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## Words and phrases

### 1 City life

Complete each sentence with a form of the word in CAPITALS.

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| 1 Its diverse nationalities make London a ..... city.               | CULTURE    |
| 2 The old parts of the city were ..... last year.                   | MODERN     |
| 3 On the outskirts of the city are the ..... areas.                 | INDUSTRY   |
| 4 ..... areas in my country often suffer high unemployment.         | SUBURB     |
| 5 An ..... rail network allows commuters to get around easily.      | EXTEND     |
| 6 My city is a major ..... centre and most banks are located there. | FINANCE    |
| 7 There's an ..... range of amenities, for example, the new mall.   | IMPRESS    |
| 8 All the main tourist attractions are quite ..... within the city. | CENTRE     |
| 9 Some people worry that the city has become .....                  | POPULATION |

### 2 Words meaning 'part'

Complete each collocation with a word from the box.

stage	quota	constituent	feature	period	fraction
fragment	phase	component	branch	layer	

- 1 ..... in a child's development/in rock formation/in a process
- 2 ..... of rock/of clothing/of meaning
- 3 bone/manuscript/pottery .....
- 4 ..... of history/of economic recovery/of drought
- 5 ..... of the exhibition/of the landscape/of the new mobile phone
- 6 ..... of the moon/of adolescent behaviour/of the project
- 7 machine/course/microchip .....
- 8 ..... of the original value/of the cost/of a second
- 9 ..... of science/of a company/of a tree
- 10 fish/sales/daily .....
- 11 ..... of oil/of blood/of medicine

### 3 Suffixes **-ance, -ence, -ment, -ness**

Complete each sentence with the word in CAPITALS, using one of the suffixes above. Make any other spelling or form changes that are needed.

- 1 In summary, it is vital we preserve the ..... of every culture. UNIQUE
- 2 It is essential that the ..... fits the crime. PUNISH
- 3 The ..... of education cannot be underestimated. IMPORTANT
- 4 Our ..... on fossil fuels cannot be sustained. RELY
- 5 ..... can affect the elderly if they are apart from their family. LONELY

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| 6 We must improve public ..... of this issue.                 | AWARE       |
| 7 There have been significant ..... in the field of medicine. | IMPROVE     |
| 8 Genuine ..... is a rare and infrequent state of mind.       | HAPPY       |
| 9 All babies possess the potential to develop their .....     | INTELLIGENT |
| 10 The ..... of some languages is sad, but inevitable.        | DISAPPEAR   |

### 4 Under

Complete each sentence with a word from the box. In some cases *under* is part of the word.

control	eighteen	review	staffed	law	developed
estimate	lying	nourished		privileged	

- 1 The company claim that they now have the problem *under control* .
- 2 The children in the survey were frequently *under* ..... and tired.
- 3 Visitors *under* ..... are admitted free of charge.
- 4 In several *under* ..... countries, the new medicine is proving effective.
- 5 *Under* Australian ..... , no food may be brought into the country.
- 6 The test is now *under* ..... after several international students complained it gave Canadian students an advantage.
- 7 The government ought to provide more housing for the *under* .....
- 8 In my opinion, we should not *under* ..... the seriousness of this issue.
- 9 The office is currently *under* ..... and is looking for a new receptionist.
- 10 Scientists believe they have found the *under* ..... cause of the problem.

### 5 Give

Complete each sentence with a word or phrase from the box.

rise	in	credit	away	try
birth	off	grounds	encouragement	way

- 1 The use of detergents in the home may have *given* ..... to the increase in allergies.
- 2 An effective teacher should always *give* ..... to their students.
- 3 I'm not really into adventure sport but I might *give* sky-diving a .....
- 4 Tiny movements in the facial muscles often *give* ..... a person who is lying.
- 5 The plant *gives* ..... a strong smell which attracts a wide range of insects.
- 6 When do we have to *give* ..... our assignments?
- 7 Researchers believe this dinosaur *gave* ..... to live young, not eggs.
- 8 This medical breakthrough *gives* ..... for optimism in the search for a cure.
- 9 In my department, we were *given* little ..... for all the work we did.
- 10 It is likely that CDs will shortly *give* ..... to downloaded music.

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### 1 Groups

Underline the options which make sense. More than one answer may be possible.

- 1 There is a variety/sub-species/rank of fern on the island which grows nowhere else.
- 2 The department was split into three subdivisions/classes/sectors.
- 3 People whose income does not allow them to meet the cost of living fall into the classification/category/personnel of 'working poor'.
- 4 Within their social hierarchy, the older female wolves have a high rank/status/class.
- 5 The team chose a breed/race/class of dog that was easy to train.
- 6 Members of the tribe/clan/clique would have used a range of weapons for hunting.
- 7 All the personnel/workforce/hierarchy in the company were surveyed.
- 8 Mammals are a class/species/variety of animal with backbones and which usually give birth to live young.
- 9 Genetic engineers are working on a new breed/strain/variant of rice.
- 10 The first people to arrive on the island established a small colony/herd/settlement.
- 11 More must be done to integrate new immigrants into the local community/society/neighbourhood.

### 2 Take

Complete each sentence with a word from the box.

measures	account	risk	place	give	course
lead	power	dive	responsibility	hours	

- 1 It is often believed that the government should *take* tougher measures to prevent the spread of serious crime.
- 2 I *took* a ..... in International Relations as I hope to become a diplomat.
- 3 It *took* ..... before I could find the information I needed in the library.
- 4 The current government *took* ..... in 2006 after a general election.
- 5 Reynolds knew he was *taking* a ..... by travelling to the region alone.
- 6 We have created a society where fewer people seem willing to *take* ..... for their own actions.
- 7 The expedition will *take* ..... between April and July next year.
- 8 Large corporations must *take* the ..... in fighting global warming.
- 9 When choosing a course, *take into* ..... how likely it is to lead to a career.
- 10 The number of tourists booking 'green holidays' *took* a ..... in 2009.
- 11 Scientists are interested in how the concept of ..... and *take* has developed in human communities, and its impact on their survival.

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### 3 Time and duration

Complete the second sentence in each pair with an adjective from the box so that it means the same as the first sentence.

provisional	chronological	simultaneous	prolonged	futuristic
historical	current	contemporary	previous	temporary

- 1 Ali's offer of a place at Massey University depends on him achieving IELTS band 6.5.  
Ali has a provisional offer of a place at Massey University.
- 2 The opinion that scientists have at the moment may soon change.  
..... opinion amongst scientists may soon change.
- 3 News reports happened at the same time across the world.  
There were ..... news reports across the world.
- 4 The presentation I did before didn't contain enough visual material.  
My ..... presentation didn't contain enough visual material.
- 5 This period of Korean art occurred over the same period as the European Renaissance.  
This period of Korean art was ..... with the European Renaissance.
- 6 In the past, Simón Bolívar played an important role in developing South America.  
Simón Bolívar is a key ..... figure in the development of South America.
- 7 The novel is about a time in the future when computers dominate the world.  
The novel offers a ..... view of the world where computers dominate.
- 8 Just for a short while, the exhibition is showing in the Terrace Room.  
The ..... exhibition is showing in the location of the Terrace Room.
- 9 People whose exposure to smoke continues over a long time may be harmed.  
The effects of ..... exposure to second-hand smoke may be harmful.
- 10 Archaeologists are hoping to work out in which order the events happened.  
Archaeologists are hoping to work out the ..... order of events.

### 4 At work

Match a verb (1–10) with the rest of the sentence (a–k).

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| 1 I work .....          | a the senior manager with setting up events.        |
| 2 I handle .....        | b after patients, mostly the elderly.               |
| 3 I'm responsible ..... | c with the other team members once a week.          |
| 4 I assist .....        | d up meetings for everyone involved in the project. |
| 5 I meet .....          | e out my boss's schedule for the week.              |
| 6 I'm in charge .....   | f customer enquiries, mainly from overseas callers. |
| 7 I look .....          | g on educational projects and training materials.   |
| 8 I sort .....          | h of a group of five other people.                  |
| 9 I send .....          | i for training new staff.                           |
| 10 I set .....          | k out letters or emails to our clients.             |

**WORDS AND PHRASES 3****5 Prefixes *bi-, co-, mono-, semi-***

**Match each prefix in the box to its meaning and the example below.**

eo	semi	mono	bi
= half	= one	= two/twice	= together
.....-circular	.....poly	.....annual	....co....education

**Now complete each sentence using one of the prefixes.**

- 1 The two countries finally signed a .....*bi*...lateral agreement.
- 2 In Parts two and four of Listening Test, you will listen to a .....*logue*.
- 3 There is a shortage of .....-skilled workers in this industry.
- 4 Ensure that you .....*operate* with the other members of your team on this project.
- 5 Many young adults leaving home are only .....-independent.
- 6 Christianity, Islam and Judaism are the main .....theistic religions.
- 7 Jackson discussed the overtime problem with his .....workers.
- 8 Having a Spanish father and German mother, I grew up .....lingual.

**6 Words with a similar meaning**

**Underline the correct words in each pair of sentences.**

- 1 The lecture today will *range/cover* the main advantages of hydroponic farming.  
The period of history covered in the course *ranges/covers* from the Middle Ages to the present day.
- 2 The disease quickly *spread/stretched* across Asia and into Europe.  
The main line of the Trans-Siberian railway *stretches/spreads* over 9,000 kilometres from St Petersburg to Vladivostok.
- 3 Although the two archaeologists disagree about the function of the ancient site, their opinions *unite/converge* about the way it should be protected.  
Researchers are *united/converged* in their belief that the drug may have long term side effects.
- 4 The university has recently *diversified/widened* the choice of courses on offer.  
The company originally sold medicinal drugs and then *diversified/widened*.
- 5 In the middle of the summer, local temperatures can *rise/raise* to 40°C.  
The campaign aims to *rise/raise* awareness of the dangers of speeding.
- 6 The number of business students has *enlarged/multiplied* over the last few years.  
We hope to *enlarge/multiply* the conservation area by up to another 200 square kilometres.

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### 1 Traditional events

**Underline the correct word in each sentence.**

- 1 The Hindu wedding *celebration/ritual* I like best is when the priest ties the end of the bride and groom's clothing together.
- 2 A typical wedding *ceremony/custom* in my country is quite long and complicated.
- 3 Most of the *festivals/occasions* in my country involving singing, dancing and eating.
- 4 On the *birthday/anniversary* of our country's unification, people take the day off.
- 5 Most religions have a period of *fasting/dieting* when food restrictions apply.
- 6 On this day we *celebrate/commemorate* the lives of the soldiers who died in the war.
- 7 For Muslims, it's their duty to go on a *pilgrimage/worship* to Mecca at least once.
- 8 The wedding ring *symbolizes/reflects* the eternal union between husband and wife.
- 9 It's the *habit/custom* in my culture to give money to the poor during this time.
- 10 I think Christmas is a special *occasion/occurrence* for children, but perhaps not for their busy parents.

### 2 On

**Complete each sentence with a word from the box.**

behalf	reflection	contrary	loan	agenda
hand	basis	average	verge	point

- 1 I'm learning English so I can do business *on .....* of my father with American clients.
- 2 The first item *on the .....* for discussion is the proposal for the new library.
- 3 The team were *on the .....* of giving up when they made an amazing discovery.
- 4 The number of smokers has not decreased. *On the .....*, the figure actually rose last year.
- 5 Dividing school children into classes according to their ability may help them to work at their own pace. *On the other .....*, it may also lead to a lack of motivation amongst students in the lower class.
- 6 *On .....*, we can see from the graph that men spent more on luxury goods than women.
- 7 People who exercise *on a regular .....* tend to suffer less from heart disease.
- 8 When I gave my presentation, I thought it was all right, but *on .....*, I think I should have provided more specific examples.
- 9 It is a species of lizard which is sadly *on the .....* of extinction.
- 10 The paintings in the exhibition are currently *on .....* from The Louvre.

**WORDS AND PHRASES 4****3 Prefixes *cent-*, *pan-*, *multi-*, *tri-***

Match each prefix in the box to its meaning and the example below.

<b>tri</b>	<b>pan</b>	<b>centi</b>	<b>multi</b>
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= three	= many	= hundred	= all
.....angle	.....national	.....metre	.....theism

Now complete each sentence using one of the prefixes.

- 1 The economic downturn was a **pan**-European issue.
- 2 Do you know how to convert Fahrenheit into .....grade?
- 3 The final book was certainly the best of the .....logy
- 4 My city has become increasingly .....cultural.
- 5 The ability to .....task is a requirement of the job.
- 6 The carnivorous plants feed mainly on beetles and .....pedes.
- 7 The last .....mester of the academic year seems the hardest.
- 8 The .....demic was responsible for a dramatic fall in the population.

**4 Put**

Complete each sentence with an expression from the box. More than one answer may be possible.

<b>at risk</b>	<b>forward</b>	<b>another way</b>	<b>through</b>	<b>at a disadvantage</b>	<b>down to</b>
under pressure	across	an end to	off	in control of	

- 1 We are *putting* our own health **at risk**..... by allowing toxic waste to reach the ocean.
- 2 'I was *put* ..... the project when the team leader resigned.'
- 3 Pupils are *put* ..... enormous ..... by their parents to perform well in tests.
- 4 'If you don't speak English in my field, it *puts you* ..... when you're applying for work.'
- 5 We need to *put* ..... to slavery which still exists in parts of the world.
- 6 'It is time we recognized the contribution of women to science. To *put it* ..... , more attention must be given to women who have made scientific discoveries.'
- 7 'I thought you *put* ..... your ideas quite clearly in the presentation.'
- 8 Researchers initially *put* the collapse of the civilization ..... war, but now they believe the reason was disease.
- 9 One solution to crime that is often *put* ..... is longer prison sentences.
- 10 'I was planning to take my IELTS test in May but then I *put it* ..... till June.'
- 11 The people taking part in the experiment were *put* ..... a series of medical tests.

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### 1 Character traits and emotion

Complete each sentence with a form of the word in CAPITALS.

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| 1 I like to take ..... in my work.   | PROUD       |
| 2 Most subjects showed an ..... response to the video clip.                                    | EMOTION     |
| 3 Extreme ..... can quickly lead to an increase in blood pressure.                             | ANGRY       |
| 4 Advertisers deliberately try to make consumers feel ..... of others.                         | ENVY        |
| 5 Most people suffer from a degree of ..... before an interview.                               | ANXIOUS     |
| 6 Young employees often lack ..... in such situations.   | ASSERT      |
| 7 Does natural ..... exist more strongly in some people?                                       | INTELLIGENT |
| 8 One in four of the interviewees had a sense of ..... about the planet's future.              | PESSIMISTIC |
| 9 People with a more ..... nature are less likely to question the decisions of their managers. | CONFORM     |
| 10 My decision to come to Australia was rather .....   | IMPULSE     |

### 2 Student text types

Match each instruction from a tutor (1–8) to the way a student reports it later (a–h).

*Tutor:*

- 1 'You'll need to keep a log during the field trip.' .....  
*h*.....
- 2 'Write a critique on the character development in Salinger's Catcher in the Rye.'  
.....
- 3 'Write a summary of the ideas behind free trade policy.' .....
- 4 'We would like you to keep a weekly journal.' .....
- 5 'We would like to ask you to present a paper at the conference.' .....
- 6 'You'll need to narrow down the scope of your dissertation.' .....
- 7 'Ensure that you include a full bibliography with your essay.' .....
- 8 'You will need to contribute a posting to a discussion forum each week.' .....

*Student:*

- a 'I have to write briefly about the main ideas and not the details.'
- b 'I have to write down my thoughts and personal experience on a regular basis.'
- c 'I have to read and examine it carefully and give my opinion.'
- d 'I have to look at other students' ideas and comments on-line and respond to them.'
- e 'I have to add all the names of authors, book titles, publishers and page numbers at the end of my work.'
- f 'I have to write about my research and give a talk on it.'
- g 'For my final long research essay, I have to reduce the range of what I intended to cover.'
- h 'I have to record the details of each day's events and any important information.'

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### 3 Prefix *in-*

Complete each sentence with a form of a word from the box, using the prefix *in-*.  
More than one answer may be possible.

accurate	conceive	signify	appropriacy	defend
access	convenience	advice	numeracy	

- 1 As an accountant, *inaccuracy*... is something I really have to avoid.
- 2 Medical treatment is often ..... to the poor in society.
- 3 There was a small and ..... rise in student numbers in 2009.
- 4 More must be done to educate the illiterate and .....
- 5 The fact that children are dying from starvation is .....
- 6 For many people, public transport is rather .....
- 7 Adults affected by extreme autism may demonstrate behaviour that others find .....
- 8 It's ..... to include too many graphs in your presentation.
- 9 I find it ..... that the elderly can be so badly neglected.

### 4 Make

Complete each sentence with a word from the box.

time	use	suggestion	adjustment	mistakes	progress
gestures	perfect	difference	decision	living	

- 1 Our hectic modern lifestyle does not always allow us to *make* ..... for the important things in life, such as friends and family.
- 2 Many people are struggling to *make a* ..... and cannot even afford basic health care.
- 3 After food which contained these chemicals was removed from the children's diet, it *made all the* ..... to their behaviour.
- 4 To reach professional level in sport, it is true that *practice makes* .....
- 5 'I feel that we're *making slow* ..... with this project.'
- 6 'Did you find it easy to *make the* ..... to study in New Zealand?'
- 7 'I'd like to *make a* ..... . Perhaps we could start the presentation with some visual material?'
- 8 'Please *make* ..... of the Internet for your research but make sure you include the website address in your bibliography.'
- 9 Kirk discovered that he had *made* a couple of ..... when entering the data.
- 10 Researchers observed that the chimpanzees were *making similar* ..... when asking for food.
- 11 Immigrants often have to *make a quick* ..... to the culture and lifestyle of the new country.

