

Name \_\_\_\_\_

( \_\_\_ /40 )

**Grammar and Vocabulary**
**1 Complete the dialogue with the words in the box.**

( \_\_\_ /5 )

inspiring  loud  relaxing  catchy  moving  dramatic

0. The music is too \_\_\_\_\_ loud \_\_\_\_\_. Can you please turn it down?
1. I just can't get this song out of my head. It's so \_\_\_\_\_
2. I enjoy classical music. It's \_\_\_\_\_ and stimulates my creativity.
3. Meg always listens to jazz music before going to bed; she says it's \_\_\_\_\_!
4. That song from *Les Misérables* always makes me cry; it's really \_\_\_\_\_.
5. I don't like opera. Sometimes, I find it very \_\_\_\_\_!


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**2 Use the prompts to form sentences. Use *as ... as* and *not as ... as*.**

( \_\_\_ /5 )

0. Learning Japanese / hard / learning Spanish

Learning Japanese is as hard as learning Spanish.

1. Playing the guitar/ not fun / dancing

Playing the guitar is not as fun as dancing.

2. In England / drinking coffee / not popular / drinking tea

In England, drinking coffee is not as popular as drinking tea.

3. Ice skating / artistic / ballet

Ice skating is as artistic as ballet.

4. Singing in the shower / not scary / singing in public

Singing in the shower is not as scary as singing in public.

5. Making new friends / important / getting good grades

Making new friends is as important as getting good grades.



**3 Complete the sentences with the verbs in the box.**

(\_\_\_\_ / 5)

sail camp perform design change learn

- o. They usually \_\_\_\_\_ sail \_\_\_\_\_ a boat on weekends.
1. I want to \_\_\_\_\_ my look. I've had the same hairstyle for ages!
2. It's exciting when you \_\_\_\_\_ overnight.
3. Many people want to \_\_\_\_\_ to play a musical instrument, but they never do it!
4. She's going to \_\_\_\_\_ in the school talent show.
5. Things have changed a lot. Now it's so easy to \_\_\_\_\_ your own web page.



**4 Use the words in parentheses to complete the sentences in the present perfect.**

(\_\_\_\_ / 5)

- o. I \_\_\_\_\_ have taken \_\_\_\_\_ (take) a lot of wonderful pictures with my new cell phone.
1. Mario and Luis \_\_\_\_\_ (never / travel) by plane.
2. \_\_\_\_\_ (you have) anything to drink?
3. She \_\_\_\_\_ (not visit) me since she moved to California.
4. You're amazing. You \_\_\_\_\_ (always / perform) in the school plays.
5. Where \_\_\_\_\_ (you / be)? You don't answer my calls!

**5 Fill the blanks with the letter of the correct option.**

(\_\_\_\_ / 5)

- o. You have to a your toys from the floor when you finish playing.  
**a. pick up**      b. wipe off      c. clean out.
1. Katia, please       your books before you leave for the movies.  
a. put away      b. wash up      c. throw away
2. I had to use a ladder to       the curtains because the windows are too high.  
a. hang up      b. wipe off      c. wash up
3. Before my parents       the garbage, I separate the recyclables.  
a. throw away      b. pick up      c. take out
4. It's important to       before sitting down to eat.  
a. throw away      b. wash up      c. wash out
5. My brother and I take turns       the attic.  
a. putting away      b. washing up      c. cleaning out



**6 Underline the correct option.**

(\_\_\_\_ / 5)

0. The actor said he **has learned** / **hadn't learned** his lines before he arrived to the theater.
1. She told the doctor that she **hadn't had** / **didn't have** a headache like that in ten years.
2. When I **walked** / **had walked** into the room, I noticed the cat had destroyed the sofa.
3. I knocked at the door when I got home because I **have forgotten** / **I had forgotten** my keys.
4. She felt sad when she **heard** / **had heard** that her best friend was moving to another town.
5. Paul **hadn't finished** / **did finish** cooking by the time the guests arrived.



