

ANSWER KEY

UNIT 1

1.1

1A b

B

1 b 2 c 3 a 4 b

C

1 F: Whether that's true is open to debate ...

2 T: a professor of journalism

3 F: This evening's event ... is free.

4 T: Many of those attending are unwilling to talk about their worries to anyone but the therapists.

5 F: Jones's advice hardly seems original, but Novac says he is satisfied.

6 T: That's actually why many therapists take part in the event, Jones tells us. 'This is a great source of new clients.'

7 F: Some of those seeking advice aren't entirely happy with the format. 'People near me can hear what I'm telling the therapist,' remarks Donna Bersch.

8 F: But with the loud buzz in the room that sometimes reaches the level of shouting ... they're lucky to be able to hear the person sitting opposite them!

D

1 format 2 brainchild

3 stumbled across 4 quandaries

5 phobias 6 succinct 7 position

8 eavesdrop

2

1 Why have you come to see me today?

2 What are these headaches like?

3 What causes the/these headaches, do you think?

4 What are you thinking about at the moment?

5 Does that clock remind you of anything?

6 Why's/Why is that?

7 OK. How would you like to pay – in cash or by credit card?

3A

1 wonder if you could introduce

2 asking how much your camera

3 telling me what you

4 whether it's/it is really

5 the Eurostar train leaves

6 think he'll/he will do

4A

1 I don't know why you say he's down-to-earth,

2 I was never particular about what I eat,

3 Fabio tends to keep to himself and goes to bed very late,

4 My colleague Bill is a real people person,

5 He's a good laugh, but with money

a) he tends to be tight-fisted and never pays.

b) as he does his best work in the early hours, when no one's around.

c) so it's odd that he doesn't really pull his weight when we work together.

d) I think he's a real computer geek, and he's not very practical.

e) but that's changed since I've started getting into cooking.

B

1 d 2 e 3 b 4 c 5 a

5A

1 wo 2 v/gr 3 sp 4 gr 5 p 6 st 7 ww

B

1 when you are arriving

2 I'm attaching

3 address

4 quick

5 expensive. From there ...

6 need/want

7 give me a call

1.2

1A

1 embarrassing 2 exhausted

3 satisfied 4 thrilled 5 awkward

6 relieved 7 anxious 8 fascinating

9 frustrating 10 impressed

B

1 satisfied 2 exhausted 3 fascinating

4 embarrassing 5 frustrating

6 awkward 7 relieved 8 anxious

9 impressed 10 thrilled

C

1, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9

2A

1 C 2 A 3 B

B

1 c 2 a 3 c 4 b 5 b

C

P: 3 (becoming a rock star; dining with a movie star; looking like a celebrity/Tom Cruise)

T: 3 (flying across the Atlantic on a supersonic aeroplane; piloting a submarine; flying in space/ becoming an astronaut)

H: 2 (the Normandy beach landings from the Second World War; spending a night inside a pyramid)

3

1 've/have always wanted, have never managed

2 had, wanted

3 worked

4 did the concert cost, has (the cost) gone

5 have (you) made

6 've/have just finished

7 requested

8 's/has become

4

1 Has, seen, left, went

2 Have, spoken, haven't asked

3 did, get back, 've/have already forgotten, were, happened

4 has had, stayed, had, has been

5A

1 satisfaction 2 Generosity

3 anxiety 4 embarrassment, embarrassment 5 disappointment

6 nervousness 7 similarity

8 awkwardness 9 frustration

B

M: 1 S: 9 A: 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8

1.3

1

1 enrolment 2 Sign 3 in

4 refundable 5 matinee 6 served

7 for 8 limited

2

1 I'm calling to enquire about

2 I was wondering if that is/ if that's

3 Would there be any chance of getting

4 I'd appreciate it if you could

5 Would you mind telling me

6 Do you mind me asking what your name is

7 I'd like to speak to

3

1a) P b) I 2a) I b) P 3a) I b) P

4a) P b) I 5a) I b) P 6a) P b) I

7a) P b) I

4A

- 1 I'd really appreciate your help.
- 2 Sorry to be difficult it's just that ...
- 3 Bear with me a minute.
- 4 I've got one more question, if I'm not keeping you.
- 5 Sorry to keep you.
- 6 Can you hold on a minute? I'll just see ...

B

1 = 3 2 = 6 3 = 5 4 = 4

UNIT 2

2.1

1A

1 b a, 2 a b, 3 b a, 4 b a, 5 b a, 6 b a

2

- 1 've/have been travelling
- 2 've/have visited
- 3 've/have often wanted
- 4 've/have never known
- 5 've/have been exploring
- 6 've/have found
- 7 's/has been presenting
- 8 have told
- 9 has been

10 has recently appeared

3A

- 1 pollution 2 famine
- 3 homelessness 4 obesity
- 5 drug abuse 6 drunkenness
- 7 divorce 8 drought 9 debt
- 10 domestic violence 11 poverty
- 12 lack of drinking water

C

- 1/2 drought/debt 3 famine
- 4 divorce 5/6/7 homelessness/ drunkenness/poverty 8 pollution
- 9 obesity 10 drug abuse
- 11 domestic violence
- 12 lack of drinking water

4A

- 1 To make the world a better place, by giving people ideas on small actions they can do as individuals.

2 E: 1, 4, 6, 7; PS: 2, 3, 5, 8

B

1=5 2=7 3=2 4=3,8

C

- 1a) hates it when people forget her name; particularly at school – teachers don't give you as much attention if they don't know your name
- b) makes people uncomfortable because they can't remember her name
- 2a) pollution – it takes 1,000 years for a plastic bag to decay; animals and fish get caught in them
- b) people keep trying to give her one; forgets to bring one with her
- 3a) people look bored or miserable; especially on public transport
- b) a colleague thought he was flirting
- 4a) has always been bad at it, and wants to use jokes to build relationships
- b) has problem with timing in jokes; embarrassing moment when he told boss a joke – he didn't think it was funny

5A and B

- 1 records 2 increased 3 exports
- 4 permit 5 decrease 6 appeal
- 7 sponsors 8 present 9 produced
- 10 project 11 imports 12 suspect

2.2

1B

break into a property, pretend they are someone else, win the trust of a stranger