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### 1 Transport and transportation

Replace each definition with a group of people from the box.

cyclists	passengers	commuters	urban planners	pedestrians
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- 1 Every year a growing number of *people who ride bicycles* are injured when motorists knock them off their bikes ..... cyclists .....
- 2 Thousands of *people who travel to work* find the traffic stressful. ....
- 3 More inner city areas should be allocated to *people who walk* only. ....
- 4 *People who design our cities* should make the roads safer for cyclists. ....
- 5 *People paying to use the bus* in Switzerland know they can rely on an efficient service. ....

Complete each sentence with a term from the box.

electronic fuel injection	a hybrid	an electric vehicle	a catalytic converter
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- 6 ..... relies on a battery and outlets where it can obtain electricity.
- 7 ..... relies on a smaller battery and a conventional car engine.
- 8 ..... removes pollutants from exhaust gases before they leave the car.
- 9 ..... reduces the volume of pollutants by making combustion more efficient.

Match 10–17 with a–h to make suitable compound nouns.

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|--------------------|--------------|
| 10 traffic .....   | a recall     |
| 11 rush .....      | b network    |
| 12 fuel .....      | c efficiency |
| 13 driver .....    | d limit      |
| 14 product .....   | e congestion |
| 15 emissions ..... | f alertness  |
| 16 bus .....       | g hour       |
| 17 speed .....     | h laws       |

Complete each sentence with one of the compounds from 10–17 above. Some of the compounds will not be used.

- 18 Our tough *emissions laws*... have reduced the number of old cars on the road.
- 19 Accidents caused by faulty wiring led to an immediate ..... .
- 20 The question is whether the legal driving age should be increased or the ..... reduced instead?
- 21 ..... will only be reduced if fewer private cars are on the road.
- 22 Manufacturers claim the car is second to none in terms of its ..... .
- 23 New technology will prevent collisions often caused by failures in ..... .

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### 2 Priority and order

**Underline the correct option. Sometimes both are correct.**

- 1 Amelia Earhart was a pioneering/ground-breaking female aviator and the first woman to fly solo across the Atlantic Ocean.
- 2 When offered a choice between a job that was creatively satisfying but low-paid and a job that was mundane but paid well, most people chose the latter/second.
- 3 Students were chosen at random/out of order to take part in the experiment.
- 4 The government must give priority/precedence to improving the conditions of the underclass.
- 5 Our old buildings with traditional architecture should be preserved for posterity/afterwards.
- 6 In this case, the benefits clearly outweigh/overtake the drawbacks.
- 7 As a former/prior criminal himself, David was able to understand some of the attitudes held by the young offenders.
- 8 Preliminary/Early findings suggest that the vaccine has been effective.
- 9 Sijbren observed that the birds came back to the island for four consecutive/ successive years, and then failed to return.
- 10 The neoclassical style of art dominated European art for almost a half-century and is one of the precursors/predecessors of modern painting.
- 11 It was a style of music that was considered ahead of its time/avant garde.

### 3 Confusing words

**Underline the correct words in each pair of sentences.**

- 1 The chemical had no affect/effect on the majority of the test group.  
Few people cannot be affected/effected by the sight of a hungry child.
- 2 Would you mind if I lent/borrowed your notes from the lecture?  
I hope the bank will lend/borrow me enough money for my tuition fees next term.
- 3 We require/request you to show your passport before you take the exam.  
I requested/required an extension for my essay from my tutor.
- 4 We must take measures to reduce/decline the amount of waste we produce.  
The amount of waste has been reducing/declining over the last few years.
- 5 So far, I have avoided/prevented taking a test in English.  
My job prevented/avoided me from coming to England to study before now.
- 6 In my country, I live/stay in Riyadh with my parents and sisters.  
I'll be living/staying in a hotel in Riyadh when I visit Saudi Arabia.
- 7 We have to find out/find an alternative source of energy instead of fossil fuel.  
I expect to find out/find the results of my test on Friday.
- 8 It is the duty of parents to educate/bring up their children with a sense of social duty.  
More people need to be educated/brought up about good eating habits.

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### 4 Prefix *un-*

Complete each sentence with a form of the word in CAPITALS, using the prefix *un-*. Make any other spelling or form changes that are needed.

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|---|---------------|
| 1 In many respects, the future of civilization is ..... .                                       | PREDICT       |
| 2 People may ..... consume GM food as it is not clearly labelled.                               | KNOW          |
| 3 It may be the case that true equality in society is ..... .                                   | ATTAIN        |
| 4 Allowing urban development to spread onto land set aside for conservation purposes is ..... . | JUST          |
| 5 Last year, the number of ..... fell by 3%.  | EMPLOY        |
| 6 It would be ..... to expect a reduction in government spending.                               | REAL          |
| 7 Another factor is that some practitioners of alternative medicine are ..... .                 | QUALIFICATION |
| 8 It is impossible to remain ..... by the sight of so much poverty.                             | AFFECT        |
| 9 It is ..... that television has a huge influence over young minds.                            | DENY          |
| 10 There is still some ..... as to whether the project will go ahead.                           | CERTAIN       |

### 5 Meet

Complete each sentence with a word from the box.

criteria	deadline	demand	halfway
opposition	standards	needs	obstacles

- 1 'Make sure your essay *meets* all the ..... :'
- 2 Self-confidence allows a person to overcome any ..... he or she may *meet*.
- 3 'I decided to study academic English because it *meets my* ..... more.'
- 4 'I'm worried that I won't *meet* next week's ..... *for* the assignment.'
- 5 Whenever the government proposes to raise the legal driving age, this proposal is often *met with* strong ..... from rural populations.'
- 6 Legislation was passed to ensure all imports *met the* minimum safety ..... .
- 7 Production was increased to *meet the* ..... *for* the new vaccine.
- 8 After long negotiations, the two countries agreed to *meet* ..... *on* the new trade agreement.

### 6 Suffixes *-able, -ial, -ive*

Complete each sentence with the word in CAPITALS, using one of the suffixes above. Make any other spelling or form changes that are needed.

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| 1 I think my city is <i>relatively</i> .. safe compared to others. | RELATE      |
| 2 That's quite a ..... issue, I think.                             | CONTROVERSY |
| 3 Personally, it would be ..... to live abroad for ever.           | IMAGINE     |
| 4 I don't have to work ..... hard, so I don't mind my job.         | EXCESS      |
| 5 I think ..... journalism has a duty to show you the truth.       | INVESTIGATE |
| 6 My goal is to run a ..... successful company, one day.           | COMMERCE    |
| 7 It's ..... whether 'fame' means the same thing as 'success'.     | DEBATE      |
| 8 I used to have a ..... position in my last job.                  | MANAGER     |

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### 1 Rubbish and waste

Complete each sentence with a word from the box.

tax	biodegradable	packaging	toxic	accumulate
disposable	landfill	recycling	leftover	

- 1 The government is proposing to ..... **tax** ..... households per bag of rubbish produced.
- 2 Statistics suggest that ..... accounts for over 50% of household waste.
- 3 Most tins, cans, and bottles can be collected for .....
- 4 It is greener to use metal cutlery rather than ..... plastic items.
- 5 Plastic bags are not ..... yet we dispose of millions every day.
- 6 Most kinds of ..... food can be thrown onto the garden compost heap.
- 7 The amount of rubbish that one household can ..... weekly is astonishing.
- 8 The number of ..... sites is growing across the country as our rubbish increases.
- 9 Most domestic waste gives off ..... emissions when burnt.

### 2 Industry

Complete each definition with the correct kind of industry from the box.

pharmaceutical	textile	consumer electronics	retail
energy	aviation	construction	food processing

- 1 The **pharmaceutical** industry develops and sells drugs for medical purposes.
- 2 The ..... industry produces and sells petroleum, natural gas and electricity.
- 3 The ..... industry processes and sells animal milk and derived products.
- 4 The ..... industry designs, develops and operates aircraft.
- 5 The ..... industry produces and distributes different fabric such as cotton and also designs and sells clothing.
- 6 The ..... industry designs, manufactures and sells products such as personal computers.
- 7 The ..... industry is involved in the planning and building of new structures, e.g. apartments and car parks, as well as infrastructure, e.g. roads.
- 8 The ..... industry transforms raw ingredients or animals killed for their meat into the kind of product that appears on supermarket shelves.
- 9 The ..... industry buys large quantities of goods from manufacturers, mostly via a wholesaler, and sells them to customers, or 'end-users'.

## IELTS LANGUAGE PRACTICE

### 3 Suffixes *-ify, -ize*

Complete each sentence with the word in CAPITALS, using one of the suffixes above. Make any other spelling or form changes that are needed.

- |   |           |
|---|-----------|
| 1 The rock that forms the Earth's surface can be <i>classified</i> .                              | CLASS     |
| 2 Regional population growth ..... by the mid 1900s.  | STABLE    |
| 3 The molten iron slowly cools and .....  | SOLID     |
| 4 It is hard to ..... a world in which we no longer depend on cars.                               | VISION    |
| 5 Before answering this question, it is necessary to ..... what is meant by the term 'community'. | CLEAR     |
| 6 Researchers are ..... their efforts to find a cure for the disease.                             | INTENSE   |
| 7 During the next stage, the ..... glass is poured into funnels.                                  | LIQUID    |
| 8 In ancient civilizations, the moon frequently ..... a god.                                      | SYMBOL    |
| 9 The team are hoping that the government will ..... further funding of their work.               | AUTHORITY |
| 10 We can ..... three key factors behind this situations.   | IDENTITY  |

### 4 Carry or hold

Complete each sentence with the correct form of *carry* or *hold*.

- |   |
|---|
| 1 The disease can be passed to children by mothers who ..... the gene.            |
| 2 Travelling by plane ..... less risk than a journey by car.                      |
| 3 'Our lecturer is good at ..... everyone's attention.'                           |
| 4 'We'll be ..... a meeting to discuss the problem.'                              |
| 5 In my country, murder ..... a sentence of life imprisonment.                    |
| 6 'I hope to ..... on the work that my father started.'                           |
| 7 The researchers believe that this algae may ..... the key to the biofuel issue. |
| 8 More research needs to be ..... out before a decision can be made.              |
| 9 'Who knows what the future may ..... ?'   |

### 5 Word formation

Complete each sentence with the word in CAPITALS. Make any other spelling or form changes that are needed.

- |  |            |
|--|------------|
| 1 <i>Theoretically</i> speaking, there is no reason why solar power can't be used. | THEORY     |
| 2 Most people's ..... of political issues is fairly limited.                       | KNOW       |
| 3 Further research should provide us with ..... proof.                             | STATISTICS |
| 4 For some ..... reason, Adams decided to abandon the project.                     | EXPLAIN    |
| 5 Unfortunately, the results from the first test were .....                        | CONCLUDE   |
| 6 A ..... study must take place before the site can be developed.                  | FEASIBLE   |
| 7 Personally, I would not object to eating ..... modified food.                    | GENE       |
| 8 Asking someone their age is not..... offensive in my country.                    | CULTURE    |
| 9 It is a human ..... to fear the unknown.   | TEND       |
| 10 The planet's ..... conditions would not support life.                           | ATMOSPHERE |

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## Words and phrases

### 1 Crime

Underline the correct word in *italics*.

- 1 Those people who are guilty of minor/inferior crimes should be fined, not imprisoned.
- 2 If one person kills another by accident, it is manslaughter/assassination, not murder.
- 3 Once a person has been to prison, he will have a criminal document/record for life.
- 4 Violent crimes such as assault/shoplifting are on the rise.
- 5 The current government has been criticized for showing a soft and tough/lenient attitude towards criminals.
- 6 Young people who are sent to prison can easily be influenced by hardened/strengthened criminals.
- 7 The issue of capital/corporal punishment is a controversial one, although the majority of people are opposed to the death penalty.
- 8 Young people often perform/commit acts of vandalism when they lack purpose in life.

### 2 Confirming and denying

Underline the correct meaning in the second sentence for the words and phrases in *italics* in the first sentence.

- 1 The results from the test confirmed Lee's *suspicions*.  
What Lee first believed was correct/incorrect.
- 2 Lee said that further research was needed to corroborate the *results*.  
Lee said thought further research was needed to support/disprove the results.
- 3 Lee refutes this commonly held view.  
Lee says the view most people have is wrong/right.
- 4 Lee then attempted to verify the *claim* in a series of tests.  
Lee tried to show the claim was true/untrue.
- 5 Lee upheld his position during the debate.  
Lee admitted he had been wrong/continued to say he was right.
- 6 Lee believed he had new evidence that could undermine the existing theory.  
Lee believed the evidence would support the theory/make the theory weaker.
- 7 Lee countered McHugh's argument at a recent conference.  
Lee gave his support to/opposed what Fennemore was saying.
- 8 Lee rebutted the *allegations* that Fennemore made against his work.  
Fennemore criticized aspects of Lee's work and Lee proved/argued that Fennemore was wrong.

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### 3 Verbs and nouns with the same form

Complete each pair of sentences with a word from the box.

document	conflict	input	project	aid
extract	subject	labour	guarantee	

- 1 As part of our research, we intend to document changes in local temperature.  
As a historical document, the Treaty is carefully preserved in the museum.
- 2 Engineers are working on new ways to ..... gold from the mountain.  
Can I include a short ..... from a published report in my essay?
- 3 The bird may ..... on the building of its nest for several days.  
There is a shortage of ..... in the agricultural sector.
- 4 The team that will ..... Professor Kossoff come from various backgrounds.  
It is often perceived that foreign ..... does not reach the people it is intended for.
- 5 Even if divers reach the sunken ship, there is no ..... they can retrieve it.  
The company claim they can ..... the reliability of the product.
- 6 There is ongoing ..... between those who are opposed to GM foods and those who are avid supporters.  
The results from the second experiment appeared to ..... with the first.
- 7 It may take some time to ..... the data into the programme.  
..... from the Japanese engineers will be of great help to us.
- 8 The team ..... that the glacier will be gone by 2030.  
The ..... looked at the development of speech in twins.
- 9 Every ..... in Young's experiment reported their insomnia had improved.  
Many social networking sites ..... their users to unwanted advertising.

### 4 Suffix -en

Complete each sentence with a verb formed from an adjective from the box, using the suffix **-en**.

strong	loose	straight	tight	short
moist	soft	hard	broad	wide

- 1 The dam is weak and will need to be ..... before long.
- 2 If the person is unconscious, first ..... any clothing around their neck.
- 3 The track was narrow and had to be ..... to allow the equipment through.
- 4 Water is added to ..... the firm clay so it can be used more easily.
- 5 We hope to ..... our understanding of the way the solar system was created.
- 6 Restrictions on human cloning need ..... before we go too far.
- 7 Our prime minister has recently ..... his attitude towards immigration, allowing more immigrants to apply for residency last year.
- 8 Until now, doctors have attempted to ..... curved spines using bone grafts.
- 9 Obesity-related illness can ..... a person's life expectancy by over 15%.
- 10 As people grow older and less tolerant, they tend to ..... their attitudes towards others who are less fortunate.

## WORDS AND PHRASES 8

### 5 Life/living

Complete each sentence with an expression from the box.

cost of living	in living memory	work-life balance
make a living	in later life	standard of living
living language	claims many lives	working life

- 1 Every year, the *cost of living*... goes up and not everyone can afford their basic needs.
- 2 The ..... has improved considerably since our grandparents' day, and most people in my country are reasonably comfortable in their homes.
- 3 Under pressure to spend longer hours at the office, many people fail to maintain a good .....
- 4 For local people, it was the worst flood .....
- 5 Emigrating to a new country means adapting to a new culture and .....
- 6 While poor diet may not have immediate consequences, it may affect people .....
- 7 Children in certain countries ..... by working long hours in factories.
- 8 Unfortunately, malaria still ..... in countries where there are few medical facilities.
- 9 The campaign to promote spoken Maori in schools and on the television in New Zealand has meant it has become a ..... once again.
- 10 A person's ..... should ideally be mentally rewarding, although many employees are focused solely on their salary.

### 6 Modifying

**Underline the correct option. Sometimes both are correct.**

- 1 On some *degrees/levels*, the book can be regarded as a masterpiece.
- 2 I agree to some *extent/degree* that investment in public transport could improve our urban environment.
- 3 It was, *by and large/on the whole*, a period in which peace and prosperity reigned.
- 4 I doubt that Warburg's form of therapy could work. *Knowingly/Admittedly*, I have heard many reports of the therapy being successful.
- 5 We've all been given an extension for the essay deadline, *apparently/obviously*.
- 6 Scientists have, in the *main/majority*, been sceptical about robots becoming self-aware.
- 7 *Generally/Mostly* speaking, students in my country are under considerable pressure to perform well in their high school.
- 8 In some *aspects/respects*, these early navigators were far more skilled than later sailors attempting the same journey.
- 9 It is by no *way/means* certain that the tomb contains the body of a Pharaoh.
- 10 The conservation team believes the species is now extinct, or so it would *appear/seem*.

