

Vocabulary and Grammar Test Unit 10 Test B

Name: _____

Vocabulary

1 Complete the sentences with the words below.

beauty success maturity vision dedication originality

- 1 Dennis Grayson works harder at being a sculptor than anyone else. He works all day every day. With so much _____, I hope he becomes more well-known.
- 2 Monet's art has great _____. There is nothing more lovely and pleasing to look at.
- 3 Yvonne Day has won lots of awards and been praised by everybody. No other artist has had more _____ than she has.
- 4 She writes brilliant plays. She has such _____ about our future lives.
- 5 The writer is only thirteen, but his poems suggest that he's older. They show such _____.
- 6 Nobody has ever painted anything like this new artist's work before. He shows great _____.

Mark: ____ / 6

2 Choose the correct word (a–c) to complete the idioms.

- 1 The poets came to take part in the competition from _____ and wide.
a far **b** broad **c** narrow
- 2 A lot of new artistic styles come about as a result of trial and _____.
a failing **b** error **c** mistakes
- 3 Although my grandparents are both very old, they're still alive and _____.
a well **b** good **c** better
- 4 I'm sick and _____ of this music. Can you switch it off, please?
a tired **b** scared **c** bored
- 5 Pick and _____ the exhibits on the museum tour that you would most like to visit.
a choose **b** change **c** check
- 6 The author never stopped writing, despite his life having some ups and _____.
a lows **b** downs **c** falls

Mark: ____ / 6

3 Complete the text with the words below.

elaborate dramatic flowing romantic comical lifelike moving original

During this week on our new *Theatre Radio Programme*, you'll hear ¹ _____ plays that will make you fall in love, ² _____ plays that will make you cry, and ³ _____ plays that are really funny. Also, we'll be talking about Gary Adams, whose short stories are both ⁴ _____ (smooth and continuous) and ⁵ _____ (very complicated!). We'll also profile Jerry Thompson, a young actor whose style is new, interesting and very ⁶ _____. This guy is not like other actors!

On Friday, you'll hear a new play by a famous science-fiction writer, Keith Ray, whose fantastic stories are fast, full of action and very ⁷ _____ – you never know what's going to happen next. And on Sunday morning you'll hear an interview with Alan Peters, who creates real, believable and ⁸ _____ characters.

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4 Match the words in A to the words in B to make compound adjectives. Then complete the sentences.

A little cutting eagerly family first open world talked

B -known -awaited -edge -famous -time -air -oriented -about

- 1 The performance is _____, so you can bring young children.
- 2 It's a _____ performance. In other words, it's very new, modern and in a style that most people won't have seen before.
- 3 This film is _____. Everybody's been looking forward to it for years!
- 4 Everybody in the world knows this artist's name. He's _____.
- 5 The story is about a young and _____ offender.
- 6 All the people I know keep talking about this film. It's the most _____ event of the year!
- 7 Unfortunately, the painter was _____ in his lifetime. He became famous only ten years after his death.
- 8 This year the literature festival is an outdoor, _____ event. We are hoping for good weather!

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Grammar

5 Rewrite the phrases in brackets as participle clauses.

- 1 A Chinese travelling circus, _____ (which was formed) in the 1990s, is about to start a European tour.
- 2 Mike studies poetry _____ (which was written) by medieval poets.
- 3 A well-known writer, _____ (who lives) in Cheshire, has released a new book.
- 4 On their next album, the band is going to include some songs _____ (which were written) in 2010.
- 5 When Jack went travelling, he started with the places _____ (which were recommended) by his friends.
- 6 The actors are wearing costumes _____ (which were made) by a Japanese designer.
- 7 The author signed his autograph on the first page of the book _____ (which was bought) at the presentation.
- 8 The song _____ (which will open) the festival will be performed by Annie Scott.

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6 Circle the word (a–c) that cannot be used to complete the sentences.

- 1 _____ of the performers were professional actors.
a A few **b** Most **c** A little
- 2 _____ of the dancers decided to have a rest before the show.
a Some **b** All **c** Every
- 3 _____ people don't take modern art seriously.
a Many **b** Much **c** Some
- 4 I borrow an audio guide _____ time I visit a museum.
a every **b** some **c** each
- 5 _____ of us would like to know more about contemporary art.
a Every **b** Each **c** All
- 6 _____ musician in the orchestra can play different instruments.
a Each **b** Every **c** All
- 7 Our coffee shop offers coffee grown by _____ of the world's best producers.
a many **b** some **c** much
- 8 The band got _____ money for their performance.
a a few **b** some **c** a little

Mark: ____ / 8

7 Circle the correct words to complete the text.

Every summer, ¹**many** / **none** of my friends and I attend a big folk festival ²**taking** / **took** place in a field not far from our town. Actually, not ³**much** / **many** of my friends are interested in folk music, but they don't mind joining me and spending ⁴**a few** / **a little** time outdoors. ⁵**Most** / **All** of the bands at the festival are really good, although a few are awful! You can even buy a CD of ⁶**each** / **every** of them, right here in the middle of the field. We spend ⁷**most** / **many** of the day listening to songs ⁸**sung** / **singing** by folk bands from all over the world.

Mark: ____ / **8**

TOTAL MARKS: ____ / **60**