C

a) 4 b) 3 c) 2 d) 6 e) 5

D

- 1 is no substitute for
- 2 a crash course 3 would-be
- 4 plausible 5 go grey
- 6 go undercover 7 blend in
- 8 confide in

2

- 1 speed 2 accountable 3 deterrent
- 4 invasion 5 law-abiding
- 6 recognition 7 log 8 monitors
- 9 microchip 10 keep track

3A

- 1 be painted 2 was invented, were thrown 3 has been invaded
- 4 is gradually being damaged/ is being gradually damaged/ has gradually been damaged/ has been gradually damaged

5 being kissed 6 to be killed

7 be found

8 had already been explored

B

2,7

4

- 1 are being taught 2 are sent
- 3 be used 4 decide
- 5 will be used 6 will allow
- 7 be altered 8 will also send
- 9 was tested 10 be introduced

5A

- 1 I am writing with regard to
- 2 I have already pursued this matter
- 3 In order to resolve this matter
- 4 Please contact me within ten days
- 5 to confirm that this step has been taken
- 6 Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter
- 7 Yours faithfully
- 8 Enc: hotel receipt

2.3

1A

- 1 I'm ~~not~~ in favour of that
- 2 The way ~~what~~ I see it
- 3 you've got a ~~the~~ point there
- 4 It seems ~~that~~ to me
- 5 I'm agree to some extent
- 6 I ~~can~~ suppose so
- 7 ~~is~~ fair enough but
- 8 I see your point ~~is~~, but
- 9 I'm still not ~~being~~ convinced
- 10 I ~~don't~~ disagree

2

- 1 According to the latest research, profiles on social networking sites are accurate descriptions of people's personalities.
- 2 Toys like dolls, electric train sets and Lego are still enjoyed by kids.
- 3 In many countries, for instance Japan, fish is an important part of the diet.
- 4 Apparently, people are attracted to partners who look like them.
- 5 It's been shown that coffee increases short-term memory.
- 6 'Soft' subjects such as Media Studies, Sports Studies and Dance are no longer being offered in some colleges.
- 7 Take the case of twins separated at birth who lived identical lives.

- 8 It's a well-known fact that children under five who watch too much television lack basic communication skills.

3A

- 1 illegal 2 sensible 3 unethical
4 justifiable 5 inevitable 6 disturbing
7 outrageous 8 inoffensive

B

- 1 sensible 2/3/4 illegal, disturbing, outrageous 5 inoffensive
6 unethical 7 inevitable 8 justifiable

REVIEW AND CHECK 1

1

- 1 has wanted 2 moved 3 passed
4 've/have been trying
5 've/have finally done 6 've/have told
7 's/has become 8 's/has been
9 've/have been hoping 10 added
11 has spent 12 's/has passed

2

- 1 b, a 2 a, b 3 b, a 4 b, a 5 a, b
6 b, a

3

- 1a) pulls her weight b) is particular
2a) embarrassed b) awkward
3a) relieved b) satisfied
4a) two-for-one b) non-refundable
5a) keep track of b) monitor
6a) deterrent b) invasion
7a) illegal b) unethical
8a) outrageous b) disturbing
9a) sensible b) justifiable

4A

- 1 drought 2 famine 3 obesity
4 microchip 5 drug abuse

5

- 1 were asked 2 completed
3 scored 4 is/was thought
5 are filmed 6 are asked
7 have caused 8 be predicted
9 will face/are going to face
10 has been/was/is designed
11 were found 12 has been given

6



B

- 1 pollution 2 poverty 3 drought
4 homelessness 5 drunkenness
6 domestic violence 7 divorce 8 debt
9 drug abuse 10 obesity 11 famine

7

- 1 I take your point but
2 I'm in favour of that
3 I don't agree with you
4 I agree to some extent but
5 I'm still not convinced
6 You've got a point there but
7 I know what you mean but
8 I'm not so sure

8

- 1 anxiety 2 nervousness/nerves
3 frustration 4 disappointed
5 embarrassing 6 awkwardness
7 exhausting 8 satisfying 9 similar
10 generosity

9

- 1 Can you tell me what you were like ten years ago?
2 I'd be interested to know how you think you've changed.
3 Would you mind telling me what you have done that you are most proud of?
4 I wonder if/whether it's possible for a person to stay the same all his life.
5 Could you tell me who has influenced you the most?
6 I was wondering if/whether you would like to direct a movie yourself.

10A

- 1 help 2 was wondering, wonder
3 booking 4 Would you mind
5 Can you, Could you 6 appreciate it, be grateful

B

- a) 5 b) 3 c) 6 d) 4 e) 1 f) 2

11A

- 1 appealing 2 sponsors 3 project
4 research 5 decrease 6 desert
7 recorded 8 permit 9 imports
10 increased

C

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4 research 5 decrease 6 desert
7 recorded 8 permit 9 imports
10 increased

TEST

- 1 b 2 a 3 c 4 a 5 a 6 b 7 a
8 c 9 a 10 b 11 b 12 c 13 c
14 a 15 c 16 b 17 b 18 b 19 a
20 c 21 a 22 b 23 b 24 a 25 a
26 c 27 c 28 a 29 c 30 b

UNIT 3

3.1

1A

- forgetting to eat, very bad headaches, sleep problems, dry or aching eyes

B

- forgetting to eat 3
ignoring friends and family 1, 4
anxiety 1
lying about time spent doing it 3
very bad headaches 4
always thinking about doing it 2
sleep problems 2
problems with school or work 3, 5
dry or aching eyes 1
not taking proper breaks 4, 5

C

- 1 I actually found it quite strange talking to them face to face because I'm much more used to interacting with people online.
2 It's the quizzes and other applications that get me, like there's always a new questionnaire or test for something.
3 I would often skip lunch so that I could carry on chatting.
4 To be fair, she probably asked me in person first but I suppose I'd got so absorbed in the site that I didn't hear her.
5 When a chat message came in, I couldn't resist, I'd stop what I was doing and join the conversation.