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## Words and phrases

### 1 Language and communication

**Underline the correct word in each sentence.**

- 1 Humans have the cognitive/comprehensive ability to produce and recognize grammar.
- 2 I was working a part-time *interpreter/translator* of Spanish to English documents.
- 3 The use of *gesture/indication* is a significant means of communication.
- 4 Children *attain/acquire* their first language through constant exposure.
- 5 Ensure that all contracts are in writing as *spoken/verbal* contracts are hard to prove.
- 6 The common consensus is that the *characters/hieroglyphics* used for writing in China evolved from earlier Neolithic symbols.
- 7 Sceptics say that chimpanzees can only *repeat/mimic* humans and not genuinely communicate with them.
- 8 Many *indigenous/domestic* languages are sadly under threat of extinction.
- 9 Not everyone seems to have the capacity to learn a foreign *tongue/voice*.
- 10 Early Semitic languages relied on an *oral/aural* tradition rather than a written form.
- 11 Although Tokyo is the capital of Japan, it has moved away slightly from standard Japanese forms and has developed its own regional *dialect/accent*.
- 12 Carter had heard *gossip/rumours* of mammoth bones being dug up in the nearby tundra.
- 13 There was plenty of *anecdotal/mythical* evidence but no concrete proof of the tomb's existence.

### 2 Importance

**Decide if the pairs of words in italics are synonyms (S) or antonyms (A) in the sentences below.**

- |   |     |
|---|-----|
| 1 It is <i>vital/crucial</i> that we take steps to reduce carbon emissions.                                       | S/A |
| 2 Education is <i>fundamental/irrelevant</i> to a long-term successful career.                                    | S/A |
| 3 The <i>basic/simple</i> reason for landslides in this region is deforestation.                                  | S/A |
| 4 One of the <i>key/minor</i> challenges that students face is the amount they have to read in their own time.    | S/A |
| 5 'You've made a couple of <i>trivial/significant</i> errors in your introduction.'                               | S/A |
| 6 Wang has played a <i>major/substantial</i> role in the creation of this new technology.                         | S/A |
| 7 The differences between the two sets of results were <i>negligible/slight</i> .                                 | S/A |
| 8 I think we've spent a(n) <i>essential/needless</i> amount of time adding graphs to our powerpoint presentation. | S/A |
| 9 'This part of the essay is rather <i>redundant/unnecessary</i> , I'm afraid.'                                   | S/A |

**WORDS AND PHRASES 9****3 Relationships and connection**

Replace the words in **italics** in each sentence with a more academic phrase from the box.

<b>was instrumental in</b>	<b>was a correlation between</b>	
<b>was the epitome of</b>	<b>was irrelevant to</b>	<b>was consistent with</b>
<b>was symptomatic of</b>	<b>was endemic to</b>	<b>was indigenous to</b>

- 1 The figure I've chosen is King Abdul Aziz, who *played an important role in* founding modern Saudi Arabia. ....
- 2 In my opinion, the rise in crime at that time *provided us with proof of* a society which ignored its social problems. ....
- 3 Personally speaking, I feel that any language which *originally came from* a country must be preserved. ....
- 4 If you look at the slide, you'll see that the result of the second experiment *was very similar to* the result of the first. ....
- 5 The common cold was an illness that *was very common in* Europe before it was transmitted across the world. ....
- 6 I would say that my grandfather *was the best example of* the hard-working entrepreneur. ....
- 7 Actually, I thought there *were some similarities between* the Korean attitude to work and the American one. ....
- 8 I'm afraid this section of your essay *had no connection to* your thesis statement.  
.....

**4 Suffixes *-hood, -ship***

Complete the sentences using one of the suffixes above and a word from the box. Make any other spelling or form changes that are needed.

<b>craftsman</b>	<b>champion</b>	<b>adult</b>	<b>intern</b>
<b>child</b>	<b>likely</b>	<b>scholar</b>	<b>life</b>

- 1 *Craftsmanship*... used to be valued, but now many goods are mass produced.
- 2 On reaching ..... a person must be responsible for their own actions.
- 3 In small villages, there is more of a sense of community in the .....
- 4 I hope to receive a ..... that will allow me to go to university.
- 5 Last year I did a brief ..... in a company in the USA, which gave me valuable work experience.
- 6 There seems to be little ..... of peace being achieved in our lifetime.
- 7 Competitive sport encourages young people to reach ..... level, which provides them with a sense of purpose.
- 8 If the factory is moved overseas, this action will threaten the ..... of hundreds of local people.
- 9 I spent my ..... in Hong Kong, as my father was working there at the time.

# 10

## Words and phrases

### 1 Forms of authority and government

Complete each definition with the correct authority word from the box.

council	executive	democracy	supervisor	regime	anarchist
principal	patriarchy	bureaucracy	minister	watchdog	

- 1 A council.... is a group of elected politicians who are in charge of a local area.
- 2 An ..... is a person who believes we should not have a government or laws.
- 3 A ..... is a person in charge of a group of people at work or an activity.
- 4 A ..... describes a system of government in which the public votes for the people they want to govern them.
- 5 A ..... is a person in charge of a government department.
- 6 A ..... is an organization working to prevent illegal or unethical activity in particular areas of society or business, e.g. advertising.
- 7 A ..... describes a government that strictly and unfairly controls a country.
- 8 A ..... refers to a society in which men have all or most of the power and women have none or very little.
- 9 A ..... refers to a complex and annoying system of rules and processes which slow down the action a person wishes to take.
- 10 A ..... is in charge of the academic management of a school or university.
- 11 An ..... is a senior manager in a company.

### 2 Processes

Match the descriptions of a process (1–12) with the correct terminology (a–l).

- |   |   |                   |
|---|---|-------------------|
| 1 keeping eggs warm until they hatch .....  | f | a transpiration   |
| 2 making a liquid less strong by adding another liquid,<br>e.g water .....          |   | b pollination     |
| 3 liquid becoming gas or steam .....  |   | c desalination    |
| 4 gas becoming a liquid .....   |   | d conversion      |
| 5 removing salt from sea water .....  |   | e disintegration  |
| 6 changing from one system, method, form or use to<br>another .....                 |   | f incubation      |
| 7 sending power, energy or signals from one place to<br>another .....               |   | g crystallization |
| 8 taking in a substance, form of energy, or liquid .....                            |   | h dilution        |
| 9 placing pollen from one flower on another .....                                   |   | i transmission    |
| 10 being completely destroyed by breaking into tiny pieces .....                    |   | j evaporation     |
| 11 water passing from the surface of a plant into the air .....                     |   | k condensation    |
| 12 changing into many tiny solid substances with many sides<br>e.g. ice, salt ..... |   | l absorption      |

## WORDS AND PHRASES 10

### 3 Suffixes *-sion, -tion, -ity*

Complete each sentence with the word in CAPITALS, using one of the suffixes above. Make any other spelling or form changes that are needed.

- |  |             |
|--|-------------|
| 1 We can see a period of economic <i>stability</i> .. during this decade.            | STABLE      |
| 2 The ..... of knowledge should be a lifetime goal.                                  | ACQUIRE     |
| 3 The continual ..... of low-paid workers must stop.                                 | EXPLOIT     |
| 4 The annual ..... of the whales begins in late November.                            | MIGRATE     |
| 5 As an artist, he began to express his ..... at an early age.                       | INDIVIDUAL  |
| 6 There can be little ..... for ignoring the destruction of our natural environment. | JUSTIFY     |
| 7 The ..... of the city began in the mid 17 <sup>th</sup> century.                   | EXPAND      |
| 8 Reports about corruption now appear with increasing .....                          | REGULAR     |
| 9 We expect your full ..... in weekly seminars.                                      | PARTICIPATE |
| 10 It is human nature to make ..... about cultures we are unfamiliar with.           | ASSUME      |
| 11 As a synthetic material, plastic has incredible .....                             | DURABLE     |
| 12 Most people have no ..... of the full problem.                                    | COMPREHEND  |
| 13 There seems to be little ..... to his argument.                                   | VALID       |

### 4 Adverbs of degree

Complete each sentence with an adverb from the box. More than one answer may be possible.

merely	reasonably	widely	barely	marginally	increasingly
radically	fully	inextricably	principally	certainly	predominantly

- 1 Is consumerism *merely*.... a matter of choice, or is it more to do with external influences?
- 2 After the accident, Sarah could ..... remember any personal history at all.
- 3 I'm taking IELTS ..... to get into university in Canada.
- 4 Zahl was ..... certain he had found the source of the pollution.
- 5 The language ..... spoken in this region is Karelian.
- 6 In its time, the printing press ..... changed the way information was spread.
- 7 Martens believes his counterpart's theory is ..... plausible.
- 8 The ability amongst the children in the survey varied .....
- 9 Every year, it is becoming ..... difficult to prevent the erosion.
- 10 His desire to work in the laboratory was ..... linked with the need to find a cure for the disease.
- 11 Adolescents are not ..... aware of the consequences of their actions.
- 12 In 2009, the amount of coal extracted from the mine had risen ..... from 2008.

# Answers

Where answers are marked *suggested answers*, other answers may be possible. Where students provide their own answers, verbs are given in full or contracted form following their use in the question.

## Grammar 1

- 1 1 d      5 e      9 g  
 2 b      6 c      10 f  
 3 j      7 h  
 4 a      8 i

- 2 1 *become*  
 2 are beginning  
 3 are removing  
 4 want  
 5 believe  
 6 encourages  
 7 are losing  
 8 explains  
 9 disappears  
 10 also shows  
 11 generally ignore  
 12 makes  
 13 are taking part  
 14 no longer contains  
 15 is going down

- 3 1 *are you waiting*  
 2 Does the price of the room include  
 3 comes  
 4 Does this laptop belong  
 5 is getting/'s getting etc  
 6 are getting on  
 7 think  
 8 is taking/'s taking  
 9 am having/'m having  
 10 refers

- 4 1 *are choosing*  
 2 have  
 3 is increasing  
 4 depend  
 5 is becoming  
 6 saves, are working  
 7 sometimes find, suits  
 8 does it have  
 9 am working/'m working  
 10 feel, are all heading

- 5 1 *involve*  
 2 consists of five parts  
 3 do not belong to  
 4 tend to be taller than their Asian counterparts  
 5 do you weigh  
 6 ticket price includes the cost of the meal  
 7 Professor Sanchez comes from

- 8 does this word mean  
 9 two samples appear to be the same  
 10 resulted from a chemical reaction in a laboratory

- 10 flowed  
 11 ended up  
 12 occurred  
 13 died  
 14 was improving  
 15 were working on  
 16 completed

## Grammar 2

- 1 1 *was piloting*, took off  
 2 was still climbing,  
 noticed, was coming  
 3 collided, lost  
 4 took over, tried  
 5 got, was rapidly losing,  
 became  
 6 made, decided  
 7 watched, managed  
 8 followed, left, was  
 travelling  
 9 quickly rescued, was  
 slowly filling  
 10 survived, received
- 2 1 *were you doing*  
 2 started  
 3 was getting/growing/  
 becoming  
 4 did you do after  
 5 we were waiting we had  
 6 she died the newspapers  
 described her as  
 7 caused the crash  
 8 were you living

- 3 1 *heard*, looked, was happening  
 2 waited, decided, was taking  
 3 was driving, lost,  
 collided  
 4 wasn't carrying, was saying  
 5 found, was starting, was falling, was wearing  
 6 caused, came, was getting

- 4 1 *feared*  
 2 believed  
 3 circulated  
 4 did not realize  
 5 was entering  
 6 was spreading  
 7 possessed  
 8 was now rising  
 9 were doing

- 5 1 *opened*  
 2 entered  
 3 included  
 4 was attending  
 5 was travelling  
 6 stopped  
 7 decided  
 8 intended  
 9 was getting down  
 10 came  
 11 was holding  
 12 knocked  
 13 carried  
 14 died  
 15 occurred  
 16 was walking

- 6 1 *the arrival of the Prime Minister*  
 2 decision to become a pilot  
 3 invention of the gramophone  
 4 discovery of America  
 5 flight  
 6 death  
 7 construction of the dam  
 8 investigation of the robbery

## Grammar 3

- 1 1 *makes*  
 2 does  
 3 hold back/keep  
 4 sets  
 5 do not require  
 6 keeps/holds back  
 7 receives  
 8 goes out  
 9 purchases  
 10 ends up

- 2 **suggested answers**  
 1 *do the text and table present*  
 2 *does the text define*  
 3 *happened*  
 4 *Did this figure rise or fall*

## ANSWERS GRAMMAR

- 5 occurred  
 6 Did this trend continue  
 7 do/did the 2007 arrival figures include?  
 8 did the emigration figures peak?  
 9 Did this figure  
 10 caused
- 3 1 information about UK population figures between 1998 and 2007  
 2 someone who changes their country of usual residence for at least a year  
 3 there was a steady rise in immigration  
 4 it fell  
 5 a steep rise  
 6 no, it did not  
 7 96,000  
 8 2006  
 9 no, it fell the following year  
 10 a fall in British citizens emigrating to Spain and France
- 4 1 becomes visible  
 2 separates into different colours  
 3 causes the light to bend  
 4 depends on the wavelength of the beam  
 5 become visible  
 6 acts as a tiny prism  
 7 leaves the raindrop  
 8 sees the range of colours

### Grammar 4

- 1 1 have recently discovered  
 2 has been circling, have detected  
 3 found  
 4 quickly melted, was  
 5 found, it has detected  
 6 was  
 7 also believed  
 8 was, has come from  
 9 has been monitoring, It has also been studying  
 10 has shown, cost
- 2 1 has announced  
 2 have spent  
 3 told  
 4 feel  
 5 held  
 6 is now considering  
 7 made  
 8 has been preparing  
 9 have already drawn up/ are already drawing up  
 10 started  
 11 has also begun  
 12 have already worked/are already working

- 3 1 has provided/has been providing financial services  
 2 Fiona Allan has written five  
 3 Scientists have not discovered life on other planets  
 4 The construction team has now completed the Olympic Stadium.  
 5 The company has been producing green vehicles  
 6 Professor Thompson has been living/has lived in Vancouver  
 7 Ann Smith has held the post of chief executive  
 8 of young people entering higher education has been rising/has risen recently.  
 9 The satellite has been circling the Moon  
 10 The research team has concluded that

- 4 1 consider  
 2 have been living/have lived  
 3 has only recently begun  
 4 has always been  
 5 there are  
 6 have been looking/have looked  
 7 seem  
 8 recover  
 9 have ever owned  
 10 has changed  
 11 have met  
 12 have never felt  
 13 never thought  
 14 have also been investigating/have also investigated  
 15 believe

- 5 1 The project hasn't finished yet.  
 2 This is the first time there has been such a serious financial crisis.  
 3 Nobody/No one has proved that the dinosaurs died in this way.  
 4 The situation has changed since 2008.  
 5 It is still raining.  
 6 I've never been/I haven't been to Bulgaria before.  
 7 Have you met Professor Johnson (before)?
- 6 1 designed  
 2 bears  
 3 has been rising/has risen/ is rising  
 4 have been experimenting  
 5 has soared/has been soaring

### Grammar 5

- 1 1 destroyed  
 2 first noticed  
 3 were rising  
 4 had never expected  
 5 it had been burning  
 6 were blowing  
 7 had destroyed  
 8 had not killed  
 9 never established  
 10 put
- 2 1 were examining, noticed, had previously overlooked  
 2 stared, was still falling, was growing/had grown, had packed, did not think  
 3 returned, saw, had progressed, had not expected  
 4 developed, were searching  
 5 drowned, was trying, had fallen, had removed, had repeatedly stolen

### 3 suggested answers.

- 1 had died  
 2 remarried  
 3 entered  
 4 had taken  
 5 had become  
 6 had listened  
 7 (had) sent  
 8 observed  
 9 had been making  
 10 looked  
 11 saw  
 12 had changed  
 13 had disappeared  
 14 came  
 15 had discovered  
 16 found
- 4 1 used to believe, now think  
 2 used to think, now know  
 3 used to claim, now have to  
 4 used to ride, are now driving/now drive  
 5 used to be, now divides  
 6 used to write, are now using/now use  
 7 used to sit, now eat  
 8 used to receive, now take out

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- 5 1 *had started by the time we got into the ground*  
 2 knew that they had lost the battle  
 3 arrived at the office I realized (that) I had left my keys at home  
 4 had eaten/had a Japanese meal before, so I knew what to expect  
 5 phoned her office Jane had already left  
 6 hadn't been to/visited Romania before  
 7 couldn't understand what his letter meant  
 8 forced to eat their pack animals since they had eaten all their food  
 9 the injured man had fallen from the window  
 10 the interview was over they had already decided to give him the job

### Grammar 6

- 1 1 has risen  
 2 fell  
 3 stayed  
 4 has been  
 5 has fallen  
 6 caused  
 7 did not receive  
 8 had probably had  
 9 had already built up  
 10 started  
 11 received  
 12 had largely eliminated  
 13 had not acquired  
 14 had also begun  
 15 stood
- 2 1 has grown steadily  
 2 have increased  
 3 have connected  
 4 has almost reached  
 5 has shown  
 6 has also had an effect  
 7 has expanded fourfold  
 8 has completely changed  
 9 have been complaining  
 10 had never been online  
 11 has indicated  
 12 have remained popular  
 13 have now discovered  
 14 have continued  
 15 have limited

### Grammar 7

- 1 1 *I'll let you know*  
 2 will be lying  
 3 will fall/are going to fall  
 4 will be/is going to be  
 5 are we going to do  
 6 won't be leaving/aren't leaving  
 7 we'll finish/we're going to finish

- 8 We're all going to miss/  
 We'll all miss  
 9 will probably have risen  
 10 I'm going to work/I'll be working

- 2 1 *will be working*, will be putting  
 2 will soon be entering,  
 will have made  
 3 will be replacing, will have returned, will be supplying  
 4 will also be talking, will be visiting, will have come, will have started

- 3 1 *process/have processed*, will let  
 2 leave, will give  
 3 will begin, have tested  
 4 takes off/has taken off,  
 switches off/has switched off  
 5 is, will contact  
 6 have, will send  
 7 will meet, finishes/has finished  
 8 come, will be  
 9 will be, begins  
 10 will send, arrive/have arrived

