

Progress test 2 (Units 3 and 4)

GRAMMAR

1 Choose the correct answer: a, b, c or d.

- 1 Canada is a deal colder than I'd expected.
a great b lot c much d big
- 2 We often on family holidays when I was little.
a had been b used to go c were going d have been
- 3 Mark to the airport when he heard about the volcanic eruption.
a used to drive b had driven c has driven d was driving
- 4 The recent floods were by the worst in living memory.
a far b much c quite d easily
- 5 I a landslide before, so I was really shocked by the devastation.
a didn't see b didn't use to see c hadn't seen d wasn't seeing
- 6 The winters here aren't as cold as they used to be.
a almost b slightly c easily d quite

2 Complete the text with one suitable word in each gap.

Do you remember the Icelandic volcanic eruption of April 2010? I (1) visiting friends in Prague at the time and (2) already bought my return ticket, but of course there (3) no flights for days. The disruption to international travel was a (4) greater than anyone could have imagined. I never (5) to worry about natural disasters before that April, but now I keep an eye on the natural world and as a result I'm much (6) respectful of the forces of nature.

VOCABULARY

3 Complete the second sentence using the word given. Do not change the word. You must use between two and five words including the word given.

- 1 'I'll tell Tom what's happened,' said Steve. **THREATENED**
Steve Tom what had happened.
- 2 'Let's go to the new James Bond film,' said Laura. **SUGGESTED**
Laura to the new James Bond film.
- 3 'You borrowed my tablet without asking, didn't you, Alex?' said Chris. **ACCUSED**
Chris his tablet without asking.
- 4 'I'm sorry I read your emails, Danni,' said Claudia. **CONFESSED**
Claudia Danni's emails.
- 5 'Don't go hiking Brad, because it's too risky,' said Brad's dad. **WARNED**
Brad's dad hiking, because it was too risky.
- 6 'It wasn't me who told Mark about his surprise party,' said Sarah. **DENIED**
Sarah Mark about his surprise party.
- 7 'Apologise to your father immediately, Paul,' said his mum. **ORDERED**
Paul's mum to his father immediately.

4 Complete the text with one suitable word in each gap.

I started at a new school last year when my family moved to another part of the country and at first it was really hard. A lot of my classmates picked (1) me because I was the new kid. They laughed (2) me too because I had a strong accent. Looking back, I can honestly say that I (3) through some difficult weeks. I felt that the teachers didn't back me (4) and I even (5) out with my best friend because I was so stressed. So, when anyone talks about not enjoying school, I can really identify (6) them.

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