2A

- 1 get on with 2 criticise 3 put off
4 pay attention to 5 stubborn
6 compliment 7 take care 8 give in
9 ignore 10 neglect

B

- 1 took care 2 neglected 3 ignored
4 paid attention to 5 put it off
6 got on with 7 complimented
8 criticised 9 stubborn 10 gave in

3

- 1 not, 'm used to being
2 used to, used to
3 get used to, used to
4 take, stay
5 get used to, aren't used to
6 used to, 've got used to
7 would, used to
8 wearing, use
4
1 I used to love it.
2 I didn't use to discuss it.

- 3 We'd always eat together.
- 4 We'd always argue.
- 5 He's not used to it yet.
- 6 I'm getting used to it.
- 7 She can't get used to it.
- 8 I've got used to it.
- 5
- 1 get used to
- 2 used to live
- 3 would put/used to put/was used to putting
- 4 used to think
- 5 have got used to/am used to
- 6 are used to having/used to have
- 7 get used to sleeping
- 8 would get up/used to get up
- 9 get used to waking up
- 10 am used to living/used to live
- 11 would wash up/used to wash up
- 12 get used to

6A
Negative side: 2, 3
Positive side: 4

- B
- a) To start with,
 - b) For instance./For example,
 - c) In addition to this./Furthermore,
 - d) For instance./For example,
 - e) as another example,
 - f) At the same time,
 - g) For instance./For example,
 - h) To sum up,

3.2

1A

- a) 3 b) 2 c) 1 d) 5 e) 4

B

- 1 F: even sceptics have had to regard space tourism as an area with real commercial potential
- 2 T: which included a week-long stay on the International Space Station
- 3 F: suborbital flights; space tourists experience a few minutes of weightlessness and a view of the stars before heading back to earth and gliding in for a landing
- 4 NG: this isn't mentioned as the writer's opinion anywhere
- 5 T: to develop space hotels that can offer more luxurious surroundings than the International Space Station, which was designed for research purposes, not for tourists

- 6 NG: we know the Space Island Group's hotel rotates, but we don't know about The Galactic Suite space hotel
- 7 T: Space enthusiasts are optimistic ... and expect prices to keep coming down as competition gets more vicious
- 8 F: there's always the prospect, however unlikely, of getting a job in one of the space hotels

C

- 1 the stuff of 2 sceptics
- 3 got on the case 4 sub-orbital
- 5 come up with 6 targeting
- 7 the going price 8 vicious

2

- 1 might/may take
- 2 will she do/is she going to do
- 3 's thinking of travelling
- 4 correct
- 5 'll postpone
- 6 'll phone and ask
- 7 leave
- 8 correct
- 9 are we going to eat/are we eating/ will we eat

10 arrive

3

- 1 It's likely to be hot tomorrow.
- 2 Chris is hoping to find a new job.
- 3 I want to see Ingrid before I leave.
- 4 They're planning to meet at 3 o'clock tomorrow.
- 5 Barcelona will definitely win the championship.
- 6 Call me as soon as you finish.
- 7 She may well get her work permit tomorrow.
- 8 I probably won't see you tomorrow.

4A

- 1 Peninsula 2 remote 3 unspoilt
- 4 as the crow flies
- 5 densely populated
- 6 half-way between 7 edge
- 8 slopes 9 summit
- 10 off the (south-west) coast
- 11 close proximity

B

- 1 The peninsula is in close proximity to the Atlantic.
- 2 The Blasket Islands (off the south-west coast).
- 3 The Dingle Peninsula
- 4 Castlegregory, located on the north coast, half-way between Tralee and Dingle

5



3.3

1A

- 1 way 2 object 3 the first thing
- 4 basically 5 the point 6 what usually happens 7 key thing 8 after
- 2



3

- 1 roll 2 stir 3 unplugged
- 4 deal (them) out 5 pressed 6 jam
- 7 lean 8 sieved 9 Double-click
- 10 sprinkle

4A and C

- 1 Look up the idiom where?
- 2 I should see who?
- 3 You last spoke to her when?
- 4 I can use a question word to do what?
- 5 Who's waiting backstage?
- 6 The rain's doing what?
- 7 I'll find you where?
- 8 The what's too high?

UNIT 4

4.1

1A

- 1 was fishing, saw
- 2 was teaching, became
- 3 'd known, read
- 4 noticed, had left
- 5 had been searching, was beginning
- 6 had been looking, heard
- 7 were, 'd been walking
- 8 'd driven, had taken

B

- 1 F 2 B 3 D 4 D 5 F 6 B
7 F 8 D

2

- 1 had been snowing
- 2 had the victim been coming
- 3 'd/had broken
- 4 had you made
- 5 'd/had been singing
- 6 Had she ever done
- 7 hadn't been planning
- 8 had been making

3A

- 1 had been feeling/had felt
- 2 seemed/had seemed
- 3 was explaining 4 realised
- 5 had climbed 6 was sitting
- 7 had also failed/also failed
- 8 had begun/was beginning
- 9 overheard 10 rushed 11 changed
- 12 had used/had been using
- 13 told 14 brought

B

- 1 ^a had been ⁱ feeling
- 2 seemed
- 3 ^a was ⁱ explaining
- 4 realised
- 5 ^a had ⁱ climbed
- 6 ^a was ⁱ sitting
- 7 ^a had ⁱ also failed
- 8 ^a was ⁱ beginning
- 9 overheard

10 rushed

11 changed

12 ^a had ⁱ been using

13 told

14 brought

4A

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

B

- 1 Computer games often use a plot of 'the quest'.
- 2 *Superman* is a 'rags to riches' plot.
- 3 *Romeo and Juliet* is an example of a 'tragedy'.
- 4 Detective stories are a type of 'overcoming the monster' story.
- 5 Humour is an element usually found in 'comedy'.
- 6 *Lost* is a TV series which is a 'voyage and return' story – the characters become lost when their plane crashes on a desert island.
- 7 Losing money can happen in the first part of a 'rebirth' story.