- 4 1 *artificial organs will be commonplace by the end of the century*  
 2 car use will have doubled within twenty years  
 3 most people will be home workers/will work at home in twenty years' time

- 4 what will happen in the future  
 5 of future technology will be lower  
 6 that they will have completed the tunnel by the end of the year  
 7 90% of us/people will be using mobile phones by the end of the decade  
 8 it will rain tomorrow  
 9 people will be eating in the future  
 10 will have colonized other planets by the end of the century

- 5 1 *will be introducing*  
 2 will cause  
 3 starts  
 4 will no longer be  
 5 will have closed  
 6 passes  
 7 will record  
 8 will be able  
 9 will result  
 10 is going to make  
 11 will confuse  
 12 will prove

- 13 will pass  
 14 will end up  
 15 won't really be  
 16 will receive  
 17 will get  
 18 won't come back

### Grammar 8

- 1 1 200 years ago  
 2 towards  
 3 on time  
 4 yet  
 5 until  
 6 one day  
 7 since  
 8 by  
 9 Throughout  
 10 last

- 2 1 Up to  
 2 later  
 3 in/during  
 4 at  
 5 formerly  
 6 until  
 7 In  
 8 after  
 9 On  
 10 before  
 11 later  
 12 in  
 13 finally  
 14 in  
 15 for  
 16 By  
 17 after  
 18 Since

- |   |     |      |      |
|---|-----|------|------|
| 3 | 1 C | 7 B  | 13 B |
|   | 2 A | 8 A  | 14 B |
|   | 3 C | 9 A  | 15 C |
|   | 4 D | 10 D | 16 A |
|   | 5 D | 11 B |      |
|   | 6 B | 12 C |      |

- |   |          |            |
|---|----------|------------|
| 4 | 1 in     | 7 until    |
|   | 2 ago    | 8 after    |
|   | 3 later  | 9 for      |
|   | 4 longer | 10 already |
|   | 5 in     | 11 At      |
|   | 6 later  | 12 Since   |

- |   |             |
|---|-------------|
| 5 | 1 around    |
|   | 2 ago       |
|   | 3 at        |
|   | 4 later     |
|   | 5 in/during |

- |  |              |
|--|--------------|
|  | 6 After      |
|  | 7 until      |
|  | 8 In/During  |
|  | 9 In/During  |
|  | 10 still     |
|  | 11 in        |
|  | 12 at        |
|  | 13 since     |
|  | 14 in/during |
|  | 15 later     |
|  | 16 in        |
|  | 17 Nowadays  |

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### Grammar 9

- 1** 1 will probably rise  
2 will have increased  
3 will be  
4 will be living  
5 will have sprung up  
6 will be struggling  
7 will not have been able  
8 will be finding  
9 will simply not have  
10 will be facing  
11 will have to address  
12 will have improved  
13 will have provided  
14 will have
- 2** 1 Nowadays  
2 Over/During/For  
3 present  
4 Since  
5 by  
6 Over/Throughout/During  
7 ago  
8 Since  
9 still  
10 By
- 3** 1 the population aged 65 and over  
2 has increased from around 7.5 million  
3 the population aged 16 and under  
4 between 1971 and the present  
5 rose by about 30%  
6 fell by about 20%  
7 will stand at about the same figure  
8 will have risen to around 13 million

### Grammar 10

- |          |     |     |     |
|----------|-----|-----|-----|
| <b>1</b> | 1 B | 4 B | 7 A |
| 2        | C   | 5 C | 8 C |
| 3        | A   | 6 B |     |
- 2** 1 When did you decide to be a lawyer?  
2 How long did you have to study?  
3 How do you remember all the facts?  
4 What interests you most about the law?  
5 What kind of law do you specialize in?  
6 What kind of law firm do you work for?  
7 Do you earn a high salary?  
8 Have you ever appeared in a murder trial?  
9 What do you like most about your job?  
10 What will you be doing in ten years' time?

- 3** 1 was William Shakespeare when he died  
2 have teams of scientists been working on genome projects  
3 developed the first long-lasting practical electric light-bulb  
4 did the first astronauts on the Moon bring back  
5 was (the French biochemist) Jacques Monod born  
6 do birds sing  
7 is Maria Montessori best known for  
8 will the entire project cost  
9 will the next conference take place/be taking place  
10 do scientists believe exists at the centre of our galaxy
- 4** 1 *this is the right answer?*  
2 what time the train leaves?  
3 where the entrance is.  
4 how this machine works.  
5 who he was.  
6 when the final examination takes place?  
7 it is going to rain.  
8 how thunder and lightning occur?  
9 why you told me to wait here.  
10 what the meaning of this word is?/what this word means?

### 5 suggested answers

- 1 a some birds fly thousands of miles  
2 i some birds stay in the same place  
3 e advantages does migration bring?  
4 h migration routes become established.  
5 b birds manage to migrate over long distances.  
6 j strategies birds use on long trips.  
7 c birds find their way.  
8 g young birds are able to follow migration routes  
9 f do these young birds know where to go?  
10 d route they should follow.

### Grammar 11

- 1** 1 has been suspended  
2 makes  
3 have been completed  
4 is determined  
5 has been chosen  
6 was developed  
7 has been recorded  
8 published  
9 are generally considered  
10 is being investigated
- 2** 1 are being imported from Poland  
2 was invented about a thousand years ago in China  
3 of fuel oil is being increased from tomorrow  
4 must be completed by 31<sup>st</sup> March  
5 are used to search for extra-terrestrial life  
6 while it was being transported from Paris to Rome  
7 have been suspended for the next three matches  
8 will be published at the end of the month  
9 with planets in orbit around them have been discovered  
10 is being closed until further notice
- 3** 1 are known  
2 is used  
3 is questioned/is being questioned  
4 checks  
5 may indicate  
6 are administered  
7 was depicted/is depicted  
8 has been replaced  
9 sit  
10 are connected  
11 is supposed  
12 can be detected  
13 is sometimes called  
14 are limited  
15 are frequently employed  
16 can be forced
- 4** 1 Glucose is used by the cells to provide energy.  
2 All the athletes taking part were provided with laptops and video cameras.  
3 Everyone is advised to eat 400 grammes of fruit and vegetables per day.  
4 It is not known how the fire began.  
5 According to reports, the storm has hit coastal areas the hardest.

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- 6 Around \$400 million was spent worldwide on advertising last year.  
 7 If they asked me to rejoin the project, I would refuse./I would refuse to rejoin the project if they asked me.  
 8 A broken arm has forced Smith to abandon the Tour de France.
- 5 1 *realize*  
 2 are being forced  
 3 has been set up  
 4 is becoming/has become  
 5 has doubled  
 6 are persuaded/have been persuaded  
 7 is wasted  
 8 are left on  
 9 are provided  
 10 can be cut  
 11 have been replaced/are being replaced  
 12 has been fitted/is being fitted  
 13 has been reduced/is being reduced  
 14 are collecting  
 15 have been installed  
 16 is served  
 17 applies  
 18 are given/are being given  
 19 are not lectured/are not being lectured  
 20 is encouraged/is being encouraged

### Grammar 12

#### 1 suggested answers

- 1 *What information does the graph show?*
- 2 During this period did UK visits abroad rise or fall?
- 3 Was the fall in 2009 as steep as the fall in 2008?
- 4 Do the figures for overseas visits to the UK show the same trend?
- 5 Do the figures show any seasonal variations?
- 6 What was the approximate difference in millions between February 2008 and February 2010?
- 7 Did the figures for overseas visits to the UK show the same general trend?
- 8 What was the approximate fall in numbers between February 2008 and February 2010?
- 9 What probably explains these trends?
- 10 What are future trends likely to be?

#### 2 suggested answers

- 1 *then cleaned and dried until the seeds are ready for use.*
- 2 the seeds are soaked in wine and vinegar to soften them, and to make the husks easier to remove.
- 3 the seeds are crushed and ground into flour.
- 4 the flour is passed through sieves to remove the husks.
- 5 white wine, or vinegar and water, are added and the mixture is blended until a paste is formed.
- 6 the paste is blended with seasonings and flavourings.
- 7 the mixture is heated and left to simmer slowly before being allowed to cool.
- 8 measured amounts of mustard are poured into jars or bottles, the lids are sealed and the jars are packed into boxes.

#### 3 suggested answers

- 1 *have been constructed*
- 2 have been repaired/renovated
- 3 have been supplied/provided
- 4 have been furnished/supplied
- 5 have been helped
- 6 have been renovated/repaired
- 7 have been fitted out
- 8 have been provided
- 9 will be given
- 10 are being subsidized
- 11 were wholly funded
- 12 were trained/were being trained
- 13 has been distributed
- 14 has been achieved
- 15 have been changed

### Grammar 13

- 1 1 *don't act, will be*  
 2 improves, will go ahead  
 3 would increase, were available  
 4 would be, spent  
 5 had, I'd help  
 6 are not given, will die  
 7 had, would they be  
 8 is postponed, will take  
 9 don't finish, I'll come  
 10 were investing, would
- 2 1 *are*  
 2 pays, will add/will be added  
 3 exceed, will not accept  
 4 lose, will still be

- 5 do not have, will continue  
 6 stop, will be  
 7 is  
 8 die, will pay

- 3 1 *The plants won't grow unless you water them.*  
 2 The machine won't start unless you plug it in.  
 3 Unless staff are given a pay rise, the union will call a strike.  
 4 Unless the government acts, there will be a water shortage.  
 5 The programme is likely to go ahead unless there is a last-minute hitch.  
 6 Unless there is an examination at the end of the course, some students will not study seriously.  
 7 People tend not to succeed unless they enjoy what they are doing.  
 8 Students cannot use the library unless they have a valid library card.  
 9 Unless measures are taken, the situation will get worse.  
 10 Unless the patient's condition deteriorates, she should make a full recovery.

#### 4 suggested answers

- 1 *If I had my driving licence with me I would be able to hire a car.*
- 2 If there were/was no water on Earth, life would be impossible.
- 3 If everyone spoke the same language, people would get on well together.
- 4 If we had a computer it would be easier to do the calculations.
- 5 If food were/was distributed fairly, everyone would have enough to eat.
- 6 If people knew the risks involved in smoking, they would probably give (it) up.
- 7 If aliens landed on Earth, we might not notice them/they might not be noticed.
- 8 If the library opened on Sunday we could/would be able to go there to study.
- 9 If more people used public transport, there

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- would be less pollution from cars/it would cut the amount of pollution from cars.
- 10 If people ate less and took more exercise they wouldn't be overweight.
- 5 1 *If*  
2 will  
3 will  
4 are  
5 If  
6 is  
7 will  
8 are/were  
9 may/might  
10 do  
11 doesn't  
12 is  
13 can/should/will  
14 are  
15 be  
16 do/can  
17 will  
18 is  
19 will  
20 Unless  
21 will  
22 unless

**Grammar 14**

- 1 1 *hadn't closed*, would have become  
2 doesn't make, will continue  
3 would have finished, hadn't been  
4 would certainly have carried on, had been  
5 hadn't collapsed, would have been  
6 flooded, would have to  
7 would suffer, made  
8 had followed, would have noticed, could have been
- 2 1 *would have happened*  
2 had successfully invaded  
3 (had) conquered  
4 had beaten  
5 would have found  
6 would have presented  
7 might have emerged  
8 would not have enjoyed  
9 would have proved  
10 had not existed  
11 would/could not have proceeded  
12 would have ended  
13 had not entered  
14 would have happened  
15 had not taken place  
16 had been  
17 would have remained  
18 would not have been

- 3 1 *If the company had made a profit it might not have reduced its workforce.*  
2 If rescue teams had arrived in time, they might have rescued more people/more people might have been rescued.  
3 If the government had (been) prepared for the heatwave there might not have been a shortage of water.  
4 If the people in the town had been more friendly, we might have stayed there longer.  
5 If we hadn't had problems with our computer network, we might have finished the project on time.  
6 If the banks had properly understood what they were investing in, they might have avoided the financial crisis.  
7 If the two sides had been willing to negotiate, the dispute might not have dragged on for months.  
8 If the maintenance staff had carried out routine checks, a breakdown might not have occurred.  
9 If the patient had been given the correct dosage of medication, she might have survived.  
10 If an engineer had not spotted the cracks in the wing, the plane might have crashed.

**4 suggested answers**

- 1 *hadn't lent the company some money, would not be*  
2 the bank loan, would have been/gone  
3 the economic climate does not worsen, will probably make  
4 had not been for the (rise in the) price of oil, would not have risen  
5 been for severe weather in the North Sea, would not have been cut  
6 would not have been so/as serious, had not been a helicopter crash  
7 the weather hadn't been, the helicopter crash would not have  
8 had negotiated, would not have been  
9 had agreed, would not

- have decided/would not have taken the decision  
10 the management behaves, won't be any calls for strike action
- 5 **suggested answers**
- 1 *Even if we caught an earlier train we still wouldn't arrive before 6.00.*
  - 2 If you were to reconsider our offer, I think you might change your mind.
  - 3 If it hadn't been for the security officer, the robbery would have succeeded.
  - 4 (You should) Use the security code otherwise the computer won't work.
  - 5 If Janet Ward had taken the job, she would be/would have been head of the company.
  - 6 Researchers may access this material on condition that they do not use it for commercial purposes.
  - 7 If it were not for government grants, many students would be unable/would not be able to study.

- 6 1 *would*  
2 was/were not  
3 were  
4 would  
5 would  
6 not  
7 provided  
8 condition  
9 unless  
10 may/will  
11 have  
12 if

**Grammar 15****1 suggested answers**

- 1 *If you always turn off appliances on standby, you'll save 25% of the energy they use.*
- 2 If you replace old appliances with new energy-efficient ones, you'll save up to 50% of the energy they use.
- 3 If you install a home energy monitor, it'll show you exactly how much energy you are using.
- 4 If you use cold water in your washing machine, you'll save 90% of the energy used to heat water.

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- 5 If you fit double-glazed windows, you'll feel warmer and save money.
- 6 If you insulate your roof, you'll stop 30% of the heat in your house from escaping.
- 7 If you bring your heating system up to date, you'll lower your bills by as much as 15%.
- 8 If you turn down the thermostat of your heating system, you'll save up to 20% of your heating bill.
- 9 If you swap your old conventional light bulbs for energy-saving bulbs, you'll save money on lighting, and replace the bulbs less often.
- 2 1** *If houses are built on soft ground, they are more likely to collapse during an earthquake.*
- 2 If you ask people in developing countries to take precautions against earthquakes, they ignore the warning, as they have their daily survival to worry about.
- 3 If people knew that an area was situated near a major fault, they would not build their towns and cities there.
- 4 If governments introduce building regulations in earthquake prone areas, this can reduce fatalities in the event of an earthquake.
- 5 In California, if building regulations had not been strictly enforced, in recent earthquakes more buildings would have been damaged, and there would have been more casualties.
- 6 If governments made people more aware of the dangers of earthquakes, and trained them what to do in an emergency, casualties might be reduced.
- 7 If people in the Pacific in December 2004 had known about the effects of tsunamis, there might have been fewer casualties.

- 8 If there had been a tsunami early warning system then, as there is now, people would have had the chance to move to higher ground.
- 9 Even if there had been a warning before the Haiti earthquake in 2010, it might not have made a difference to the number of casualties, as there would not have been enough time to evacuate people.
- 10 If scientists had the same financial and intellectual resources to use in places like Indonesia and Pakistan as are used in the USA or Japan, they would/might be able to minimize the effects of more earthquakes.

### Grammar 16

- 1 1 *may increase*  
 2 cannot assume  
 3 could have been  
 4 can only get  
 5 must be  
 6 should be  
 7 might have  
 8 can't have got in  
 9 must be  
 10 might as well
- 2 1 B      3 B      5 C  
 2 C      4 A      6 A

- 3 1 *This can't be the way to the city centre.*  
 2 The director may not attend the meeting  
 3 You might have told me that the library always closes on Fridays.  
 4 The plane must have struck a flight of birds.  
 5 That could be why things have been going wrong.

- 6 We should get some early results by the end of the week.  
 7 They might have taken the wrong road in the dark.  
 8 Be more careful! You could have given yourself an electric shock!  
 9 You must be very proud of your daughter's achievements.  
 10 There is bound to be a lot of traffic on the motorway.

### 4 suggested answers

- 1 *could have hurt*
- 2 are bound to improve
- 3 might/should have arrived
- 4 must have forgotten
- 5 must have paid
- 6 might/should have woken
- 7 can't/might not get
- 8 might have left
- 9 might well rain
- 10 may/might have found

### 5 suggested answers

- 1 *The builders can't have constructed all the pyramids in the same way or for the same reason.*
- 2 A large labour force must have dragged huge blocks of stone over long distances.
- 3 It was originally assumed that slaves must have performed these tasks.
- 4 Skilled workers may/might have worked for a salary, or as a way of paying their taxes.
- 5 This statue may/might have weighed 60 tonnes.
- 6 Eight to ten workers may/might have been able to move a typical stone building block.
- 7 The workers must have used large amounts of wood to do this.
- 8 Eventually a shortage of wood must have restricted pyramid construction.
- 9 The ancient Egyptians must have possessed great organizational skill.
- 10 The mathematical knowledge of the builders of the Pyramids must have been considerable.

