conditional)
If _____, I would be able to see what's happening.
- 5 My mum's bought me a great tablet! (passive tense)
I _____ by my mother!

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Reading

9 Read the article about a special type of race. Complete the text writing one word in each gap.

The Jungle Ultra

For most of us, the Amazon rainforest would probably be one of the most challenging environments on Earth to survive in. The humidity ¹ _____ incredible, with levels reaching almost 100%. If you're not used ² _____ it, you need to drink several litres of water a day because you're sweating all the time. But that's not the only serious problem. The jungle is full of dangerous animals, from poisonous insects and snakes to big cats like jaguars. ³ _____, it might not seem like the best place in the world to organise a race. But this is exactly what happens in the Jungle Ultra event ⁴ _____ is held in Peru ...

The Jungle Ultra takes place over five days and competitors cover a distance of 250 kilometres ⁵ _____. eventually finish. That's the equivalent of running more than a marathon every day! The race starts at an altitude of over 3,000 metres and the first thing the runners do is to descend until they penetrate the dense jungle. Part of the 'fun' of this ⁶ _____ event includes crossing many rivers, a 1,000 metre climb, running over rocks and through mud and ants that bite! If the race wasn't hard enough, competitors ⁷ _____ also bring and carry all their own stuff for the five days: food, water, sleeping bag, hammock, medicine and a good knife!

Anyone can take part in the race, ⁸ _____ you obviously need to be in very good condition. In fact, the organisers ⁹ _____ competitors that if they can't run a marathon comfortably, they shouldn't think of applying. But perhaps more important than being physically fit, you'll need to be mentally tough, too, ¹⁰ _____ you're bound to find yourself in situations that test you to the limit. In fact, for most people, the goal isn't to win – it's to finish!

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| 1 A has | B was | C is |
| 2 A to | B by | C for |
| 3 A However | B Therefore | C Despite |
| 4 A which | B where | C and |
| 5 A after | B before | C while |
| 6 A geographical | B starry-eyed | C action-packed |
| 7 A must | B can | C need |
| 8 A and | B although | C unless |
| 9 A ask | B admit | C warn |
| 10 A and | B because | C when |

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10 Decide if the sentences are (T) true or (F) false.

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| 1 Living in the Amazon rainforest isn't as hard as you might think. | _____ |
| 2 Humidity is by far the biggest problem in the jungle. | _____ |
| 3 The author thinks that the jungle is a strange place to have a race. | _____ |
| 4 The event doesn't begin in the middle of the jungle. | _____ |
| 5 Sometimes it's necessary for competitors to eat insects, like ants. | _____ |

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Writing

11 Complete the sentences with the words in the list.

as long as | then | furthermore | although | due to

- 1 A lot of refugees are coming to Europe. _____, more are arriving every year.
- 2 You've made great progress _____ all your hard work.
- 3 You'll have enough money for the trip _____ you don't buy any expensive things.
- 4 _____ it's raining, I don't feel cold.
- 5 I got up. _____ I had breakfast.

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12 Choose one task: A or B.

Task A

Write an essay (140 – 180 words) on the topic: *Countries shouldn't spend a lot of money on space exploration. There are more important things to spend money on.*

Divide your essay into four paragraphs:

- introduction
- arguments for
- arguments against
- your conclusion

Task B

Write a story (140–180 words) with the title: *The day I was in the news!*

Use the following points to help you:

- where you were
- what exactly happened
- why you were in the news
- how you felt

Divide your story into three – four paragraphs. Use some adjectives to make your story more memorable.

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TOTAL SCORE

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