**7 Choose the correct adverb to complete the sentences.**

(\_\_\_\_ / 5)

**: silently**   **badly**   **cleverly**   **deliberately**   **quickly**

0. The teacher asked us to read silently so we didn't interrupt the class next door.
1. Cheetahs run very silently; they are the world's fastest animal.
2. Aaron behaves very badly at school, and he's in detention for that.
3. This apartment was so cleverly designed. There's space for everything!
4. Even though it's against the law, someone deliberately painted graffiti on the wall.

**8 Complete the second conditional sentences. Put the verb in the correct form.**

(\_\_\_\_ / 5)

0. If I lived near your house, I would visit (visit) you more often.
1. She could go to school in the evenings if she finished (finish) work earlier.
2. She be (be) healthier if she stopped smoking.
3. If I win (win) the lottery, everything would be different for me.
4. I not look (not look) for another job if I made enough money.
5. If buying a gun not be (not be) that easy, I'm sure the crime rate would decrease.

## Listening and Reading

(\_\_\_\_ / 10)

- 1  Listen and complete the spaces with ONE word only.

(\_\_\_\_ / 5)

0. They go on their social \_\_\_\_\_ networks \_\_\_\_\_.
1. They think the biggest disaster is to lose their \_\_\_\_\_.
2. They spend time with their family and \_\_\_\_\_.
3. They care about good \_\_\_\_\_.
4. They surf the Internet looking for interesting \_\_\_\_\_.
5. Many prefer \_\_\_\_\_ and health foods.

- 2 Read the texts and answer the questions with Beethoven or Mozart.

(\_\_\_\_ / 5)

# CLASSICAL MUSICAL PRODIGIES



### Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart

Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart was a famous Austrian composer. Mozart had learned to play the harpsichord, an instrument similar to the piano, when he was only three years old and had composed his first piece of music by the age of five. By the time he was a teenager, the musical genius had already written symphonies, operas and sonatas. Mozart traveled throughout Europe playing for royal families and in public concerts, impressing people with his amazing talent. He could compose music in his head and then play it before writing it down. Mozart's lifestyle was extravagant, and he began having financial problems in his mid-twenties. Fortunately, he was a prolific composer and had written more than 600 musical works by the time of his early death in Vienna at the age of 35.



### Ludwig Van Beethoven

Ludwig Van Beethoven was born in Bonn, Germany in 1770. He started taking piano and violin lessons at the age of four and by the age of eleven, he could write music. By the time he turned twelve, he was able to conduct an orchestra. Beethoven was an excellent pianist, but he started to lose his hearing in his 20s and had to end his career. At first, he couldn't hear the orchestra well, but as time went by, couldn't even hear himself playing. He also found it difficult to carry on conversations with other people because he could hardly hear a word they said. Nevertheless, Beethoven continued writing his compositions by listening to the music in his head. Before his death in 1827, Beethoven had composed symphonies, concertos and piano sonatas. He is considered one of the greatest composers of all times.

0. \_\_\_\_\_ Mozart \_\_\_\_\_ played the piano at three years of age.
1. \_\_\_\_\_ wrote music at 11.
2. \_\_\_\_\_ died when he was 57.
3. \_\_\_\_\_ he played the piano for kings and royal families.
4. \_\_\_\_\_ became deaf.
5. \_\_\_\_\_ had financial problems.

# **Speaking and Writing**

(\_\_\_\_ / 20)

**1** Look at the list of adventures below. Which one(s) would you like to experience? Discuss in pairs. (\_\_\_\_ / 10)

- Go on a safari
  - Climb Mount Everest
  - Travel to the Antarctica
  - Sail the River Nile on a private boat

☛ Complete the table with two things you'd like to learn, two things you'd like to do and two things you'd like to have. ( / 10)

I would like to learn	I would like to do	I would like to have
1. _____	1. _____	1. _____
2. _____	2. _____	2. _____

**Now, write about one thing from each column. Describe why you'd like to learn / do / have those things.**