### Grammar 17

- 1 1 *haven't been able to finish*  
 2 are not to smoke  
 3 don't have to pay  
 4 we'd better start  
 5 needn't have worried  
 6 shouldn't study  
 7 had to go  
 8 shouldn't have left  
 9 could swim  
 10 must not take

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- 2** 1 *should/ought to*  
 2 need not have  
 3 been able  
 4 has to/had to/has had to  
 5 did not have/need to  
 6 had better/should/ought  
 to  
 7 should/ought to  
 8 did not need to  
 9 should/must  
 10 must/have to
- 3** 1 *You shouldn't drink too much coffee.*  
 2 There is plenty of food in the fridge so you/we don't have to go shopping.  
 3 If you want to hire a car you must have a full driving licence.  
 4 All visitors are to report to reception.  
 5 We shouldn't have travelled there by bus.  
 6 I'll be able to give you more detailed information at the end of the week.  
 7 It is important that the government calls/call an election as soon as possible.  
 8 (I think) You'd better try to relax for a few days.
- 4** 1 *There has to be a better way of encouraging*  
 2 The government really must introduce a scheme that  
 3 The prosecutor should not have charged  
 4 then it ought not to delay its decision.  
 5 Such injuries need not be a problem provided
- 5 suggested answers**
- 1 *should not have happened*  
 2 must be/has to be  
 3 must receive/has to receive  
 4 was not able to complete/couldn't complete  
 5 didn't need to take  
 6 should not have set out/ought not to have set out
- 6** 1 *had to wait*  
 2 are able to watch  
 3 don't have to be  
 4 needn't have bothered  
 5 has to monitor  
 6 should watch  
 7 are only able to  
 8 should we be  
 9 should this be allowed  
 10 must not violate  
 11 have to think again

### Grammar 18

- 1 suggested answers**
- 1 *might suppose*  
 2 should know  
 3 have to use/must use/need to use  
 4 can be used  
 5 could/might/will/may be  
 6 can/may/will/might be  
 7 will not agree  
 8 cannot be  
 9 are bound to/can/will produce  
 10 have to/need to/must take  
 11 should be/is  
 12 had to link  
 13 could/might/may be  
 14 must be  
 15 must/will have to wait

- 11** The government should/ought to/must discourage parents from taking their children to school by car/promote walking to school/improve road safety so more children will walk to school/provide free school buses to take children to school.
- 12** The government should/ought to/must introduce awards/lower taxes for companies that have cut carbon emissions.

- 3** 1 a 5 h 9 b  
 2 f 6 l 10 c  
 3 d 7 j 11 i  
 4 e 8 k 12 g

### 2 suggested answers

- 1 *The government should/ought to/must improve roads to encourage bicycle use/promote cycling.*  
 2 The government should/ought to/must improve public transport and make it cheaper.  
 3 The government should/ought to/must discourage/ban powerful 4x4 vehicles.  
 4 The government should/ought to/must promote working from home.  
 5 The government should/ought to/must discourage/ban free car parking at work.  
 6 The government should/ought to/must discourage/ban the use of disposable batteries/promote the use of rechargeable batteries.

- 7 The government should/ought to/must promote/improve environmental education in schools.  
 8 The government should/ought to/must discourage/ban water in plastic bottles.  
 9 The government should/ought to/must provide more information on energy efficiency of household products.  
 10 The government should/ought to/must promote electric and non-polluting vehicles/introduce lower taxes for people who drive electric and non-polluting vehicles.

### Grammar 19

- 1** 1 *An, an, -*  
 2 *The, -, the*  
 3 *-, a, a, -, the*  
 4 *-, -, -, -*  
 5 *-, -, the, -*  
 6 *an, a, an, -*  
 7 *A, the, a*  
 8 *The, the, a, -, a*  
 9 *-, a, a, -, a, -*  
 10 *A, a, the, -*

- 2** 1 *Giorgio is an Italian.*  
 2 Does a Jane Smith live here?  
 3 I've got a headache.  
 4 This (painting) is a Renoir.  
 5 Maria has been studying the wines of France.  
 6 The elephant is a herbivore.  
 7 The head of the bank earns over £10 million/ten million a year.

- 3** 1 a 13 the  
 2 the 14 the  
 3 the 15 the  
 4 a 16 a  
 5 a 17 -  
 6 a 18 -  
 7 - 19 the  
 8 - 20 an  
 9 - 21 -  
 10 the 22 the  
 11 a 23 -  
 12 -

- 4** 1 *The three*  
 2 *The names*  
 3 *-*  
 4 *an easily administered system*  
 5 *the ground*  
 6 *the/a process*  
 7 *-*  
 8 *the roots*

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- 10 the cost  
 11 the air  
 12 A lot  
 13 the main advantage  
 14 -
- 5**
- 1 a  
 2 -  
 3 -  
 4 A/The  
 5 -  
 6 The  
 7 the  
 8 the  
 9 -  
 10 the  
 11 the  
 12 -  
 13 The  
 14 -  
 15 -  
 16 -  
 17 the  
 18 The  
 19 -  
 20 the  
 21 an  
 22 The  
 23 the

**6**

- A** will stretch from the St. Pancras,  
the Europe's expanding high-speed rail network  
 reducing a journey times.  
 in the east London  
 around the several stations
- B** he could get the moviegoers  
 'eat a popcorn'  
 fears that the governments  
the British researchers have shown  
 instilling the negative thoughts.  
 about whether the people can process the emotional information

### Grammar 20

- 1**
- 1 *the Greek island of Milos*  
 2 *the moon rising above the Alps*  
 3 *a physics textbook*
- 4 *the first Tuesday in August*  
 5 *coffee to tea*  
 6 *on holiday*  
 7 *a member state of the European Union*  
 8 *the British Library*  
 9 *the paper*  
 10 *a citrus fruit*

- 2**
- 1 *Susan is an Australian.*  
 2 I'm afraid that George is still in bed.  
 3 Anna studied medicine.  
 4 The sun is hottest in the middle of the day.  
 5 Helen is at work, but I can give you her number.  
 6 We get paid on the last Friday of the month  
 7 Inspector Gorse is on duty at the moment.
- 3**
- 1 -, the, the, -, -, a, the, -  
 2 A, a, an, -, an, an, The, a, -  
 3 a, -, the, The, a/-, an, the, -, a  
 4 -, a, -, a, a, the, the, the, The  
 5 The, a, The, The, -, an, -, the
- 4**
- 1 A  
 2 a  
 3 -  
 4 a  
 5 the  
 6 the  
 7 -  
 8 A  
 9 the/-  
 10 The  
 11 a  
 12 the  
 13 the  
 14 a  
 15 -  
 16 The  
 17 -

- 5**
- 1 *the Maya*  
 2 -  
 3 *the Tumbalá Mountains*  
 4 *the ruins*  
 5 -  
 6 *the 18<sup>th</sup> century*  
 7 *the world*  
 8 -  
 9 *of the city*  
 10 -  
 11 *an aqueduct*  
 12 *a complex*  
 13 -  
 14 -  
 15 *the most*  
 16 -  
 17 -  
 18 *a jade suit*  
 19 -  
 20 *a series*  
 21 -  
 22 *The*

### Grammar 21

- 1**
- 1 -  
 2 -  
 3 -  
 4 -  
 5 -  
 6 -  
 7 the  
 8 -  
 9 the  
 10 -  
 11 The  
 12 the  
 13 -  
 14 -  
 15 the  
 16 the  
 17 the  
 18 the  
 19 -  
 20 -
- 2**
- 1 *the*  
 2 a  
 3 a  
 4 the  
 5 the  
 6 the
- 3**
- 1 *the*  
 2 the  
 3 -  
 4 a  
 5 the  
 6 the
- 4**
- 1 *requires a notion*  
the variables plotted  
the graph itself  
A graph is a presentational device,  
 in a chosen format.  
 what a graph shows  
 about a graph.

### Grammar 22

- 1**
- 1 *any money*  
 2 *little hope/not much hope*  
 3 *too many containers*  
 4 *help/some help*  
 5 *too much*  
 6 *enough*  
 7 *some advice*  
 8 *just enough room*  
 9 *isn't very much/isn't a lot*  
 10 *millions of litres of wine*
- 2**
- 1 *Some*  
 2 *little*  
 3 *many*  
 4 *amounts*  
 5 *many*  
 6 *up*  
 7 *some*
- 8 few  
 9 many  
 10 hardly  
 11 few  
 12 plenty/lots  
 13 much  
 14 enough
- 3**
- 1 *The earthquake made a large number of people homeless.*  
 2 How much time have we got left?  
 3 There is little point in carrying on.

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- 4**
- 1 We've been thinking, and we've come up with a few suggestions.
  - 2 Not enough interest has been shown in the project to make it viable.
  - 3 There isn't any money in the emergency fund.
  - 4 None of the patients reported any side effects.
  - 5 There are hardly any remaining options.
  - 6 A lot of damage has been done to the bridge.
- 4**
- 1 *much*
  - 2 *few*
  - 3 *little*
  - 4 *only*
  - 5 *many*
  - 6 *enough*
  - 7 *many*
  - 8 *number*
  - 9 *lot*
  - 10 *hardly*
  - 11 *some/many*
  - 12 *lot*
  - 13 *many*
  - 14 *too*
  - 15 *of*
  - 16 *none*
  - 17 *enough*
  - 18 *number*
  - 19 *few*
  - 20 *much*
  - 21 *some/many*
  - 22 *few*
  - 23 *number*
  - 24 *enough/any*
  - 25 *few*
  - 26 *much/a lot of*
  - 27 *number*
  - 28 *little*
- 5**
- 1 *few companies specialise in this product*
  - 2 *me some advice about what I should do*
  - 3 *many open spaces in this area*
  - 4 *time you need a break, there's a cafeteria on the next floor*
  - 5 *much nitrogen is there in the atmosphere?*
  - 6 *a little more maintenance than the earlier model*
  - 7 *no cure for this condition*
  - 8 *many as a hundred police officers were involved in the security operation*
- 6 suggested answers**
- 1 *There is not enough time to deal with this issue properly.*
  - 2 *Many thousands of people remain homeless.*
- 3**
- 1 There was hardly enough room to fit everyone in.
  - 2 A large amount of damage has been reported from the capital.
  - 3 A few troublemakers were arrested.
  - 4 There is plenty of time before the plane leaves.
  - 5 Add a little salt, and stir well.
  - 6 None of the people I spoke to knew where the college was.
  - 7 There are too few parking places.
  - 8 How much water does the reservoir contain?
- Grammar 23**
- 1**
- 1 *faster than a car*
  - 2 *I've ever seen*
  - 3 *twice as fast as mine*
  - 4 *too difficult to do*
  - 5 *the more appealing it becomes*
  - 6 *hard enough*
  - 7 *as much money left*
  - 8 *more and more demanding*
  - 9 *like*
  - 10 *just about as much as I can take*
- 2**
- 1 *most*
  - 2 *just*
  - 3 *as*
  - 4 *more*
  - 5 *more*
  - 6 *than*
  - 7 *more*
  - 8 *than*
  - 9 *not*
  - 10 *as*
  - 11 *less*
  - 12 *as*
  - 13 *than*
  - 14 *much/far*
  - 15 *much/far*
  - 16 *fewer*
  - 17 *as*
  - 18 *as*
- 6**
- 1 *just as*
  - 2 *more and more*
  - 3 *as much*
  - 4 *more surprising*
  - 5 *drier*
  - 6 *less water*
  - 7 *harder*
  - 8 *higher*
  - 9 *the best*
  - 10 *twice as much*
  - 11 *a lot more*
  - 12 *the longer*
  - 13 *shorter and cooler*
  - 14 *minute less*
  - 15 *more sense*
  - 16 *than*
  - 17 *a little richer*
  - 18 *as simple as*
- Grammar 24**
- 1**
- 1 *many*
  - 2 *number*
  - 3 *more*
  - 4 *than*
  - 5 *most*
  - 6 *times*
  - 7 *fewer*
  - 8 *more*
  - 9 *many*
  - 10 *more*
- 3**
- 1 *easier problem than we thought it was*
  - 2 *worst state the finances have (ever) been in*
  - 3 *as likely to change his mind*
  - 4 *more dangerous of the two*
  - 5 *twice as much profit as last year*
  - 6 *too late to put out the fire*
  - 7 *like the bus now*
  - 8 *a lot more expensive*
- 2**
- 1 *most populous*
  - 2 *not even*
  - 3 *largest*
  - 4 *mostly*
  - 5 *dominant*
  - 6 *considerable*
  - 7 *significant amounts*
  - 8 *large numbers*
  - 9 *greater extent*
  - 10 *highest*
  - 11 *substantial*
  - 12 *many*
  - 13 *extensive*
  - 14 *large quantities*
  - 15 *busiest*
  - 16 *major*

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### 3 suggested answers

- 1 more
- 2 enough
- 3 too
- 4 enough
- 5 than
- 6 few
- 7 fewer
- 8 number
- 9 many
- 10 more
- 11 as
- 12 not
- 13 Too
- 14 sufficiently
- 15 not
- 16 few/minority
- 17 as
- 18 enough
- 19 few
- 20 less

### Grammar 25

- 1 1 has completed
- 2 wherever
- 3 During the time
- 4 in the way
- 5 since
- 6 anywhere
- 7 as
- 8 when exactly
- 9 arrive
- 10 before
  
- 2 1 way
- 2 Wherever/Anywhere
- 3 When/While/Whenever
- 4 When/Once
- 5 while
- 6 After/Once
- 7 When/While
- 8 whenever/when
- 9 When
- 10 wherever
- 11 By
- 12 After
- 13 where
- 14 Once/When

### 3 suggested answers

- 1 I used glue as it said I should in the instructions.
- 2 The moment the match finished, there was a huge cheer.
- 3 When the tomb was discovered, the archaeologists were astounded.
- 4 Once the operation had started, it could not be interrupted.
- 5 They didn't fit the windows in the way we wanted (them to be fitted).
- 6 This is just how I imagined the village would be./The village is

just how I imagined it would be.

- 7 I won't leave home before six.
- 8 The refugees found shelter wherever they could.
- 9 The way of life of the people in the mountains is much as it was in the last century.
- 10 It sounds as if they are not telling the truth.

- 8 Classes finished early so that students could attend rehearsals for the play.
- 9 It is such a dangerous substance that it has to be kept in a special container.
- 10 Even though they had been advised to turn back, the expedition went on.

### 4 suggested answers

- 1 As the Islands are a tax-neutral jurisdiction, no one there pays income tax.
- 2 Since the islands do not produce manufactured goods, everything has to be imported.
- 3 The government levies a special tax on all imports so (that) it can pay for essential services.
- 4 So many people want to work there and there is so much tourism that the government is also able to raise large amounts of revenue from work permits and port fees.
- 5 This policy has been so successful that the Islands are one of the wealthiest places in the world.

### 5 suggested answers

- 1 Although
- 2 When
- 3 so
- 4 While/Whereas
- 5 so that
- 6 so
- 7 so that
- 8 Although/While
- 9 as/since
- 10 when/whenever

### 3 suggested answers

- 1 The headwind was so strong that the flight was delayed.
- 2 Since you failed to provide any references, your application has not been accepted.
- 3 As the meeting was poorly attended, no vote was taken on the proposal.
- 4 The computer programme had so many errors that it had to be rewritten.
- 5 Although the weather was bad, the building work was completed on time.
- 6 I'll give you my phone number just in case you change your mind.
- 7 Much as I appreciate your offer, I am afraid I have to decline.

### Grammar 26

- 1 1 As
- 2 such a
- 3 in case
- 4 In spite of taking
- 5 Seeing as
- 6 so rapidly
- 7 Even if
- 8 In order that
- 9 so little
- 10 whereas
  
- 2 1 so
- 2 Although/While
- 3 as/since/because
- 4 that
- 5 even
- 6 so
- 7 While/Although
- 8 As/Since/Because
- 9 so
- 10 As/Since/Because
- 11 although/while
- 12 so that
- 13 as/since/because
- 14 while/whereas/but
- 15 As/Since/Because
- 16 so that

### 5 suggested answers

- 1 Although
- 2 When
- 3 so
- 4 While/Whereas
- 5 so that
- 6 so
- 7 so that
- 8 Although/While
- 9 as/since
- 10 when/whenever

### Grammar 27

- |   |   |   |   |   |    |   |
|---|---|---|---|---|----|---|
| 1 | 1 | a | 5 | k | 9  | f |
| 2 | 2 | c | 6 | d | 10 | b |
| 3 | 3 | g | 7 | h | 11 | i |
| 4 | 4 | l | 8 | e | 12 | j |

### 2 suggested answers

- 1 When
- 2 Whenever/When
- 3 Although
- 4 as soon as/once
- 5 as though
- 6 such
- 7 The moment
- 8 In case
- 9 Since/As
- 10 As/Since

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- 11 by the time  
 12 while/even though  
 13 Even though/While  
 14 as if

**3 suggested answers**

- 1 *So many people in the developing world now use or have access to mobile phones that mobile technology is now a major contributor to economic growth.*  
 2 It seems that mobile phone use will just keep on rising, until the entire world population owns or has access to a mobile phone.  
 3 Puerto Ricans top the list of mobile phone chatters, as/since/because many mobile phone plans in Puerto Rico include unlimited calls to the US where many people have relatives.  
 4 However, although/while people in developing countries may come lower on the list as far as minutes per month are concerned, mobile use is still booming.  
 5 Many people using mobile phones subscribe to money transfer services, so that they can send money easily by text message.  
 6 While /Although sales of mobiles have rocketed, sales of landline connections have remained at the same level for some time.  
 7 In the developing world, which now accounts for over 60% of mobile use, people choose not to have landlines, as/since/because they are more expensive and harder to acquire.  
 8 Traditionally, effective communications infrastructure has been so poor in developing countries, that they have been held back economically, but mobile technology has changed everything.  
 9 Nearly everywhere/Wherever you travel, it is now possible to use your mobile phone.  
 10 Even though there are a few parts of Britain where there is no mobile coverage, it is possible to use your mobile on Mt Everest as/since/because there is a China Telecom mast at the bottom of the mountain!

