


## Listening

- 1  1.05 Listen to part of a radio programme about daredevils. Then match the statements 1–5 to the people A–C. (10 marks)

A Charles Lindbergh    C Matthew Webb  
B Helen Thayer

This person ...

- 1 went on an amazing journey in 1927. \_\_\_\_
- 2 went swimming. \_\_\_\_
- 3 did something amazing when he/she was over fifty. \_\_\_\_
- 4 walked across the Sahara Desert. \_\_\_\_
- 5 wore very heavy clothes. \_\_\_\_

## Vocabulary

- 2 Choose the correct words. (10 marks)

walk **over** / **around** / **through** a rock

- 1 climb **up** / **under** / **through** Mount Blanc
- 2 run **off** / **down** / **into** the water
- 3 fall **off** / **across** / **up** a bicycle
- 4 ski **under** / **into** / **down** the ski slope
- 5 fly **across** / **off** / **through** the Atlantic
- 6 cycle **over** / **through** / **under** a village
- 7 put your bag **over** / **under** / **around** the desk
- 8 drive **up** / **around** / **off** a town
- 9 sit **into** / **through** / **under** a tree
- 10 jump **around** / **up** / **over** a wall

- 3 Match words 1–5 with definitions a–e. (5 marks)

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| 1 pole   | a an area of fresh water in the middle of the land         |
| 2 lake   | b a place with a lot of trees                              |
| 3 forest | c a very hot place where it doesn't rain very often        |
| 4 ocean  | d a very cold place at the north or south of the world     |
| 5 desert | e a very large area of water, like the Atlantic or Pacific |

- 4 Complete the sentences with the geographical features words. (5 marks)

River	sea	Falls	mountains	Valley
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- 1 The water falls very fast at Victoria \_\_\_\_.
- 2 The \_\_\_\_ Thames goes through London.
- 3 Death \_\_\_\_ is a very hot place in the USA.
- 4 The north of the country is quite flat, but there are high \_\_\_\_ in the south.
- 5 Do you enjoy swimming in the \_\_\_\_ when you go to the beach?

## Language focus

- 5 Complete the sentences using the past continuous form of the verbs. (16 marks)

not swim	not watch	play	study
cycle	drive	not have	climb

- 1 They \_\_\_\_\_ dinner at eight o'clock.
- 2 I \_\_\_\_\_ home on my bike.
- 3 She \_\_\_\_\_ Polish at university.
- 4 Alina \_\_\_\_\_ TV last night.
- 5 Jason \_\_\_\_\_ basketball yesterday.
- 6 We \_\_\_\_\_ the mountain yesterday.
- 7 I \_\_\_\_\_ in the pool.
- 8 They \_\_\_\_\_ home in the car.

- 6 Write past continuous questions. (14 marks)

- 1 he / cycle / to work

\_\_\_\_\_

- 2 they / relax / at home

\_\_\_\_\_

- 3 you / travel / around Africa

\_\_\_\_\_

- 4 he / do / the ironing

\_\_\_\_\_

- 5 she / walk / home

\_\_\_\_\_

- 6 Jessica / listen / to / the teacher

\_\_\_\_\_

- 7 they / sail / on / the lake

\_\_\_\_\_

# Unit 4 test

# Test B

## 7 ★★★ Write sentences. Use the past simple and past continuous forms of the verbs in brackets. (10 marks)

I / a book / when / Oli (read, phone)

*I was reading a book when Oli phoned.*

1 we / our teacher / while / we / home (see, go)

2 Pete / off / his horse / while / he (fall, ride)

3 I / to friends / when / he / the party (talk, leave)

4 Emily / while / we / lunch (arrive, have)

5 they / in Italy / when / they / Chiara (travel, meet)

## Reading

### 8 Read the text. Then answer the questions. (10 marks)

#### THE REAL 'SPIDERMAN'?

Alain Robert is one of the world's greatest daredevils. He climbs tall buildings around the world. Some people call him 'the human spiderman'!

Alain was born in France in 1962, and he started climbing buildings when he was twelve. His family lived on the eighth floor of a block of flats. One day Alain forgot his keys, so he climbed up the outside of the building and went in through the window.

It's a dangerous hobby. He had a bad fall while he was climbing in Taipei, and hurt his arm quite seriously. In 2005 while he was climbing in Texas, the American police arrested him. So why does he do it? It's partly because he likes the feeling of danger. But he also uses his climbs to make people think about world problems. In 2008, for example, while climbing, he wore a T-shirt with a message about global warming.

What does Alain Robert climb? *tall buildings*

1 How old was Alain when he started climbing?

2 What nationality is Alain?

3 What part of his body did Alain hurt?

4 Where did the police arrest Alain?

5 On what item of clothing did Alain put his message about the environment?

## Communication

### 9 Complete the answers. Use five of the words. (10 marks)

kind really amazing done very kidding

1 'I met Akon!' 'Oh! That's \_\_\_\_\_.'

2 'I heard some cool bands.' '\_\_\_\_\_?'

3 'That's a great drawing.' 'That's very \_\_\_\_\_ of you.'

4 'Did you win the marathon?' 'Are you \_\_\_\_\_? It was really difficult!'

5 'I ran 5 kilometres!' 'Well \_\_\_\_\_!'

## Writing

### 10 Complete the sentences with *when*, *while* or *as soon as*. (5 marks)

1 \_\_\_\_\_ I was cooking, my dad arrived.

2 She was listening to the radio \_\_\_\_\_ she heard the news.

3 He saw her \_\_\_\_\_ he was cycling.

4 Quick! Come to my house \_\_\_\_\_ you can!

5 It was raining \_\_\_\_\_ we left the party.

### 11 Write about a dangerous journey. Use the ideas to help you. (5 marks)

**Paragraph 1:** Where were you travelling (mountain, desert, etc.)? Why was it dangerous?

**Paragraph 2:** What happened at the beginning of the journey? What happened later? How did you feel?

**Paragraph 3:** What happened in the end? Was everyone safe? How did you feel?

Total marks: Listening \_\_\_\_\_ / 10 Vocabulary \_\_\_\_\_ / 20 Language focus \_\_\_\_\_ / 40  
Reading \_\_\_\_\_ / 10 Communication \_\_\_\_\_ / 10 Writing \_\_\_\_\_ / 10 TOTAL \_\_\_\_\_ / 100