5

- 1 where there's life there's hope
- 2 let's cross that bridge when we come to it
- 3 'nothing ventured, nothing gained'
- 4 every cloud has a silver lining
- 5 what goes around comes around
- 6 when in Rome, do as the Romans do
- 7 Once bitten, twice shy
- 8 where there's smoke, there's fire

6A

2

B

- 1 stupidly 2 naturally 3 immediately
- 4 loudly 5 eventually/finally
- 6 fortunately 7 eventually/finally
- 8 completely

C

Sample answer

There was a thirsty crow who found a water pot and naturally wanted to drink from it, but the water was at the bottom of the pot and the crow couldn't reach it. At first, he just stared at the pot dejectedly, trying to think of what to do. Finally, he thought of a clever plan: he would drop small stones into the pot one by one. Eventually the water rose to the top, and the crow could drink it. And the moral of the story is 'Necessity is the mother of invention'.

4.2

1A

- 1 'd/had worked 2 'd/had saved
- 3 hadn't begun 4 'd/had paid
- 5 n't have got married
- 6 n't have left 7 'd/had learnt
- 8 have travelled

2A

- 1 I'd had 2 you'd 3 it would stop
- 4 shouldn't have 5 should have
- 6 shouldn't have

3

- 1 would stop asking her
- 2 I were/was at home
- 3 only we didn't/did not owe
- 4 have been told
- 5 you didn't/did not interrupt me/you wouldn't/would not interrupt me
- 6 wish I'd/I had thought
- 7 shouldn't/should not have lost
- 8 I could see something
- 9 only we had/we'd more
- 10 should have listened

4

- 1 pity 2 second thoughts
- 3 kick themselves 4 hindsight
- 5 missed opportunity 6 gutted

5A

- 1 Janine is deaf; Dean is blind
- 2 Janine: by using different strategies such as watching others' breathing, feeling vibrations from the music, asking other performers to signal to her; Dean: by using the sounds he hears to understand what is happening

B

1 J 2 D 3 J 4 D 5 J 6 J 7 D 8 D

C

- 1 closely guarded 2 profoundly
- 3 develop 4 reveal
- 5 comprehensive 6 heightened

6A

- 1 up 2 up 3 to 4 on/off 5 down
- 6 off 7 on 8 on 9 down 10 over

B

an underwater cameraman

4.3

1



2A

- 1 Well, I'm not a big fan of travel books.
- 2 I'm not that keen on all the description.
- 3 Yes, what he loves about it is that they do a lot of sport.
- 4 Oh, yeah. He's really into football at the moment.
- 5 I can't stand it when the meat isn't cooked properly.
- 6 And the other thing I hate about them is the mosquitoes.

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 3
 I was kicked out 2 is kicked out
 3 worked 4 earns 5 met
 6 was having 7 was waiting
 8 fell 9 meets 10 delivers
 11 has died 12 fall

REVIEW AND CHECK 2

- 1
 I thought 2 'd/had been studying
 3 were coming 4 were looking
 5 had rained/had been raining
 6 swam 7 were sharing 8 began
 9 told 10 was going 11 realised
 12 was going 13 had realised
 14 was shaking 15 massaged
 16 'd/had recovered

- 2
 1 a) ignored b) neglected
 2 a) complimented b) paid attention
 3 a) take care b) get on
 4 a) stubborn b) selfish
 5 a) second thoughts b) hindsight
 6 a) gutted b) kicked
 7 a) take to b) take up
 8 a) taken on b) set up
 9 a) in close proximity b) on the edge

- 3A
 1 proximity 2 criticise 3 cloud
 4 generous 5 pity 6 forested
 4

- 1 Are (you) thinking 2 is likely
 3 will use 4 will become
 5 will break 6 won't keep
 7 're/are going to lose/will lose
 8 starts 9 're/are meeting
 10 takes off/is taking off
 11 plan/'m planning
 12 'll ask/'m going to ask

- 5
 luggage contents outskirts
 means transports informations
 accommodations facilities
 electricities remains views
 sceneries locals whereabouts

- 6
 1 No, I'm used to it.
 2 Yes. From the age of four I would dress up and sing for my parents.
 3 That's right, but they weren't used to having children around ...

- 4 I wasn't used to sitting still for so long.
 5 Yes, eventually I got used to the routine and I worked hard.
 6 No, I didn't use to enjoy the music classes ...
 7 He used to work for a music publisher ...
 8 Yes, I still can't get used to it.
 7
 1 The first thing you do is to make sure
 2 A key point is to make sure
 3 Next
 4 The key thing is to ensure
 5 after you've cooked
 6 The main thing is to keep
 7 Basically, the object is to keep
 8 After that
 9 The way it works is that
 10 What happens next is

- 8
 1 I'm really keen on chillies. They're great for flavouring boring dishes.
 2 I hate steak when it's rare – what I really don't like is the colour.
 3 What I like about olives is their salty taste, particularly on pizzas.
 4 I absolutely can't stand snails. The thought of them makes me feel sick.
 5 I'm really into pasta, mainly because it's so quick to make.
 6 I'm not a big fan of cheese. It's something about the smell.
 7 Cherries are my favourite fruit – the thing I love about them is their taste.
 8 I'm not that keen on chocolate as it's often too sweet for me.

- 9
 1 I shouldn't have posted
 2 I really wish I hadn't
 3 I should have chosen
 4 I shouldn't have
 5 Now I wish I'd/had deleted
 6 If only I were/was as slim as then and had
 7 I wish he would phone and yell at me
 8 If only I'd/had replied

- TEST
 1 a 2 b 3 c 4 a 5 a 6 c 7 a
 8 b 9 a 10 b 11 c 12 b 13 a
 14 b 15 c 16 a 17 b 18 c 19 c
 20 b 21 c 22 b 23 a 24 b 25 b
 26 a 27 c 28 a 29 b 30 a

UNIT 5

5.1

1A

1C 2A 3B 4D

B

1 tip 2 three or more 3 teenagers
 4 perfumes 5 dogs, cats

C

1 c 2 b 3 a 4 b

2

1 a 2 – 3 the 4 An 5 a 6 the
 7 the 8 the 9 – 10 – 11 a 12 –
 13 an 14 the 15 the

3

- Remember the saying 'necessity is the mother of the invention.' When the people need the things, sooner or later someone will come up with an idea to meet that need. It could be you!
- Watch people and notice their habits. How do they do the everyday activities, such as answering the phone, handling the money or the credit cards, eating and drinking? Is there a way that one of the activities could be made easier?
- When you have an idea, write it down. Draw a picture. Give it a name. This will help your mind work on the idea further.
- Don't talk to the negative people about your ideas. The motivation is important for the creativity, and negative people can kill it.
- Talk to a friend about your ideas. Some of the most successful ideas emerge through the talking.