**Grammar 28**

- 1 1 *that/which*  
 2 whom  
 3 whose

- 4 –/that/which  
 5 whose  
 6 who/that  
 7 that/which  
 8 whose  
 9 who/that  
 10 –/that/which

- 2 1 *that we, that nobody*  
 2 –  
 3 *that we set up*  
 4 person who, which I had bought  
 5 who is in charge  
 6 that we, that everyone somebody here whom  
 8 –  
 9 period that, one which is rightly  
 10 –

- 3 1 *What*      6 *which*  
 2 *who*      7 *which*  
 3 *whom*      8 *that/–*  
 4 *whose*      9 *who*  
 5 *whom*      10 *when*

- 4 1 *I need someone I can rely on.*  
 2 The doctor phoned back all the patients she had already had interviews with.  
 3 This is exactly the kind of material we have been looking for.  
 4 There are two or three matters I want to take issue with.  
 5 A phenotype contains the genome it originates from.  
 6 His third film, *Last Time*, is what he will be remembered for.  
 7 It was not the experiment they were most satisfied with.  
 8 The sale of its old offices was the transaction the company profited most from.  
 9 Such a substance can be broken down into the elements which it is composed of.  
 10 Shakespeare is one of those writers whose personal life there is very little evidence for.

- 5 1 *which/that*  
 2 *which/that*  
 3 *which/that –*  
 4 *whoever*  
 5 *which/that*  
 6 *who*  
 7 *whose*  
 8 *who*  
 9 *which*  
 10 *whose*

- 11 *which*  
 12 *which*  
 13 *where*  
 14 *which*  
 15 *which*  
 16 *whose*  
 17 *who*  
 18 *who/that*  
 19 *which/that*  
 20 *which*  
 21 *who*  
 22 *where*  
 23 *who*  
 24 *which*

**Grammar 29**

- 1 1 *Taking a deep breath, she dived ...*  
 2 After considering/ Having considered the new evidence, the judge dismissed ...  
 3 ... carefully photographing/having photographed each one first.  
 4 While he was driving to work, a tree ...  
 5 Having accepted the recommendations of the committee, ...  
 6 On checking the figures again Foster realized ...  
 7 It being a public holiday, all ...  
 8 Since becoming president, O'Hara has been forced ...  
 9 Although suffering from a paralysis of the right hand, Leonardo ...  
 10 Having been forced/ Forced to leave Vienna, Freud ...  
  
 2 1 *taking a holiday she felt much better*  
 2 badly damaged, the plane managed to land safely  
 3 thinking, he deleted the document  
 4 arriving in Paris, she went directly to her hotel  
 5 removed his shoes, he walked through the metal detector  
 6 writing the first *Harry Potter* book, JK Rowling has become a top-selling author  
 7 daring to breathe, he pressed the button  
 8 examined the patient, the doctor decided she should be admitted to hospital  
 9 carbon-dating, the archaeologists established the age of the sword

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- 10 in the wrecked car, she was not discovered for several hours

**3 suggested answers**

- 1 *retaining*
- 2 continuing/developing
- 3 making
- 4 turning out
- 5 studying
- 6 publishing
- 7 spending
- 8 concerning
- 9 investigating/studying
- 10 returning
- 11 going
- 12 left
- 13 Noticing
- 14 carrying out
- 15 attracting
- 16 Abandoning/Having abandoned
- 17 developing
- 18 having succeeded

- 4 1 *Before leaving, we locked all the doors/We locked all the doors before leaving.*
- 2 While checking the photographs, she made an interesting discovery./ She made an interesting discovery while checking ...
- 3 On receiving the news of his appointment, he called a press conference./He called a press conference on receiving ...
- 4 Since starting to take this medicine in June, I have had no recurrence of symptoms./ I have had no recurrence of symptoms since starting ...
- 5 Picking up the papers, she ran out of the room.
- 6 For students not wishing to attend on Friday, there will be a session next Tuesday./There will be a session next Tuesday for those students not wishing ...
- 7 Having been accused of falsifying the bank's accounts, Jackson was forced to resign.
- 8 The castle is thought to be of timber construction, there being no traces of masonry.
- 9 Having been burgled twice, we have decided to install a new alarm system.
- 10 All trains leaving this station stop at Euston.

### **Grammar 30**

- 1 1 *who/that*
- 2 which/that
- 3 which
- 4 who/that
- 5 which
- 6 who/that
- 7 which
- 8 who/that
- 9 which
- 10 who/that
- 11 who/that
- 12 which
- 13 which
- 14 What

- 2 where participle clauses are not possible, the original clause is shown as the answer.

- 1 *showing*
- 2 choosing
- 3 using
- 4 travelling
- 5 carrying
- 6 giving
- 7 meaning
- 8 which tend
- 9 which may be used
- 10 causing
- 11 what we should do
- 12 unmentioned/not mentioned
- 13 living
- 14 needing
- 15 not included
- 16 who is elderly
- 17 what will reduce
- 18 making
- 19 providing
- 20 funding and implementing/able to fund and implement

- 3 1 a
- 2 r
- 3 d
- 4 k
- 5 n
- 6 e
- 7 l
- 8 h
- 9 g
- 10 c
- 11 p
- 12 j
- 13 b
- 14 i
- 15 q
- 16 m
- 17 o
- 18 f

### **Grammar 31**

- 1 1 *nothing*
- 2 each other
- 3 every
- 4 both
- 5 none

- 6 someone
- 7 each
- 8 nothing else
- 9 everything
- 10 both

**2 suggested answers**

- 1 *time Smith plays the team wins*
- 2 of the experiments succeeded
- 3 of these books are unsuitable
- 4 person on the project received a bonus
- 5 was discovered by the expedition
- 6 proposal/of these (two) proposals will be expensive
- 7 wrong in this line
- 8 to sit in this part of the library
- 9 interesting to tell you else to eat

- 3 1 *both*
- 2 something
- 3 both
- 4 Both
- 5 neither
- 6 anyone
- 7 one another/each other
- 8 ones
- 9 One
- 10 the other
- 11 Both
- 12 neither
- 13 No one
- 14 one
- 15 Others
- 16 both
- 17 Neither
- 18 anyone
- 19 Some
- 20 nothing
- 21 every
- 22 someone

**4 suggested answers**

- 1 *Is there anywhere we can get something to eat?*
- 2 Neither of us knows the answer.
- 3 There is nothing in the cupboard.
- 4 I'll take both of them/ them both.
- 5 Is there anything/ something wrong (with you)?
- 6 Everyone needs someone to love.
- 7 I can't find my wallet anywhere.
- 8 We can use either of them.
- 9 Someone else is sitting in my place.
- 10 These people have nowhere to live.

**ANSWERS GRAMMAR****Grammar 32**

- 1 1 across, over  
2 under, on  
3 in, at  
4 inside, on  
5 ashore, on  
6 On, around  
7 abroad, at  
8 Among, to  
9 behind, ahead  
10 up and down, out

- 2 1 f        5 h        9 j  
2 i        6 d        10 g  
3 c        7 b  
4 a        8 e

- 3 1 in  
2 on  
3 in  
4 in  
5 to  
6 far away  
7 in  
8 back  
9 to  
10 to  
11 at  
12 on  
13 opposite  
14 beside  
15 through  
16 beneath  
17 down  
18 on  
19 round  
20 to  
21 at  
22 to  
23 under  
24 in  
25 In  
26 among  
27 in  
28 within  
29 to  
30 in  
31 alongside

- 4 1 *On average, women live longer than men.*  
2 The new bridge is still under construction.  
3 Tina is in charge of the sales department.  
4 The two men are under suspicion.  
5 We are in control of the situation./We have the situation under control.  
6 The president is under pressure to change the law.

**5 suggested answers**

- 1 *The faculty library is located within a short distance.*  
2 We finished the project ahead of schedule.

- 3 Government spending is out of control.  
4 For full information, see below.  
5 I am half way through the book at the moment.  
6 Above all, Koch is remembered for his work on tuberculosis.  
7 Under the circumstances, you'd better leave, and come back next week.  
8 Peter is going away on business.

**Grammar 33**

- 1 1 under  
2 up  
3 for  
4 under  
5 under  
6 In/By  
7 below  
8 about/around  
9 in  
10 out  
11 at  
12 under  
13 in  
14 in  
15 in  
16 in  
17 under  
18 in  
19 On  
20 in  
21 in  
22 on  
23 under  
24 by

- 2 1 Anyone  
2 Among  
3 nowhere  
4 in  
5 None  
6 each/every  
7 in  
8 at  
9 for  
10 over  
11 in  
12 back  
13 in  
14 under  
15 In  
16 either  
17 nowhere  
18 above/over  
19 out  
20 into

- 3 1 a        7 n        13 b  
2 m        8 r        14 g  
3 q        9 e        15 l  
4 d        10 f        16 p  
5 j        11 k        17 c  
6 i        12 o        18 h

**Grammar 34**

- 1 1 claims  
2 implies  
3 found  
4 estimates  
5 predicts  
6 demonstrate  
7 explains  
8 confirmed  
9 suggest  
10 commented

**2 suggested answers**

- 1 predicts  
2 implies/suggests  
3 point out  
4 estimates  
5 claim/suggest  
6 confirms  
7 suggests/implies  
8 proves

- 3 1 *was once believed to circle round the Earth*  
2 is thought to have been caused by heavy traffic  
3 half a million people are known to be at risk  
4 is said to be growing worse all the time  
5 was reported to have offered financial assistance  
6 is considered to be the best available  
7 is said to have been found in the 18<sup>th</sup> century  
8 is believed to be experiencing communication problems  
9 is thought to have become extinct at the end of the 19<sup>th</sup> century  
10 is said to be suffering from lack of investment

**4 suggested answers**

- 1 *Professor Scott argues that the effects of global warming have been greatly exaggerated.*  
2 The Institute has confirmed that Professor Dawking has resigned.  
3 The scientists explained that the disease is not transmitted by human contact.  
4 The report claims that this kind of medication has little beneficial effect.  
5 The UN agency estimates that there are two million people affected by the drought.

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### Grammar 35

- 1** 1 *involve*  
 2 meant  
 3 expects  
 4 persuaded  
 5 encouraging  
 6 imagine  
 7 complaining  
 8 regret  
 9 forgot  
 10 let
- 2** 1 *misleading*  
 2 to claim  
 3 giving  
 4 to believe  
 5 not checking/not having checked  
 6 to deal with  
 7 getting on with  
 8 living  
 9 to cooperate  
 10 surviving  
 11 to respect  
 12 (to) develop
- 3** 1 *I suggest running/that we run/that we should run the experiment again.*  
 2 I hope you don't mind working late tonight.  
 3 The rain went on falling for twenty four hours.  
 4 James regretted not keeping/that he had not kept/not having kept another copy of the data.  
 5 Helen is learning to fly.  
 6 They invited him to send in an application.  
 7 The results need checking/need to be checked twice.
- 4** 1 *This appears to be the solution.*  
 2 The defendant was made to pay £500 costs.  
 3 I couldn't help noticing that the other rooms were empty.  
 4 We would prefer people not to use plastic bags.  
 5 They arranged to lend the company the money.  
 6 The company employed a team of researchers to discover what their customers wanted.

### Grammar 36

#### 1 suggested answers

- 1 want  
 2 waiting  
 3 prefer  
 4 decide  
 5 suggests

- 6 estimated  
 7 expected  
 8 needs  
 9 arrange  
 10 help  
 11 shows  
 12 involve  
 13 avoid  
 14 thought  
 15 risks  
 16 appears  
 17 considered  
 18 argue  
 19 encouraging  
 20 advised

- 2** 1 *walking*  
 2 having  
 3 worrying  
 4 to have  
 5 to pick up  
 6 to have  
 7 to make sure  
 8 doing/to do  
 9 surfing  
 10 getting  
 11 to go  
 12 being  
 13 to enjoy  
 14 being  
 15 having  
 16 to walk and balance  
 17 wondering  
 18 not having taken/not taking

### Grammar 37

- 1** 1 *despite*  
 2 furthermore  
 3 to some extent  
 4 instead  
 5 as well as  
 6 In spite of  
 7 nevertheless  
 8 apart from  
 9 in the same way  
 10 compared with
- 2** 1 *more*  
 2 Although/While  
 3 respects/ways  
 4 comparison/contrast  
 5 extent  
 6 hand  
 7 yet  
 8 Apart  
 9 contrary  
 10 instead
- 3** 1 *These chemicals can cause long-term damage to the environment as well as harming those who come into contact with them.*  
 2 The victimisation of this ethnic group is increasing and what is more, this is being

generally ignored by the media.

- 3** Fluids are a subset of the different kinds of matter and include liquids, gases, plasmas and, to some extent, plastic solids.
- 4** The historic centre of the centre is still there more or less as it was in the 17<sup>th</sup> century.
- 5** Road communications in the area are extremely good, but rail services, on the other hand, are not adequate.
- 6** Some Members of Parliament denounced the law as a flagrant violation of human rights, but the government nevertheless continued to enforce it/ but the government continued to enforce it nevertheless.
- 7** Jefferson always spoke out against slavery, in spite of the fact that he owned slaves himself.
- 8** The city suffers from terrible traffic congestion, but at least there is an efficient metro system.
- 9** In general this camera has a very satisfactory design, apart from one small detail.
- 10** Wages in the country this year are 5% higher compared to last year.

#### 4 suggested answers

- 1 *Although*  
 2 To some extent/In some respects  
 3 As well as  
 4 Despite/In spite of  
 5 On the contrary  
 6 Instead of  
 7 in spite of/despite  
 8 In some respects/To some extent  
 9 on the other hand  
 10 above all  
 11 at least  
 12 also

#### 5 suggested answers

- 1 *the interest on the account is not high, at least it is tax-free*
- 2 respects, the government itself was responsible for the crisis
- 3 providing the reader with a general outline, the book (also) includes

**ANSWERS GRAMMAR**

- some controversial material  
 4 the unusually low temperature, weather conditions were good  
 5 your CV, you must also send a covering letter

*manufacturing and heavy industry, have suffered most.*  
 2 A number of new measures will be introduced.  
 3 The site will provide pitches for football, rugby, hockey and so forth.  
 4 People were literally jumping up and down with joy.  
 5 The project finished on time, and in this respect it was satisfactory.  
 6 Generally, birds of this species do not migrate as such./Birds of this species generally do not migrate as such.

- 3 1 *Rarely has there been such appreciation and enthusiasm for a conference of this kind*  
 2 Seldom has such a complex topic been presented with such insight.  
 3 Only in certain circumstances does this regulation apply to non-residents.  
 4 Not until there has been time to collect and evaluate all the data will the research project make any contribution to the development programme.  
 5 Under no circumstances will personal details be made available to commercial organisations or unauthorised members of the public.

- 6 Never has the pace of technological advance been greater than it is at present.

