

READING AND USE OF ENGLISH

Fixed phrases

- 1 1 at ease 2 get on my nerves 3 lose touch
4 at first sight 5 is attracted to 6 propose to her
7 leave me alone 8 keep me company 9 break my heart
10 takes me for granted

Part 2

- 2 1 eight 2 one 3 no – you must think of them for yourself
3 1 The title means ‘a formal agreement to a marriage; the
agreement did not last long’. In the last paragraph it is clear
that Emily ended that agreement.
2 an extract from a biography or biographical article

Exam task answers

- 1 those 2 first 3 to 4 had 5 getting 6 at
7 taking 8 off
4 fixed phrases: 2, 3, 5, 6, 7; past tenses: 0, 4