4A



B

Oo	oO
damage	enhance
alter	distort
	transform
ooOo	ooOoo
detrimental	revolutionise
beneficial	

5

1 side 2 come 3 through 4 off
5 out 6 back 7 look 8 down

5.2

1B

1 Love 2 Discover 3 Health
4 Safety 5 Results 6 Cheap
7 Client 8 Deal 9 Best 10 Quality

2

1 go to great lengths
2 armchair explorers
3 dig deeper into their pockets
4 a big no-no
5 at the forefront
6 made (consumers) numb to

3

1 unless we have/get
2 closed later
3 Supposing we pay/paid
4 as long as we are/we're
5 were to accept
6 got back together
7 didn't enjoy skiing
8 Might you regret it

4

1 doesn't have, might/could get
2 were/was, would (you) say
3 have been accepted/are accepted/will be accepted, achieve
4 weren't/wasn't, wouldn't wear
5 will close/are going to close, comes forward
6 doesn't know, should tell
7 weren't/wasn't sitting, 'd/would be
8 'll/will buy, pass

5



6A

a) is far less important for
b) show an interesting contrast to
c) place greater importance on
d) there is almost no difference in
e) affects both groups more or less equally

f) there are significant differences in

g) only shows/shows only a slight variation

B

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

5.3

1B

The speakers choose fines or prizes.

C

1 What do you think about simply ~~write~~ writing
2 How ~~much~~ do you feel about a fine system?
3 I suppose we try
4 It doesn't grab ~~for~~ me.
5 Would you consider ~~about~~ having
6 I think we're ~~running~~ on the wrong track here.
7 How does giving a prize for using only English strike you ~~out~~?
8 I'd go ~~agree~~ for that.
9 It'd be great if we ~~should~~ could get
10 I'm torn ~~up~~ between punishment and reward systems.
11 Could we go ~~in~~ for both?
12 let's go ~~out~~ with that.

2A

1 With respect, we need to be more focussed.
2 To be honest, I thought your first suggestion was better.
3 To put it bluntly, that's the worst idea I've heard today.
4 Actually, I don't think that's a very practical idea.
5 Frankly, it's just not going to work.
6 As a matter of fact, that's probably the only solution.

3A

1 obscure 2 predictable 3 absurd
4 ambitious 5 weird 6 dreadful
7 unrealistic 8 brilliant

B

1 oO 2 oOoo 3 oO 4 oOo
5 O 6 Oo 7 ooOo 8 Oo

UNIT 6

6.1

1A

1 Act your age!
2 I'm continually surprised by her maturity.
3 Yes, he looks very young for his age.
4 We're visiting an elderly aunt of

Simon's.

5 Careful – that could be seen as age discrimination.
6 Yes, she's definitely in her prime.
7 I agree – they've certainly come of age now.
8 Yeah, he's so immature.

B

positive: 2, 3, 6, 7

negative: 1, 5, 8

neutral: 4

2

1 couldn't 2 had to 3 needed
4 obliged to 5 are able 6 managed to
7 can 8 are supposed to
9 made 10 being able to
11 wasn't allowed 12 don't have to

3

1 doesn't have to provide
2 can't make kids eat
3 didn't manage to 4 let him go
5 won't be able to
6 aren't supposed to be

4B

Speaker 1: 5 Speaker 2: 7

Speaker 3: 3 Speaker 4: 1

C

1 any age
2 having enough time to practise, motivation, trying out different instruments before choosing
3 50–69
4 maturity and energy
5 So you don't create an unhealthy environment for the child.
6 too soon/young
7 When the person has a particular vocation (for example a doctor or an engineer).
8 Try out lots of things to see what you enjoy and develop general skills.

D

1 c 2 e 3 b 4 d 5 a

5A

1 achievement 2 involved
3 appreciation 4 practise
5 encourage 6 judged 7 preference
8 satisfying 9 interfering 10 advice

5B

/i/ little: enjoy, pretence, prefer, encourage
/i:/ eat: appreciate, achievement
/aɪ/ sky: oblige, advise
/e/ red: preference

6.2

1A

clothes, relationships, newspapers, (social networking is referred to indirectly: the LifeSaver programme sends video and audio from your day out to people who have signed up to receive them)

B

1 f 2 e 3 a 4 d 5 b

C

1 F 2 F 3 NG 4 T 5 T 6 NG 7 T 8 F

2

1 will have started 2 won't be using 3 'll be attending 4 need 5 will be signing 6 will involve 7 will consist 8 will have happened

3A

- 1 The world will be experiencing a mini ice-age at that time.
- 2 The average weight of an adult male will have gone down to seventy kilos.
- 3 Smoking will have been banned completely in all public areas.
- 4 Every city will own a big computer.
- 5 Everyone will be driving flying cars.
- 6 Men and women will be wearing the same clothes.
- 7 Poverty and famine will have halved.
- 8 Every company will belong to its workers.

4

1 gloomy 2 ups and downs 3 promising 4 mixed feelings 5 look on the bright 6 forward 7 upbeat 8 dread 9 despair 10 with optimism

5A

1 because 2 so as not to 3 for 4 in order to 5 so that 6 not to

B

- a) 2, 6
- b) 3, 4
- c) 1, 5

6.3

1A

1 credit card 2 staying alone 3 ridden, scooter 4 wear 5 late, stay 6 run, business 7 owned 8 social networking 9 part-time 10 travelling solo 11 babysit 12 pierced

2A

1

Isn't ~~that~~ it time that they banned 'size zero' models?

~~Don't~~ Doesn't it matter to you that young girls think it's normal to be so skinny?

~~It's not~~ Clearly it's not right.

2

~~Aren't you thinking~~ Don't you think that they should use technology in football games?

~~No one can't~~ Anyone can see it would be fairer.

Yeah, but surely it's more important that decisions are correct.

B

1

Look at this picture. Isn't it time that they banned 'size zero' models?