**Grammar 38**

- 1 1 *in conclusion*  
 2 For example  
 3 and thus  
 4 merely  
 5 such as  
 6 simply  
 7 As far as Africa is concerned  
 8 Logically  
 9 that is to say  
 10 namely

**2 suggested answers**

- 1 *utter*  
 2 *sheer*  
 3 *number*  
 4 *all*  
 5 *Examples*  
 6 *such*  
 7 *simply*  
 8 *words*  
 9 *Secondly*  
 10 *put*  
 11 *Interestingly*  
 12 *Thus*  
 13 *for*  
 14 *so*  
 15 *say*  
 16 *as*

- 3 1 *Obviously, the implications must be considered not only in respect of the management but also the staff.*  
 2 *Unusually, the story is told only from the point of view of a ten-year-old child, who cannot fully understand what is happening.*  
 3 *Supposedly, the directors of the company knew nothing of the true financial situation.*  
 4 *Politically, the European Union cannot afford to allow the pressure on the Euro to divide the Union into two camps.*  
 5 *Financially, there is a huge disparity between the public sector and the private sector.*  
 6 *Generally, the results of these experiments match our predictions.*  
 4 1 *Some sectors of the economy, such as*

**5 suggested answers**

- 1 *such as*  
 2 *in a way*  
 3 *as far as the developing world is concerned*  
 4 *simply wrong*  
 5 *First of all*  
 6 *In other words/To put it another way*  
 7 *that is to say*  
 8 *Secondly*  
 9 *to put it another way/in other words*  
 10 *Environmentally*  
 11 *Finally*  
 12 *Thus*  
 13 *in this respect*  
 14 *in conclusion*

**Grammar 39**

- 1 1 *very*  
 2 *it*  
 3 *not at all*  
 4 *No sooner*  
 5 *the former*  
 6 *is very much*  
 7 *What*  
 8 *it*  
 9 *not in the least*  
 10 *that they realized*

**2 suggested answers**

- 1 *a*  
 2 *m*  
 3 *h*  
 4 *g*  
 5 *o*  
 6 *n*  
 7 *l*  
 8 *k*  
 9 *c*  
 10 *e*  
 11 *b*  
 12 *i*  
 13 *f*  
 14 *d*  
 15 *j*

- 4 1 *What*  
 2 *this*  
 3 *all*  
 4 *this/that*  
 5 *very*  
 6 *former*  
 7 *latter*  
 8 *What*  
 9 *It*  
 10 *this*  
 11 *least*  
 12 *whatsoever*  
 13 *do*  
 14 *what*  
 15 *It*  
 16 *were*

**Grammar 40****1 suggested answers**

- 1 *Increasingly*  
 2 *what*  
 3 *it*  
 4 *them*  
 5 *precise*  
 6 *those*  
 7 *to*  
 8 *However/Nevertheless/ Nonetheless*  
 9 *number/range*  
 10 *well*  
 11 *However*  
 12 *such*  
 13 *besides*  
 14 *What*  
 15 *it*  
 16 *particular*  
 17 *words*  
 18 *far*  
 19 *this*  
 20 *Compared*

**IELTS LANGUAGE PRACTICE****2 suggested answers**

1	a	5	i	9	g
2	f	6	b	10	c
3	d	7	j		
4	h	8	e		

**VOCABULARY ANSWERS****Vocabulary 1**

1	1	C	5	C	9	D
2	A	6	C	10	C	
3	D	7	C	11	A	
4	A	8	A	12	C	

2 1 *available*  
 2 double  
 3 twin  
 4 unit  
 5 ensuite  
 6 facilities  
 7 access  
 8 charge  
 9 reservation  
 10 contact  
 11 book  
 12 conference  
 13 suite  
 14 reception  
 15 participants  
 16 maximum  
 17 equipment  
 18 screen  
 19 arrangements  
 20 whiteboard  
 21 refreshments  
 22 trip  
 23 activities  
 24 canoe  
 25 guide  
 26 harbour  
 27 wildlife  
 28 cruise  
 29 sunscreen  
 30 playground  
 31 museum  
 32 exhibition  
 33 library

3 1 *tourist*  
 2 complaint  
 3 flight  
 4 cultural  
 5 insurance  
 6 requirements  
 7 affordable  
 8 Exploration  
 9 popularity  
 10 performance  
 11 economically  
 12 invasive

**Vocabulary 2**

1	1	B	6	A	11	C
2	A	7	B	12	D	
3	D	8	D	13	D	
4	B	9	C	14	A	
5	C	10	A	15	C	

2 1 *inhabited (NG)*  
 2 damage (T)  
 3 populations (F)  
 4 course (NG)  
 5 invasive (T)

3 1 *mammals*  
 2 amphibians  
 3 primates  
 4 invertebrates  
 5 Hybrids  
 6 marsupials  
 7 Organisms  
 8 Reptiles

4 1 *is indigenous to*  
 2 is submissive  
 3 is nocturnal  
 4 is invasive  
 5 is feral  
 6 is tame  
 7 is carnivorous  
 8 is dominant  
 9 is venomous  
 10 is asexual

5 1 *creatures*  
 2 scales  
 3 fossils  
 4 skeletons  
 5 giants  
 6 characteristics  
 7 migrations  
 8 packs  
 9 young  
 10 feathers

6 1 *dumping*  
 2 respiration  
 3 suffocation  
 4 disappearance  
 5 logging  
 6 deforestation  
 7 erosion  
 8 flooding  
 9 eradication  
 10 modification  
 11 cultivation  
 12 resistance

**Vocabulary 3**

1	1	D	7	A	13	B
2	B	8	B	14	A	
3	A	9	D	15	B	
4	B	10	C	16	D	
5	B	11	A			
6	C	12	C			

7 stress  
 8 statistics  
 9 factors  
 10 tsunamis  
 11 dams  
 12 bank

13 countryside  
 14 path  
 15 climate  
 16 typhoon  
 17 equator  
 18 speeds  
 19 hemisphere  
 20 eye  
 21 forecasts  
 22 warnings

3 1 *Timber*  
 2 Diamonds  
 3 Mud  
 4 Clay  
 5 Iron  
 6 Minerals  
 7 Crude oil  
 8 Calcium  
 9 Coal  
 10 Bamboo

4 1 *mineralogist*  
 2 cartographer  
 3 geologist  
 4 climatologist  
 5 volcanologist  
 6 glaciologist  
 7 oceanographer  
 8 seismologist  
 9 geographer

5 1 *tundra*  
 2 vent  
 3 plates  
 4 lightning  
 5 layers  
 6 latitude  
 7 bed  
 8 retreated

6 1 *classified*  
 2 recycled  
 3 makes  
 4 rises  
 5 pours  
 6 solidifies  
 7 trapped  
 8 crystallizes  
 9 weathered

10 ends up  
 11 transported  
 12 squeezed  
 13 melt  
 14 undergo  
 15 revert

**Vocabulary 4**

1	1	D	6	B	11	D
2	B	7	A	12	C	
3	A	8	C	13	A	
4	C	9	A	14	B	
5	D	10	B	15	C	

2 1 *abandoned*  
 2 collapsed  
 3 founded  
 4 invaded  
 5 spread

6 conquered  
7 expanded  
8 dispersed

3 1 historian  
2 archaeologist  
3 geneticist  
4 genealogist  
5 Egyptologist  
6 etymologist  
7 anthropologist  
8 palaeontologist  
9 geologist

4 1 ancestors  
2 prehistoric  
3 nomadic  
4 trail  
5 hieroglyphics  
6 middens  
7 carvings  
8 skeleton

5 1 golden age  
2 antiquity  
3 era  
4 decade  
5 millennia  
6 lunar calendar  
7 prehistory  
8 dynasty

6 1 cradle  
2 dawn  
3 heart  
4 flaw  
5 centre  
6 key  
7 mouth  
8 birthplace

7 1 e 4 a 7 b  
2 c 5 g  
3 f 6 d

### Vocabulary 5

1 1 D 5 C 9 A  
2 D 6 A 10 C  
3 A 7 B  
4 A 8 C

2 1 A intellectual  
B helpful  
C operational  
D instinctive  
Answer: D

2 A weaken  
B control  
C determine  
D understand  
Answer: C

3 A told  
B suggested  
C responded  
D disputed  
Answer: B

3 1 behavioural  
2 spatial

3 sensory  
4 memorize  
5 intuitively  
6 perceptual

4 1 prone to, susceptible to  
2 overcome, overwhelmed  
3 an addiction to, a craving  
for  
4 subconscious, involuntary  
5 instinctive, innate  
6 uncontrollable,  
compulsive  
7 logical, rational  
8 activate, stimulate  
9 trait, attribute  
10 mindset, mentality

5 1 willpower  
2 hallucinations  
3 obsession  
4 IQ (intelligence quota)  
5 disorder  
6 dementia  
7 well-being  
8 amnesia  
9 phobia  
10 hypochondria

6 1 consolidate  
2 convert  
3 relate  
4 stimulate  
5 provoke  
6 retrieve  
7 modify  
8 store  
9 resemble  
10 monitor

### Vocabulary 6

1 1 A 6 B 11 B  
2 C 7 A 12 A  
3 D 8 C 13 C  
4 A 9 B 14 B  
5 D 10 D

2 1 microchip  
2 feature  
3 switch  
4 console  
5 gadget  
6 device  
7 wire  
8 application  
9 glitch  
10 sensor

3 1 state of the art  
2 commercially viable  
3 durable  
4 heat-resistant  
5 waterproof  
6 faulty  
7 synthetic  
8 handy  
9 revolutionary  
10 complex  
11 mobile

4 1 artificial  
2 automated  
3 hydraulic  
4 misaligned  
5 overcome  
6 navigate  
7 terrain  
8 recognition  
9 perform  
10 designed  
11 logic  
12 held  
13 interaction

5 1 data  
2 fingerprints  
3 scanners  
4 installation  
5 image  
6 irises  
7 traits  
8 hackers  
9 databases

### Vocabulary 7

1 1 A 7 D 13 D  
2 C 8 A 14 C  
3 B 9 B 15 A  
4 B 10 A 16 C

2 1 j 5 e 9 h  
2 c 6 g 10 b  
3 d 7 a  
4 i 8 f

3 1 up (established)  
2 down (collapsed)  
3 on (became a trend)  
4 forward (anticipated)  
5 with (resolved), off  
(postponed)  
6 on (planned)  
7 up (prepared)  
8 for (received)  
9 for/after (chose)  
10 on (hired)  
11 down (rejected)

4 1 C 5 B 9 C  
2 B 6 B 10 C  
3 A 7 B  
4 A 8 A

5 1 redundancies  
2 security  
3 recruitment  
4 applicants  
5 management  
6 employee  
7 vacancy  
8 selection  
9 specialist  
10 productivity  
11 rejection

6 1 campaigns  
2 billboards

**IELTS LANGUAGE PRACTICE**

- 3 catch  
 4 admen  
 5 audience  
 6 target  
 7 segment  
 8 brands  
 9 loyal  
 10 endorsement  
 11 promote  
 12 placement  
 13 logos  
 14 means  
 15 pop-ups  
 16 profiles  
 17 tailor
- 7 1 *revenue*  
 2 income  
 3 Tax  
 4 economic  
 5 margins  
 6 Sales  
 7 wealth  
 8 earnings  
 9 budget

**Vocabulary 8**

- 1 1 D 6 C 11 A  
 2 A 7 A 12 D  
 3 C 8 D 13 C  
 4 B 9 B 14 A  
 5 B 10 C 15 A
- 2 1 *anxiety* (NG)  
 2 beneficial (T)  
 3 exposure (F)  
 4 successfully (T)  
 5 similarity (F)  
 6 response (NG)
- 3 1 facts and events, phenomena  
 2 behaviour, actions  
 3 speculation, conjecture  
 4 data, information  
 5 breakthrough, advance
- 4 1 *underlying*  
 2 ground-breaking  
 3 controversial  
 4 empirical  
 5 reliable  
 6 feasible  
 7 biased  
 8 concrete
- 5 1 A 6 D 11 A  
 2 B 7 B 12 B  
 3 D 8 D 13 C  
 4 C 9 A 14 C  
 5 B 10 B

**Vocabulary 9**

- 1 1 B 6 B 11 C  
 2 A 7 A 12 A  
 3 D 8 B 13 D  
 4 C 9 B 14 B  
 5 D 10 A

- 2 1 technological/technical (NG)  
 2 cultural (T)  
 3 likelihood (F)  
 4 knowledge (T)  
 5 growth (NG)

- 3 Literature: *a memoir*, a metaphor, a poem, a genre, non-fiction  
 Music: a melody, rhythm, an orchestra, an instrument, rehearsal, improvisation, a composition  
 Sculpture: a blow-torch, bronze, an installation, design  
 Drawing and painting: canvas, a pigment, a portrait, a composition, charcoal, a sketch  
 Architecture: design, function, a builder, durability  
 Drama: a stage, a cast, a rehearsal, improvisation

- 4 1 *descriptions*  
 2 influential  
 3 ironic  
 4 predictable  
 5 impressive  
 6 exhibition  
 7 geometric(al)  
 8 visual  
 9 underrated/overrated  
 10 performance  
 11 literary  
 12 realism

- 5 1 *biography*  
 2 editorials  
 3 reviews  
 4 fiction  
 5 version  
 6 translations  
 7 plot  
 8 metaphors

- 6 1 *iconic*  
 2 urban  
 3 carved  
 4 heritage  
 5 awards  
 6 responsibility  
 7 function  
 8 concept  
 9 space  
 10 site  
 11 met  
 12 merits  
 13 facade  
 14 extension  
 15 wing  
 16 flaws  
 17 pulled  
 18 drawn

**Vocabulary 10**

- 1 1 B 6 D 11 A  
 2 A 7 D 12 B  
 3 C 8 A 13 A  
 4 A 9 B 14 B  
 5 C 10 A 15 A

- 2 1 *charity, aid*  
 2 shanty towns, slums  
 3 cycle, circle  
 4 starvation, malnutrition  
 5 discrimination, prejudice  
 6 underachieve, underperform  
 7 underprivileged, disadvantaged  
 8 campaign, crusade  
 9 anti-social, harmful  
 10 vulnerable, susceptible

- 3 1 B 4 B 7 C  
 2 D 5 A 8 B  
 3 C 6 A 9 C

- 4 1 *freedom*  
 2 censorship  
 3 disseminating  
 4 current  
 5 biased  
 6 impartial  
 7 investigative  
 8 agencies  
 9 broadsheet  
 10 superficial  
 11 published  
 12 demand  
 13 circulation  
 14 exposés  
 15 mass

- 5 1 *conference*  
 2 informative  
 3 correspondent  
 4 journalism  
 5 intrusive  
 6 coverage  
 7 influential  
 8 cultural  
 9 documentary  
 10 factual

**Vocabulary 11**

- 1 1 B 6 D 11 B  
 2 B 7 A 12 A  
 3 D 8 D 13 C  
 4 A 9 C 10 B

- 2 1 *lungs*  
 2 arteries  
 3 cells  
 4 bones  
 5 Tendons  
 6 hormones  
 7 muscles  
 8 veins  
 9 joints

**ANSWERS VOCABULARY**

10	metabolism	12	denial	5	electives
11	retinas			6	programme
12	cochlear			7	certificate
				8	master's
3	1 <i>cardiovascular</i>	3	1 <i>common</i>	4	1 <i>bibliography</i>
2	digestive	2	2 convincing/good	2	2 first draft
3	nervous	3	3 heated/widespread	3	3 dissertation
4	reproductive	4	4 implausible	4	4 case study
5	respiratory	5	5 anecdotal, empirical	5	5 recommendations
6	musculoskeletal	6	6 incorrect	6	6 thesis statement
7	immune	7	7 unanimous	7	7 project
8	endocrine	8	8 good		
4	1 <i>inflammation</i>	9	9 prevailing	5	1 <i>meet, extend</i>
2	breathing			2	2 undertake, carry out
3	inhalers			3	3 attend, take part in
4	allergens			4	4 submit, hand in
5	temperature			5	5 amend, redo
6	headaches			6	6 sitting, taking
7	fatigue			7	7 grades, marks
8	specimen			8	8 sample, subjects
9	quinine			9	9 proof-read, go through
10	thirst			10	10 seminar, tutorial
11	damage				
12	vision				
13	exercise				
14	fat				
15	Insulin				
16	cough				
17	throat				
18	Pneumonia				
19	Vaccination				
20	high-risk				
21	antibiotics				
5	1 g      4 a      7 h	6	1 <i>against (D)</i>	6	1 <i>extension</i>
2	2 e      5 f      8 d	2	2 with (A)	2	2 submission
3	3 b      6 c	3	3 with (D)	3	3 allocation
		4	4 between (A)	4	4 requirements
		5	5 to (A)	5	5 analysis
		6	6 to (U)	6	6 plagiarism
		7	7 into (U)	7	7 findings
		8	8 out (U)	8	8 assessment
		9	9 in (A)		
		10	10 into (D)		
6	1 <i>spreading</i>	7	1 <i>criticism</i>	1	1 D      6 C      11 B
2	2 Chronic	2	2 expectations	2	2 C      7 C      12 A
3	3 wrists	3	3 inconceivable	3	3 B      8 B      13 C
4	4 epidemic	4	4 assumption	4	4 A      9 D      14 A
5	5 eradicated	5	5 sceptical	5	5 A      10 D
6	6 contagious	6	6 Hypothetically		
7	7 embryo	7	7 conviction	2	1 <i>go up</i> , climb, rise, grow
8	8 alternative	8	8 enthusiasm	2	2 drop, fall
9	9 effect	9	9 agreement	3	3 stay constant, hold steady
10	10 insomnia	10	10 influential	4	4 be unpredictable
11	11 diagnosis	11	11 preoccupation	5	5 shoot up, rocket, jump
		12	12 acknowledges	6	6 dive, plunge, slump
				7	7 reach a high point

**Vocabulary 12**

1	1 D	6 B	11 C
2	2 B	7 C	12 D
3	3 B	8 A	13 B
4	4 C	9 B	14 A
5	5 A	10 A	15 C
2	1 <i>Opponents</i>		
2	2 scant		
3	3 dismisses		
4	4 proof		
5	5 campaigner		
6	6 refutes		
7	7 doubt		
8	8 summaries		
9	9 defended		
10	10 rejected		
11	11 contradict		

**Vocabulary 13**

1	1 D	8 C	15 B
2	2 B	9 A	16 C
3	3 B	10 A	17 C
4	4 A	11 C	18 D
5	5 C	12 A	19 B
6	6 B	13 B	20 C
7	7 D	14 A	
2	1 d	5 l	9 c
2	2 i	6 a	10 b
3	3 h	7 f	11 e
4	4 g	8 j	12 k
3	1 <i>degree</i>		
2	2 major		
3	3 papers		
4	4 prospectus		

3 1 *sharply, suddenly*  
 2 approximately, roughly  
 3 steeply, significantly  
 4 steadily, progressively  
 5 relatively, comparatively  
 6 somewhat, rather

4 1 *was a dramatic rise in*  
 2 has been a levelling out in  
 3 a slight fall in  
 4 was considerable fluctuation in  
 5 reached a plateau

5 1 A      4 D      7 C  
 2 B      5 C  
 3 D      6 B

**Vocabulary 14**

1	1 D	6 C	11 B
2	2 C	7 C	12 A
3	3 B	8 B	13 C
4	4 A	9 D	14 A
5	5 A	10 D	

2 1 *go up*, climb, rise, grow  
 2 drop, fall  
 3 stay constant, hold steady  
 4 be unpredictable  
 5 shoot up, rocket, jump  
 6 dive, plunge, slump  
 7 reach a high point

## IELTS LANGUAGE PRACTICE

- 6** 1 *Whereas, Although, While*  
 2 Compared, In comparison  
 3 while, but, whilst  
 4 Regarding, Concerning, As for  
 5 All in all, Overall
- 7** 1 *beginning to reject*  
 2 critical  
 3 becoming more likely  
 4 not included in  
 5 suddenly become more  
 6 become popular  
 7 predictable  
 8 future  
 9 How can we explain this change?  
 10 rare

