

Grammar

1 Complete the sentences and questions. Use the correct form of the verbs in brackets.

- 1 Look out! The baby is going _____ (drop) your e-book reader in the water!
- 2 Promise me you _____ (not spend) all your money on an expensive tablet PC!
- 3 If you _____ (heat) water to 100°C, it boils.
- 4 If I don't see the film, I _____ (be) disappointed. I'm really looking forward to it.
- 5 If the man was innocent, the police _____ (release) him.
- 6 I wish I _____ (know) the answer to the question, but I don't.
- 7 When we arrived at the cinema, the film _____ (already / start) and we missed the beginning.
- 8 If I _____ (speak) German every day, I would become fluent very quickly.
- 9 Lily _____ (fail) her exams if she doesn't start studying.
- 10 That was lucky! All the children _____ (go) home when the school caught fire.

Mark: ___ /10

2 Rewrite the sentences.

- 1 Marie Curie discovered radium in 1898.
Radium _____.
- 2 'I haven't seen Julie since Tuesday,' said Dennis.
Dennis said _____.
- 3 I can't play on the basketball team and I'm disappointed.
I wish _____.
- 4 They will sell tickets for the Olympic Games online.
Tickets _____.
- 5 It is necessary to recycle glass and paper.
You _____.
- 6 It is possible that she will go to university.
She _____.
- 7 They deliver milk on Tuesdays and Fridays.
Milk _____.
- 8 Someone has seen the thief in this neighbourhood.
The thief _____.
- 9 It isn't necessary to send flowers.
You _____.
- 10 The boys said they were going to the cinema.
'We _____,' said the boys.

Mark: ___ /10

Vocabulary

3 Read the definitions and complete the words.

- 1 a greeting for a family member or someone you know well h__
- 2 a device for finding the route on a journey s__n__
- 3 a violent storm h____c____
- 4 a violent crime m____g
- 5 a reference book e_____ia

Mark: ___ /5

4 Complete the text with the words below. There are two words you do not need.

burglar district mugging questioned robbed robbers robbery shook smartphones stolen thumbs waved

The police are investigating a report of a ¹ _____ in the busy shopping ² _____ this morning. An electrical goods store was ³ _____ and many items were ⁴ _____, including a number of expensive ⁵ _____.

The police ⁶ _____ several people who saw the crime. Witnesses said the manager ⁷ _____ at the ⁸ _____ as they left, and one of them gave him a ⁹ _____ up. The police asked the manager if he knew the criminals, but he just ¹⁰ _____ his head.

Mark: ___ /10

5 Choose the correct answers.

- 1 1st April is April Fools' Day in the UK. It is a day when people play practical _____.
a jokes b fool c tricks d fun
- 2 Next week is the _____ carnival in our town. It's a lot of fun.
a century b annual c year d calendar
- 3 The police searched the area _____, but they didn't find the stolen jewellery.
a easily b confidently c carefully d disappointingly
- 4 The forest fire has done a lot of _____ to the local environment.
a destruction b destroy c damage d damaged
- 5 The _____ at the end of the book says the murderer never returned to the scene of the crime.
a chapter b sequel c title d epilogue

Mark: ___ /5

Use of English

6 Complete the text. Choose the correct options, A, B, C or D.

Do you fancy ¹ _____ something different this summer? If you do, why ² _____ join a volunteer organisation? If that ³ _____ good, there are usually plenty of opportunities locally. If you ⁴ _____ a local volunteer centre near you, they ⁵ _____ be able to tell you what kind of projects you can get involved in. If you're interested ⁶ _____ the environment, you can often help out at places like parks or gardens. If you'd rather ⁷ _____ with animals, there might be opportunities in places like animal rescue centres or zoos. Or, if you'd prefer ⁸ _____ something connected to history or art, you may be able to do something at local museums and art ⁹ _____. Volunteering is a great experience and ¹⁰ _____ really valuable when you start looking for a job.

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| 1 A do | B to do | C did | D doing |
| 2 A not | B aren't | C don't | D haven't |
| 3 A feels | B looks | C tastes | D sounds |
| 4 A have | B had | C have had | D are having |
| 5 A mustn't | B needn't | C ought | D should |
| 6 A at | B in | C on | D to |
| 7 A work | B to work | C have worked | D worked |
| 8 A do | B to do | C done | D did |
| 9 A castles | B districts | C galleries | D houses |
| 10 A being | B going to be | C to be | D will be |

Mark: ___ /10

Listening

7 🎧 Listen to a radio news report. Choose the correct answers.

1 A volcano in northern Iceland

- a** has erupted. **c** may erupt soon.
b will erupt tomorrow. **d** won't erupt any more.

2 The volcanic eruption may

- a** continue for many days. **c** injure many people.
b destroy rock formations. **d** cause another disaster.

3 The criminals have committed

- a** theft. **c** vandalism.
b murder. **d** arson.

4 A witness

- a** identified the men. **c** was injured by the criminals.
b refused to speak to the police. **d** reported the joyriders to the police.

5 What can local people do tomorrow?

- a** donate clothes and food. **c** collect money.
b support the sponsored event. **d** go to Scotland.

Mark: ___ /5

Reading

8 Read the text. Are the sentences true or false?

If you travel around the world, you will learn that every country has different customs. It is what makes travelling so interesting! If you visit Thailand in April, you will see the Songkran celebrations – and you might get very wet! Songkran is the Thai New Year, and it is traditional to throw buckets of water at passers-by on the street! If you did that in London, you might get arrested!

Different countries have different laws, so you have to be careful. Of course, stealing and murder are illegal everywhere, but some laws are surprising. In England, if you buy a stamp with the Queen's head on it, you must make sure you stick it on your letter the right way up. It is illegal to stick the stamp on a letter upside-down. It shows that you do not respect the Queen.

Many laws in England were made centuries ago. As time passes, they are not important any more, but they have not been changed. For example, did you know that it is illegal to wear a top hat in the city of London? And in the seventeenth century Oliver Cromwell banned eating mince pies on Christmas Day. Mince pies are a traditional Christmas treat, so millions of people in the UK break that law every Christmas. There are hundreds of laws like this, which seem stupid to us now. Since 1965 over 2,000 old laws have been changed, but there are thousands more – so be careful!

- 1 Songkran is an annual festival in Thailand. _____
- 2 You mustn't use stamps with the Queen's head on them. _____
- 3 Some laws are old-fashioned and out-of-date. _____
- 4 Many people commit a crime at Christmas. _____
- 5 All the silly laws have been changed. _____

Mark: ___ /5

Writing

9 Your bag was stolen on the bus and you have to go to the police station to report the theft. Write a note for the English exchange student who is staying at your home to explain your absence.

- Tell him/her what happened on the bus.
- Explain where you have gone and why.
- Tell him/her there is some food in the kitchen and mention how to prepare it.
- Say you will be home in about an hour, and tell him/her how to contact you if he/she needs to.

Mark: ___ /10

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