Doesn't it matter to you that young girls think it's normal to be so skinny?

Well you should. Clearly it's not right.

2

Don't you think that they should use technology in football games?

Yeah, to make decisions. Anyone can see it would be fairer.

Yeah, but surely it's more important that decisions are correct.

3A

1

So what you're saying is that

So in other words I look fat!

2

What you're getting at is

So I gather your point is that

So if I've got it right,

REVIEW AND CHECK 3

1

1 will have doubled 2 will be paying 3 will not/won't have saved 4 will be facing 5 will be discussing 6 will be living 7 will be driving 8 will have 9 will have replaced 10 will be working

2

If you want to win at sports, choose a red shirt. Research by two scientists from the University of Durham shows that a team's chance of winning is influenced by the colour of their shirts. As part of their investigation, the scientists examined football results since the end of the Second World War and found a clear connection between wearing red and

winning. Teams who wore an orange or yellow shirt had the worst records.

3

- a) promote b) influence
- a) commercials b) campaigns
- a) distorted b) damaged
- a) enhance b) have a beneficial effect

5 a) elderly

b) mature

6 a) act his age

b) come of age

7 a) obscure

b) unrealistic

8 a) weird

b) dreadful

4A

1 advertise 2 achieve 3 ambitious 4 wear 5 appreciate 6 reaction

5

1 for 2 What 3 thinking 4 would 5 consider 6 different 7 get 8 strike 9 track 10 feel 11 grab 12 original 13 torn 14 go

6

- 1 I've got/I have mixed feelings about it.
- 2 taking one step forward and two steps back
- 3 has their ups and downs
- 4 I'm dreading
- 5 looks forward to taking exams
- 6 Look on the bright side.

7A

1 breakthrough 2 outlook 3 drawback/downside 4 breakdown 5 outcome 6 downside/drawback 7 checkout 8 trade-off

B

1 fire 2 newspapers 3 e-readers/e-books 4 divorce or separation 5 an election 6 having a dog 7 credit or debit cards 8 cars, motorcycles or scooters

8

1 were able to/managed to 2 couldn't/weren't able to 3 able to 4 ought not/oughtn't 5 won't be able 6 allow you to/let you 7 have to, should 8 supposed to 9 allowed to 10 make

9

1 owned 2 wanted 3 were 4 call 5 will 6 is 7 wouldn't 8 buy 9 provided 10 can 11 Unless 12 If

B

- 1 readership 2 sensationalism
3 broadsheet 4 supplement
5 tabloid 6 feature 7 biased
8 editorial 9 columnists
10 circulation

2

- 1 He's the one who's always complaining, not me.
2 You were the one who was asking about the price.
3 The incredible thing about the photo is the light.
4 The remarkable thing is that people want to buy this paper.
5 They're the ones who want to have a big party, not us.
6 The ridiculous thing is the number of adverts.

3A

- 1 This is totally ridiculous
2 The annoying thing is that
3 it does make me so mad when
4 you're the one who's always telling me to
5 There's no way I'd leave
6 There's no need to get into such a state
7 where on earth did I last have them

B

A: This is totally ridiculous. Where are my keys? The annoying thing is that I had them a minute ago. Oh, it does make me so mad when I can't find them!

B: Well, you're the one who's always telling me to put them somewhere safe. Have you tried the door?

A: There's no way I'd leave them there!

B: Okay, I'm just trying to help. There's no need to get into such a state!

A: I'm not 'in a state'. Now where on earth did I last have them?

4A

- 1 I reckon it's a Siamese fish
2 Surely it's a hoax photo/photo hoax
3 Perhaps there's a nuclear plant upstream
4 It might be two fish
5 I'd imagine it's genuine but it's hard to say/it's hard to say but I'd imagine it's genuine

B

- a) 5 b) 1 c) 3 d) 4 e) 2

UNIT 8

8.1

1A

In the picture, the man is phoning from home; in the article, he phones from a payphone.

In the picture, the man is saving a boy; in the article, he saves another man.

1

- 1 hadn't walked/hadn't been walking, wouldn't have seen
2 would/might/could have been traced, had/d phoned
3 hadn't come forward, might never have found/(never) would (never) have found
4 would/might have kept, hadn't spoken

5 would be, had/d kept

6 wouldn't have fallen, hadn't collapsed

7 had stopped, wouldn't have leapt

8 would be, hadn't jumped

9 hadn't been, would have been killed

10 had had, wouldn't have jumped

2

- 1 would have asked him
2 wouldn't be sick/wouldn't have got/become/been sick/wouldn't feel/be feeling sick (now)
3 might have won (the race)

4 could he have been

5 you wouldn't/would not be living

6 if you had/d been paying

7 be lost if Angie had

8 would you have done

3A

- 1 What would you have done?
2 I wouldn't have done that.
3 If I'd known when you were coming, I would've met you at the station.

B

- 1 What would you have done?
2 I wouldn't have done that.
3 If I'd known when you were coming I would've met you at the station.

4A and B

The experiment was about how visual images affect people's behaviour in terms of honesty.

C

- 1 are being watched
2 are unobserved 3 an experiment
4 psychology 5 belief
6 an honesty box 7 changed/
alternated the image 8 more honest
9 three times

D

- 1 So that we know if we are being watched.
2 They behave less selfishly.
3 They felt surprised.
4 The poster of faces and eyes could be used for the warnings about speed cameras instead of a picture of a camera.
5 Near CCTV cameras in town centres.

5

		1	C	O	M	P	A	R	E	
2	G	O	A	G	A	I	N	S	T	
3	S	T	I	C	K	T	O			
	4	C	O	M	E	T	O			
		5	P	U	T	O	F	F		
6	P	O	S	T	P	O	N	E		
7	B	E	T	R	A	Y				
		8	F	O	L	L	O	W		
			U							
		9	A	R	R	I	V	E	A	T
10	E	X	A	M	I	N	E			
	11	W	E	I	G	H	U	P		
		12	A	N	A	L	Y	S	E	
			D							

8.2

1B

- A foetus B log C yearner
D soldier E freefaller F starfish

C

- 1 freefaller (don't like criticism)
2 foetus (shy when they first meet somebody)
3 starfish (don't like to be the centre of attention)
4 yearner (once they have taken a decision, they are unlikely ever to change it)
5 soldier (set themselves and others high standards)
6 log (easy-going, social people; freefallers are also social, but not laid back)

D

- 1 posture 2 (the) in-crowd
3 gullible 4 gregarious
5 thin-skinned 6 a fuss

2

- 1 cringe 2 bright, breezy
3 lowest ebb 4 wide awake, alert
5 sense, dread 6 despise, passion
7 sharpest 8 bounce, step 9 fussed
10 on the ball, groggy

3A

- 1 daydreaming 2 to solve 3 tackling
4 taking 5 clearing 6 staying up
7 to need 8 being able 9 to require
10 sleeping

B

6: Staying up all night decreases (not increases) the ability to hold new facts by 40%.