### Vocabulary 15

- 1** 1 *recommended*  
 2 heed  
 3 Ensure  
 4 limited  
 5 impacted on  
 6 basic  
 7 key  
 8 further  
 9 reproduce  
 10 employ  
 11 paraphrase  
 12 required  
 13 allocated  
 14 identical  
 15 broad  
 16 appropriate  
 17 intended

- 2** 1 A 5 A 9 A  
 2 A 6 A 10 D  
 3 D 7 D  
 4 D 8 A
- 3** 1 M 5 M 9 M  
 2 C 6 C 10 M  
 3 C 7 C 11 M  
 4 M 8 C

- 4** 1 *divisive, controversial*  
 2 complicated, multifaceted  
 3 assessing, weighing up  
 4 constantly, continuously  
 5 consider, bear in mind  
 6 certain, particular  
 7 improbable, unlikely  
 8 repercussions, outcomes
- 5** 1 *depending, information*  
 2 impact, immense  
 3 elderly, anxious  
 4 construction, countryside  
 5 contentment/pleasure, afford, pleasure/contentment  
 6 the case, company, operate

- 7 question, reply  
 8 selection, violent

### Vocabulary 16

- 1** 1 *Consequently*  
 2 however  
 3 in terms of  
 4 so that  
 5 As for/In terms of  
 6 such as  
 7 yet  
 8 Despite  
 9 In the case of  
 10 even though  
 11 provided
- 2** 1 even  
 2 In addition to  
 3 Not only, but  
 4 also/even

- 3** Ordering ideas: first of all, to begin with, secondly, finally  
 Introducing an idea: in terms of, as for, in the case of, concerning, regarding  
 Addition: also, not only/but, in addition to, moreover, furthermore, even  
 Contrast: but, however, yet, on the other hand  
 Concession: despite, even though, in spite of, while, having said that, nevertheless

- 4** 1 *Nevertheless/Having said this*  
 2 *Despite/In spite of*  
 3 *While/Even though*

- 5** 1 *First of all/To begin with*  
 2 in terms of/regarding/in the case of  
 3 in terms of/regarding/in the case of/as for  
 4 *Furthermore/Moreover*

- 6** Showing condition: provided, if, as long as  
 Showing result: consequently, subsequently, as a result, so, therefore, hence  
 Showing purpose: so that, in order to, so as to  
 Exemplification: for example, such as, like, for instance

- 7** 1 a *hence*  
 b *Therefore*  
 c *so*  
 Sentence (b)  
 2 a for example,  
 b such as  
 c For example,  
 Sentence (a)  
 3 a as long as  
 b In order to  
 c so that  
*so as to: sentence (b)*  
*if: sentence (a)*

- 8** 1 whereas  
 2 on the other hand  
 3 on the contrary  
 4 On the contrary  
 5 On the other hand  
 6 Whereas

- 9** 1 *why*  
 2 because of/due to  
 3 for this reason/because of this  
 4 since/as  
 5 owing to/on account of

### Vocabulary 17

- 1** 1 process  
 2 theory  
 3 policy  
 4 sector  
 5 income  
 6 research  
 7 definition  
 8 response  
 9 estimate  
 10 benefit  
 11 legislation  
 12 authority
- 2** 1 specific  
 2 similar  
 3 involved  
 4 major/significant  
 5 established  
 6 available  
 7 derived  
 8 economic  
 9 consistent  
 10 required  
 11 legal  
 12 significant

- 3** 1 evidence  
 2 method  
 3 assessment  
 4 contract  
 5 principle  
 6 assume  
 7 data  
 8 export  
 9 individual  
 10 source  
 11 create  
 12 labour

- 4** 1 procedures  
 2 environment  
 3 issues  
 4 factors  
 5 concepts  
 6 occur  
 7 per cent  
 8 variables  
 9 indicate  
 10 period  
 11 interpretation  
 12 structure

**ANSWERS VOCABULARY**

- 5 1 role  
2 context  
3 distribution  
4 financial  
5 approach  
6 section  
7 constitutional  
8 area  
9 function  
10 analysis  
11 identified  
12 formula

- 6 1 Resident  
2 chapter  
3 purchase  
4 text  
5 assistance  
6 evaluation  
7 distinction  
8 community  
9 conclusion  
10 survey  
11 construction  
12 computer

- 7 1 strategies  
2 consequences  
3 elements  
4 resources  
5 features  
6 categories  
7 regulations  
8 range  
9 injury  
10 items  
11 security  
12 commission

- 8 1 complex  
2 previous  
3 perceived  
4 relevant  
5 positive  
6 primary  
7 restricted  
8 traditional  
9 normal  
10 obtained  
11 cultural  
12 final

- 9 1 acquisition  
2 impact  
3 institute  
4 consumer  
5 participation  
6 site  
7 equation  
8 journal  
9 focus  
10 potential  
11 investment  
12 region

- 10 1 design  
2 administration  
3 achieve  
4 credit  
5 maintenance

- 6 transfer  
7 aspects  
8 conduct  
9 select  
10 seek  
11 affect  
12 appropriate

- Vocabulary 18**  
1 1 minority  
2 validity  
3 task  
4 technique  
5 proportion  
6 reaction  
7 criteria  
8 core  
9 contribution  
10 philosophy  
11 sex  
12 compensation

- 2 1 registered  
2 implied  
3 illustrated  
4 published  
5 ensured  
6 excluded  
7 consented  
8 demonstrated  
9 removed  
10 specified  
11 shifted  
12 commented

- 3 1 justification  
2 outcome  
3 convention  
4 framework  
5 constraints  
6 deduction  
7 Funds  
8 reliance  
9 partnership  
10 location  
11 link  
12 coordination

- 4 1 sequence  
2 scheme  
3 instance  
4 interaction  
5 technology  
6 immigration  
7 component  
8 emphasis  
9 circumstances  
10 layer  
11 volume  
12 document

- 5 1 alternative  
2 negative  
3 dominant  
4 constant  
5 physical  
6 technical  
7 initial  
8 corresponding

- 9 maximum  
10 considerable  
11 sufficient  
12 corporate

- 6 1 principal  
2 internal  
3 approximate  
4 ethnic  
5 annual  
6 apparent/obvious  
7 adequate  
8 subsequent  
9 Domestic  
10 Prior  
11 civil  
12 obvious

- 7 1 emerged  
2 attributed  
3 retained  
4 imposed  
5 labelled  
6 predicted  
7 undertook  
8 promoted  
9 accessed  
10 granted  
11 contrasted  
12 implemented

- 8 1 regime  
2 integration  
3 mechanism  
4 parallel  
5 hypothesis  
6 conference  
7 investigation  
8 stress  
9 option  
10 commitment  
11 summary  
12 goal

- 9 1 project  
2 occupation  
3 sum  
4 job  
5 parameters  
6 concentration  
7 series  
8 professional  
9 code  
10 output  
11 phase  
12 status

- 10 1 overall  
2 Attitudes  
3 statistics  
4 cycle  
5 communication  
6 error  
7 hence  
8 implications  
9 debate  
10 despite  
11 dimension  
12 resolution

## WORDS AND PHRASES ANSWERS

### Words and phrases 1

- 1 1 *extended*  
 2 nuclear  
 3 divorce  
 4 remarried  
 5 blended  
 6 stepsister  
 7 only child  
 8 arranged marriage  
 9 ceremony  
 10 groom  
 11 first-born  
 12 siblings  
 13 kinship  
 14 upbringing  
 15 adoption  
 16 child rearing  
 17 single parent  
 18 institution  
 19 in-laws  
 20 relatives  
 21 emotional fulfilment
- 2 1 *debating, arguing*  
 2 contacted, approached  
 3 recommend, propose  
 4 interviewed, surveyed  
 5 teaming up, collaborating  
 6 coordinating, organizing  
 7 interact with, relate to  
 8 liaise, cooperate  
 9 mediate, arbitrate  
 10 contested, questioned
- 3 1 *fire*  
 2 decision  
 3 conclusion  
 4 surprise  
 5 contact  
 6 long way  
 7 across  
 8 down  
 9 criticism  
 10 together  
 11 against  
 12 down  
 13 up
- 4 1 *anti*  
 2 post  
 3 Pro  
 4 pre  
 5 pro  
 6 anti  
 7 pre  
 8 post  
 9 pro  
 10 Pre  
 11 pre
- 5 1 *case*  
 2 retrospect  
 3 addition

- 4 response  
 5 comparison  
 6 view  
 7 order  
 8 accordance  
 9 contrast  
 10 practice  
 11 advance  
 12 conclusion

### Words and phrases 2

- 1 1 *(multi)cultural*  
 2 modernized  
 3 industrial  
 4 Suburban  
 5 extensive  
 6 financial  
 7 impressive  
 8 central  
 9 overpopulated
- 2 1 *stage*  
 2 layer  
 3 fragment  
 4 period  
 5 feature  
 6 phase  
 7 component  
 8 fraction  
 9 branch  
 10 quota  
 11 constituent
- 3 1 *uniqueness*  
 2 punishment  
 3 importance  
 4 reliance  
 5 Loneliness  
 6 awareness  
 7 improvements  
 8 happiness  
 9 intelligence  
 10 disappearance
- 4 1 *control*  
 2 nourished  
 3 eighteen  
 4 developed  
 5 law  
 6 review  
 7 privileged  
 8 estimate  
 9 staffed  
 10 lying
- 5 1 *rise*  
 2 encouragement  
 3 try  
 4 away  
 5 off  
 6 in  
 7 birth  
 8 grounds  
 9 credit  
 10 way
- 6 1 *cover, ranges*  
 2 spread, stretches  
 3 converge, united  
 4 widened, diversified  
 5 rise, raise  
 6 multiplied, enlarge

### Words and phrases 3

- 1 1 *variety, sub-species*  
 2 subdivisions, sectors  
 3 classification, category  
 4 rank, status  
 5 breed  
 6 tribe, clan  
 7 personnel, workforce  
 8 class  
 9 strain, variant  
 10 colony, settlement  
 11 community

- 2 1 *measures*  
 2 course  
 3 hours  
 4 power  
 5 risk  
 6 responsibility  
 7 place  
 8 lead  
 9 account  
 10 dive  
 11 give

- 3 1 *provisional*  
 2 Current  
 3 simultaneous  
 4 previous  
 5 contemporary  
 6 historical  
 7 futuristic  
 8 temporary  
 9 prolonged  
 10 chronological

- 4 1 g 5 c 9 k  
 2 f 6 h 10 d  
 3 i 7 b  
 4 a 8 e

- 5 *coeducation* semi-circular,  
 monopoly,  
 biannual  
 1 *bi*  
 2 mono  
 3 semi  
 4 co  
 5 semi  
 6 mono  
 7 co  
 8 bi

- 6 1 *cover, ranges*  
 2 spread, stretches  
 3 converge, united  
 4 widened, diversified  
 5 rise, raise  
 6 multiplied, enlarge

### Words and phrases 4

- 1 1 *ritual*  
 2 ceremony  
 3 festivals  
 4 anniversary  
 5 fasting  
 6 commemorate  
 7 pilgrimage

**ANSWERS WORDS AND PHRASES**

8 symbolizes  
9 custom  
10 occasion

2 1 *behalf*  
2 agenda  
3 point/verge  
4 contrary  
5 hand  
6 average  
7 basis  
8 reflection  
9 verge/point  
10 loan

3 *triangle*, multinational,  
centimetre, pantheism  
1 *pan*  
2 centi  
3 tri  
4 multi  
5 multi  
6 centi  
7 tri  
8 pan

4 1 *at risk*  
2 in control of  
3 under pressure  
4 at a disadvantage  
5 an end to  
6 another way  
7 across/forward  
8 down to  
9 forward  
10 off  
11 through

**Words and phrases 5**

1 1 *pride*  
2 (un)emotional  
3 anger  
4 envious  
5 anxiety  
6 assertiveness  
7 intelligence  
8 pessimism  
9 conformist  
10 impulsive

2 1 h 4 b 7 e  
2 c 5 f 8 d  
3 a 6 g

3 1 *inaccuracy*  
2 inaccessible  
3 insignificant  
4 innumerate  
5 indefensible/  
inconceivable  
6 inconvenient  
7 inappropriate  
8 inadvisable/  
inappropriate  
9 inconceivable/  
indefensible

4 1 *time*  
2 living

3 difference  
4 perfect  
5 progress  
6 decision  
7 suggestion  
8 use  
9 mistakes  
10 gestures  
11 adjustment

3 needs  
4 deadline  
5 opposition  
6 standards  
7 demand  
8 halfway

6 1 *relatively*  
2 controversial  
3 unimaginable  
4 excessively  
5 investigative  
6 commercially  
7 debatable  
8 managerial

**Words and phrases 6**

1 1 *cyclists*  
2 commuters  
3 pedestrians  
4 Urban planners  
5 Passengers  
6 An electric vehicle  
7 A hybrid  
8 A catalytic converter  
9 Electronic fuel injection  
10 e  
11 g  
12 c  
13 f  
14 a  
15 h  
16 b  
17 d  
18 *emissions laws*  
19 product recall  
20 speed limit  
21 Traffic congestion  
22 fuel efficiency  
23 driver alertness

2 1 *both*  
2 both  
3 at random  
4 both  
5 posterity  
6 outweigh  
7 former  
8 both  
9 both  
10 precursors  
11 both

3 1 *effect, affected*  
2 borrowed, lend  
3 require, requested  
4 reduce, declining  
5 avoided, prevented  
6 live, staying  
7 find, find out  
8 bring up, educated

4 1 *unpredictable*  
2 unknowingly  
3 unattainable  
4 unjustifiable  
5 unemployed  
6 unrealistic  
7 unqualified  
8 unaffected  
9 undeniable  
10 uncertainty

5 1 *criteria*  
2 obstacles

**Words and phrases 7**

1 1 *tax*  
2 packaging  
3 recycling  
4 disposable  
5 biodegradable  
6 leftover  
7 accumulate  
8 landfill  
9 toxic

2 1 *pharmaceutical*  
2 energy  
3 dairy  
4 aviation  
5 textile  
6 consumer electronics  
7 construction  
8 food processing  
9 retail

3 1 *classified*  
2 stabilized  
3 solidifies  
4 visualize  
5 clarify  
6 intensifying  
7 liquefied/liquidized  
8 symbolized  
9 authorize  
10 identify

4 1 *carry*  
2 carries  
3 holding  
4 holding  
5 carries  
6 carry  
7 hold  
8 carried  
9 hold

5 1 *Theoretically*  
2 knowledge  
3 statistical  
4 inexplicable  
5 inconclusive  
6 feasibility  
7 genetically  
8 culturally  
9 tendency  
10 atmospheric

## IELTS LANGUAGE PRACTICE

### **Words and phrases 8**

- |   |  |  |   |  |
|---|--|--|---|--|
| 1 | 1 minor<br>2 manslaughter<br>3 record<br>4 assault<br>5 lenient<br>6 hardened<br>7 capital<br>8 commit   | 5 verbal<br>6 characters<br>7 mimic<br>8 indigenous<br>9 tongue<br>10 oral<br>11 dialect<br>12 rumours<br>13 anecdotal | 5 predominantly/widely<br>6 radically<br>7 certainly/reasonably<br>8 widely<br>9 increasingly<br>10 inextricably<br>11 fully<br>12 marginally   |  |
| 2 | 1 correct<br>2 support<br>3 wrong<br>4 true<br>5 continued to say he was right<br>6 make the theory weaker<br>7 opposed<br>8 argued  | 1 S      4 A      7 S<br>2 A      5 A      8 A<br>3 S      6 S      9 S  | 3   | 1 <i>was instrumental in</i><br>2 was symptomatic of<br>3 was indigenous to<br>4 was consistent with<br>5 was endemic to<br>6 was the epitome of<br>7 was a correlation between<br>8 was irrelevant to |
| 3 | 1 document<br>2 extract<br>3 labour<br>4 aid<br>5 guarantee<br>6 conflict<br>7 input<br>8 project<br>9 subject   | 4  | 1 <i>Craftsmanship</i><br>2 adulthood<br>3 neighbourhood<br>4 scholarship<br>5 internship<br>6 likelihood<br>7 championship<br>8 livelihood<br>9 childhood  |  |
| 4 | 1 strengthened<br>2 loosen<br>3 widened<br>4 moisten<br>5 broaden<br>6 tightening<br>7 softened<br>8 straighten<br>9 shorten<br>10 harden  | 5  | 1 <i>council</i><br>2 anarchist<br>3 supervisor<br>4 democracy<br>5 minister<br>6 watchdog<br>7 regime<br>8 patriarchy<br>9 bureaucracy<br>10 principal<br>11 executive   |  |
| 5 | 1 <i>cost of living</i><br>2 standard of living<br>3 work-life balance<br>4 in living memory<br>5 way of life<br>6 in later life<br>7 make a living<br>8 claims many lives<br>9 living language<br>10 working life | 6  | 1 f      5 c      9 b<br>2 h      6 d      10 e<br>3 j      7 i      11 a<br>4 k      8 l      12 g   |  |
| 6 | 1 levels<br>2 both<br>3 both<br>4 Admittedly<br>5 apparently<br>6 main<br>7 Generally<br>8 respects<br>9 means<br>10 both  | 7  | 1 stability<br>2 acquisition<br>3 exploitation<br>4 migration<br>5 individuality<br>6 justification<br>7 expansion<br>8 regularity<br>9 participation<br>10 assumptions<br>11 durability<br>12 comprehension<br>13 validity |  |

### **Words and phrases 9**

- |   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 1 cognitive<br>2 translator<br>3 gesture<br>4 acquire | 4 | 1 <i>merely/basically</i><br>2 barely<br>3 principally<br>4 reasonably/increasingly |
|---|---|---|---|