THINKING SPACE

LEVEL 5
FINAL TEST STANDARD

Name _____ Class _____ Date _____

Vocabulary

1 Complete the sentences with the words in the list. There are three extra words.

kick | celebrity | trend | broken | withhold | sailed | fulfilled | steam

1 He _____ through his exams after studying for weeks
2 We didn't understand his _____ English at first but now it's easier to chat.
3 She _____ her ambition when she sang on stage with her favourite band.
4 They let off _____ with a game of football after school.
5 Who is your _____ crush at the moment?

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2 Correct the sentences by changing the underlined word.

1 I was a laughing <u>matter</u> when I spilt my orange juice down my new white shirt. _____
2 Why don't you go for a walk to <u>make</u> your mind off your exams? _____
3 I got <u>shivers</u> down my arms when I saw that film – it was terrfiying. _____
4 He later <u>made</u> his confession claiming that the police had forced him to sign it. _____
5 'Don't <u>shout</u> my head off! I was only trying to help. _____

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3 Complete the sentences with a word from the list. Write the correct form of the verb to complete the sentence. There is one extra word.

bring | get | give | let | make | take

1 I don't know why you're _____ me the cold shoulder. I haven't done anything wrong.
2 If you hadn't looked at me, I wouldn't have _____ the giggles in the middle of the exam.
3 You shouldn't _____ everything he says so personally – he's like that with everyone!
4 When I saw the baby smiling at me, it _____ a tear to me eye.
5 If you can't decide, I _____ you sleep on it and you can call me back in the morning with your answer.

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4 Choose the correct answer: a, b or c.

1 She loves to be the _____ of attention.
a object **b** idol **c** centre
2 We're on friendly _____ with our neighbours – we try to help them out when we can.
a basis **b** terms **c** behalf
3 Be optimistic – things always _____ in the end.
a set out **b** work out **c** fall out
4 This young actor is a(n) _____ star on TV and the big screen.
a up-and-coming **b** A-list **c** paparazzi
5 I'd like to take a _____ before I go to university.
a apprenticeship **b** travel **c** gap year

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Grammar

5 Match the sentence halves.

1 I used to
2 It is spending time with my friends
3 If I had listened to you
4 My grandfather would
5 All we wanted to do

a I wouldn't be in trouble now.
b was go to the beach and swim in the sea.
c read me stories before I went to sleep.
d enjoy reading comics when I was younger.
e that I really love doing at the weekend.

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6 Circle the correct words.

1 I'd prefer you *didn't look / to not look* at your phone when I'm talking to you.
2 Having *got / get* to the station on time, I missed the train because I had to buy a ticket.
3 She felt his heart *beat / beating* under his T-shirt – at least he was alive!
4 Students *must / can't* arrive five minutes before the exam is due to begin.
5 He accused me that I had *broke / of breaking* his phone.

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7 Complete the sentences with the correct form of the verbs in the list. There are three extra verbs.

can | do | get | have | know | say | see | watch

1 He _____ to be the luckiest man in the world after surviving lightning strikes and a plane crash.
2 You must _____ her at work because she told me you had lunch together.
3 We _____ use my dad's car until we turn 17 and start our driving lessons.
4 Ella: I used to love *BTS*.
Hollie: Really? So _____ I – how embarrassing!
5 Before the summer _____ a new bike but in the end my brother gave me his old one.

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8 Choose the correct answers: a, b or c.

1 You _____ driven so fast; that was just reckless.
a should b shouldn't c shouldn't have
2 _____ have I been so overwhelmed by the kindness of others.
a Never b On no account c Not only
3 This time next year I _____ at university in Bristol – well, I hope so!
a will have studied b will be studying c was going to study
4 _____ you' ll have to study hard if you want to pass the exam as it' s a difficult exam.
a Obviously b Regrettably c Understandably
5 _____ , buying tablets for young children is a waste of money – they should read books.
a As a result b That said c If you ask me

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Reading

9 Read the article.

Avaaz – Sharing a Dream

Nowadays we turn on the TV or check the news online and what we hear and see can be horrendous, leaving you feeling overwhelmed – what can you do about it? Since the miracle of the internet, activists can tell people all over the world about what is happening where they live and you can help. How?

Avaaz (meaning 'voice' or 'song' in Persian) is an organisation that uses the internet to gain support for causes all over the world. Funded only by its members, it has a lot of freedom to express opinion and push for change. Since being set up in 2007, it has campaigned for a multitude of issues from climate change, human and animal rights, to government corruption. It has been recognised as "the globe's largest and most powerful online activist network."

The organization stands out because of its use of audacious methods. For example, they took cardboard pigs to the World Health Organisation to ask for an investigation into swine flu. They also pulled off a 3-mile long human chain (of people holding hands) linking the Chinese Embassy with the Dalai Lama (who opposes the Chinese government) to encourage them to talk. These stunts ensure media coverage and get people talking.

Admittedly, they also have their critics. They have responded to the plight of Syrian people in the Civil War, sending in medical supplies and communications equipment. Subsequently, some NGOs suggested they were taking sides in the war. What's more, they undeniably campaigned against Donald Trump in the presidential elections, creating software to allow US citizens living abroad to vote against him.

Whether you agree with their causes or not, they are an inspiration and a force for change. Never before has one internet-based organisation accomplished so much, helping people who others cannot. By allowing people of different nationalities, religions and races to connect over the internet, they promote the idea of unity and empathy in an era of fear and division.

Read the questions and circle the correct answer a, b or c.

1 How is Avaaz funded?
   - a by governments
   - b by private companies
   - c by normal people

2 What idea does the name of the organisation represent?
   - a help
   - b a means for people to communicate
   - c criticism

3 What is the focus of Avaaz campaigns?
   - a mainly political issues
   - b civil rights
   - c a variety of causes

4 How do they promote their causes?
   - a emails and newspaper advertisements
   - b innovative media stunts
   - c friends chating to each other

5 Why have they been criticised?
   - a for showing support to certain groups in armed conficts
   - b for providing medical equipment to civilians
   - c for fghting in wars

6 What does the author think is the beneft of their work?
   - a Worldwide peace is achievable through their campaigns.
   - b People learning to live alongside each other as they are more informed.
   - c The organisation allows people to show their sympathy for others.

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Writing

10 **Write an article called 'Never give up on your dreams'. It should include the following:**

- five phrases relating to failure or success
- five phrasal verbs
- three opinion or boosting adverbs
- three expressions with 'in' or 'on'

You can write about your own ambition, that of someone you know or a famous person you look up to. Write 220–260 words.

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TOTAL SCORE **100**

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