4

- 1 When I was young, my father taught me to work hard and (to) play hard.
2 Jake hates/hated not being able to play football because of his bad leg.
3 They have invited Guido to give a talk at the conference.
4 Olga has suggested going for a picnic.
5 What do you want me to do?
6 Would you mind telling us how old you are?
7 The firm didn't/doesn't expect to have to pay for the damage.
8 Can I persuade you to change your mind?
9 It isn't/It's not worth waiting any longer.

5

- 1 time after time 2 in the nick of time
3 to kill time 4 'm pressed for time
5 cut her holiday short
6 to make up for lost time
7 once in a blue moon
8 dragging their feet
9 for the time being
10 bided her time

6A

- 1 That's something 2 I'm always
3 but 4 people think
5 think much of 6 I've wasted
7 get over

8.3

1A

- 1 diplomatic 2 confrontational
3 sensible 4 supportive
5 collaborative 6 sensitive
7 unhelpful 8 assertive 9 focussed
10 tactful 11 aggressive 12 direct

B

positive: diplomatic, sensible, supportive, collaborative, assertive, focussed, tactful

negative: confrontational, unhelpful, aggressive

either: sensitive, direct

C

- 1 aggressive, confrontational
2 sensitive, supportive 3 direct
4 confrontational, aggressive
5 collaborative, sensible 6 assertive, direct 7 focussed 8 unhelpful
9 assertive 10 sensible

2A

- 1 Actually, there's something I've been meaning to talk to you about.
2 I don't want you to get the wrong idea, but ...
3 It's just that (often) you (often) leave your mobile on.
4 And it rings when you're not here and that's annoying./And when you're not here it rings and that's annoying.
5 Yes, but it's disturbing when people are trying to work./Yes, but when people are trying to work, it's disturbing.
6 I understand, but do you see where I'm coming from?
7 Maybe you could set it to silent when you're not here./Maybe when you're not here you could set it to silent.
8 Yes, how would you feel about that?

3

- 1 Actually, there's something I've um been meaning to talk to you about.
2 Well, I don't want you to get the wrong idea, but ...
3 It's just that you know you often leave your mobile on.
4 And it rings when you're not here and that's slightly annoying.
5 Yes, but it's a bit disturbing when people are trying to work.
6 I understand, but I mean, do you see where I'm coming from?
7 Maybe you could just set it to silent when you're not here.
8 Yes, how would you er feel about that?

REVIEW AND CHECK 4

1

- 1 would you have done things differently/would you do things differently
2 I wouldn't want/have wanted to change anything

3 If Angela and I hadn't/had not got married

4 we might/could/would/'d still be together

5 If you were to give advice/giving advice

6 what would you say

7 If I started/were starting again

8 I still think I would/'d choose

2A

- 1 plenty of fantastic views
2 a large ~~amount~~ number of walls
3 A few flats with such excellent views
4 as ~~the~~ most of the rooms are on the lower ground floor
5 close to quite a few shops and several ~~of~~ clubs

B

- 1 The big windows mean no privacy.
2 The flat's probably badly in need of repair.
3 The rooms are decorated in different styles (uniquely) and probably not to everyone's taste.
4 The flat's likely to be dark and damp.
5 There's likely to be too much noise.

3

- 1 a) serial b) series 2 a) sitcom b) sketch show 3 a) lowest ebb b) sharpest 4 a) groggy b) breezy 5 a) weighed up b) came to 6 a) sticking to b) analysing 7 a) sensitive b) sensible 8 a) tactful b) assertive

4A

- 1 promise 2 reality 3 serial 4 tabloid 5 focussed 6 aggressive

5

- 1 been meaning 2 hope you don't 3 the wrong 4 It's just that 5 Do you know/Do you see 6 would you feel

6

- 1 I'm sorry but I'll have to cut it ~~up~~ short as I'm very pressed for ~~my~~ time.
2 For the ~~present~~ time being I'm not saying anything. I'm just biding ~~on~~ my time.
3 The movie companies tend to drag their ~~two~~ feet till the last moment and then suddenly come up with the money in the a nick of time.
4 Time ~~and~~ after time I catch nothing and then once in a ~~the~~ blue moon I land a really big fish.

- 3 Try to count the money quickly.
- 4 Take time to put your card away safely.
- 5 Never turn around if someone tries to get your attention.
- 6 Always be aware of people nearby.

9.3

1A

- 1 he reminded me ~~to~~ of that English football player
- 2 wait, my mind's gone blank.
- 3 It never ~~occupied~~ occurred to me, no.
- 4 before I ~~was realising~~ (had) realised what was happening, my wallet was gone
- 5 No, in fact it was only a minute later
- 6 It ~~was~~ all happened so fast
- 7 They seemed ~~to look~~ like students

2

- 1 over 2 over 3 fire 4 out
5 down 6 stuck 7 off 8 out

3A

- 1 C 2 F 3 D 4 B 5 A 6 E

UNIT 10

10.1

1B

- a) 1, 6 b) 4, 7 c) 2, 5 d) 3

C

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

D

- 1 shriek 2 eerie 3 corrupted
4 chattering 5 flash

2A

- 1 fast-paced 2 chilling 3 dull
4 moving 5 awesome 6 poignant
7 electrifying 8 brilliant 9 horrific
10 predictable 11 gripping
12 weak 13 touching 14 creepy
15 unforgettable

B

fast-paced	poignant	gripping
chilling	electrifying	weak
dull	brilliant	touching
moving	horrific	creepy
awesome	predictable	unforgettable

3A

- 1 that, which 2 that 3 where
4 which 5 who, that 6 whose
7 which 8 when 9 that, which
10 whose

B

- 1, 2, 9

4

- 1 A biopic is a film which tells the life story of a famous person.
- 2 The biopic that/which I want to review today is *Raging Bull*, which is the story of a famous boxer.
- 3 Robert de Niro, who plays the part of Jake La Motta, is absolutely extraordinary.
- 4 The film was made at a time when most biopics were of heroic figures.
- 5 The film, which was directed by Martin Scorsese, is now recognised as a masterpiece.
- 6 De Niro became interested when he read the book on which the story was based.

5A

- 1 highly/widely 2 harshly/
overwhelmingly/heavily
3 skilfully/sensitively 4 poignantly/
convincingly

B

- 1a) widely praised b) highly praised
2a) overwhelmingly criticised
b) harshly/heavily criticised
3a) skilfully directed
b) sensitively directed
4a) poignantly acted
b) convincingly acted

10.2

1A

- 1 A painting, not a statue, was damaged by a demolition ball.
- 2 The vase was broken into hundreds of pieces, not just two.
- 3 The painting that was damaged was broken in two. It didn't get a hole in it. It was damaged because the glue holding the frame together wasn't strong enough, not because someone put an elbow through it.

B

- 1 taking 2 tearing 3 shocked
4 pressed 5 walking
6 shattering 7 valued
8 embarrassed 9 employed
10 living 11 displayed 12 putting
13 being 14 used

2A

- 1 The people living on the other side of the river were trapped.
- 2 Anyone planning to go home early or wanting to take a break should let us know.

- 3 Walking out of the restaurant, I ran into my old boss coming in.
- 4 I used to work with the woman living next door.
- 5 I left the party quickly, not telling anyone that I was unwell.
- 6 Carrying a child under each arm, she ran out of the blazing building.
- 7 He jumped up, frightened by the loud bang, mistaking the door for a gun.
- 8 Walls painted white tend to attract more graffiti.

3

- 1 sell-out 2 alternative
3 rave reviews 4 ground-breaking
5 must-see 6 created a stir
7 mainstream 8 flop 9 hype
10 letdown

4B

- 1 c) 2 b) 3 a) 4 b) 5 c)

C

- 1 from the side 2 thirds each way,
intersecting points 3 interesting
4 close 5 height, the same level

5A

- 1 tired 2 downs 3 don'ts
4 bounds 5 quiet 6 on 7 then
8 ready 9 cons 10 forth
11 through 12 on

10.3

1A

- 1 It's well worth a visit
- 2 Let's head over to the
- 3 Supposedly, they had to interrupt
- 4 Believe it or not, it took
- 5 It was originally built as
- 6 Well, they were founded in
- 7 Let's retrace our steps to
- 8 The story goes that he used

B

- 1 It's well worth a visit
- 2 Let's head over to the
- 3 Supposedly, they had to interrupt
- 4 Believe it or not, it took
- 5 It was originally built as
- 6 Well, they were founded in
- 7 Let's retrace our steps to
- 8 The story goes that he used

C

- a) 5 b) 4 c) 3 d) 8 e) 2 f) 1

2A

- 1 long/length/lengthen
2 short/shortness/shorten
3 narrow/narrowness/narrow
4 wide/width/widen

- 5 thin/thinness/thin
6 thick/thickness/thicken
7 low/lowness/lower
8 high/height/raise/heighten*
9 large/largeness/enlarge
* When we make something higher we usually *raise* it. When feelings or effects become stronger, they are *heightened*.

B

- 1 narrow 2 thin 3 lowered
4 thickness, thicken
5 width, widen 6 length 7 lengthen
8 enlarge 9 high, height
10 shortened
3
1 There were just under 200 people at the party.
2 The homework should take you roughly an hour to do.
3 We'll be arriving at 4 o'clock or so what?
4 The renovations cost upwards of one million euros.
5 We're expecting somewhere on a in the region of a thousand people for the conference.

REVIEW AND CHECK 5

1

- 1 to let 2 to turn 3 to turn, to look
4 meeting, meeting 5 talking, having
6 asking

2

- 1 found 2 living 3 spent 4 used
5 killed 6 arriving 7 starting
8 suffering 9 made 10 sent

3

- 1 a) fall for b) deceive
2 a) taken in b) distracted
3 a) ground-breaking b) sell-out
4 a) letdown b) flop
5 a) Bribery b) Tax evasion
6 a) stalkers b) vandals
7 a) breadth b) depth
8 a) shorten b) lower
9 a) gripping b) moving
10 a) knocked out b) knocked over

4A

- 1 rescue 2 chilling 3 poignant
4 dull 5 hacker 6 bribery

5B

- 1 can't/couldn't have got
2 might/could have experienced
3 must have made

- 4 must have given
5 can't/couldn't have had
6 could/might have been
7 could/might have been born
8 must have been
6

- 1 who 2 whose 3 when 4 who
5 when/where 6 who 7 which
8 whom 9 whose 10 which

7

- 1 cross 2 seemed 3 so 4 much
5 like 6 reminded 7 blank 8 catch
8

- 1 apologised for not listening
2 blame the website for encouraging
3 be banned from showing
4 saved the plane from crashing
5 to praise children for doing/when they do
6 dreamt of being
7 is suspected of helping
8 criticising me for not helping
9

- 1 peace and quiet 2 ups and downs
3 pros and cons 4 give and take
5 sick and tired 6 on and on
7 now and then 8 leaps and bounds

10A and B

- 1 modelled 2 burnt 3 may know
4 Apparently 5 worth 6 head over
7 story goes 8 founded 9 named
10 Believe 11 retrace
12 supposedly

TEST

- 1 a) 2 b) 3 b) 4 c) 5 a) 6 c)
7 b) 8 a) 9 c) 10 a) 11 c)
12 b) 13 a) 14 b) 15 b) 16 c)
17 b) 18 c) 19 a) 20 c) 21 a)
22 c) 23 b) 24 c) 25 a) 26 b)
27 a) 28 c) 29 c) 30 a)