

REVIEW

Vocabulary

1 Match to form sentences.

(8 x 1 = 8)

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| 1. The prime minister's comments have certainly sparked | a. sympathy for the victims of the disaster. |
| 2. My travels have helped me gain
a new business venture. | b. |
| 3. The semester abroad really broadened | c. cultural stereotypes. |
| 4. The filmmakers succeeded in evoking | d. insight into other people's lives. |
| 5. I'm embarking on
my horizons. | e. |
| 6. The international youth programme will help to break down | f. a controversy. |
| 7. Accepting the invitation would be a way of renewing | g. touch. |
| 8. I'll miss Lucy but I'm sure we'll remain in | h. her acquaintance. |

2 Circle the correct word.

(8 x 1 = 8)

- Georgia was upset about not getting the job but she soon bounced **back / out / away**.
- They ran **on / in / up** against some problems while setting up the company.
- Nurses are calling **for / up / with** better working conditions.
- If you're not enjoying the creative writing class, you could always opt **away / on / out**.
- Before visiting Rome, he decided to brush up **on / for / with** his Italian.
- Living on a busy road, we were subjected **in / with / to** a great deal of noise on a daily basis.
- If I lose my job, I'll still have my savings to fall back **on / to / with**.
- I don't see how your project really ties **in / up / on** with the topic we were given.

3 Complete the sentences with the correct form of the word given.

(10 x 1 = 10)

- This advertising company has created some slogans that everyone recognizes.
MEMORY
- Where did the tradition of exchanging gifts at Christmas ? **ORIGIN**
- It's that they'd close the children's hospital – it's just too important. **THINK**
- This government is committed to fighting **POOR**
- The young entrepreneur explained that was key to her success. **PERSEVERE**
- It's great that you want to exercise every day – just don't it! **DO**
- That pizza really looks ! **TEMPT**
- I can't believe you'd call this magnificent scenery "quite nice" – talk about an !
STATEMENT
- A night at the ballet would definitely be to going to see a James Bond film. **PREFER**
- The hotel receptionist gave me the keys to the penthouse suite! **MISTAKE**

4 Complete the sentences. Use the words given.

(5 x 2 = 10)

- media / fashion** I work in the industry organizing events that usually get extensive
..... coverage.
- social / natural** London would be the choice for someone wanting to relocate to a city
with a lively scene.
- marketing / brand** The executives at the advertising agency are exploring new ways of
increasing recognition amongst adolescent consumers.
- life / career** It's not only your educational level that has an impact on your prospects,
but your skills too.
- moral / root** We all have a responsibility to help the disadvantaged and find the
..... cause of their problems so we can come up with solutions.

5 Circle the correct answer.

(12 x 1 = 12)

1. The fact that Sam speaks four languages will give him over the other candidates.
a. an eye c. a choice
b. a hand d. an edge
2. Instant coffee is no for the real thing.
a. outlet c. difference
b. placement d. substitute
3. The race around the capital definitely public attention.
a. caught c. reached
b. directed d. swayed
4. It rains occasionally, but speaking, you could say the climate here is good.
a. overall c. naturally
b. broadly d. genuinely
5. The musician's success is a result of natural talent with hard work.
a. tapped c. coupled
b. enhanced d. strapped
6. Teachers shouldn't be too quick to students as lazy or disobedient.
a. instill c. label
b. target d. confer
7. Emma rarely went to concerts when she was younger, but she's really lost time now!
a. leading up to c. catching up with
b. making up for d. keeping up with
8. The exhibition is being held to the region's cultural heritage.
a. reflect c. reveal
b. magnify d. showcase
9. Unless we find a solution, the problem will just continue to get worse.
a. profound c. constant
b. repetitive d. sustainable
10. He hoped that buying such an expensive villa would give him great
a. prejudice c. preference
b. prestige d. preoccupation
11. I was on my way home when it suddenly me I'd left my laptop in the lecture hall.
a. hit c. grasped
b. rang d. shook
12. The politician's reputation has recently been into question.
a. called c. made
b. spoken d. begged

6 Complete the text. Use the words below.

(12 x 1 = 12)

need point issues campaigns purchase highlight
addressing privileged ultimately non-profit impoverished thought-provoking

I HATE IT WHEN ...

Companies try to come up with inventive online advertising (1)to persuade people to (2) their products. But the Internet is also a useful tool for (3) organizations seeking to raise awareness of serious (4) Many charities use videos to get their message across. A case in (5) is WaterIsLife, set up to provide clean water to people in (6) around the world.

The organization has posted a number of (7) videos, one of which is called *First World Problems*. In this 60-second video, (8) residents of Haiti, possibly the poorest country in the Western hemisphere, are filmed reciting tweets from the hashtag #FirstWorldProblems. Instead of directly (9) problems in Haiti like homelessness or the lack of clean water, the video pokes fun at the problems people from (10) backgrounds claim to have. For example, a young girl is filmed near a stream where women are washing clothes, saying, "I hate it when my clothes stay in the washer so long they start to smell." A man stands outside a tin shack, saying, "I hate it when my house is so big I need two wireless routers."

The aim of First World Problems was to (11) the difference between real problems and minor inconveniences, and (12) , to encourage viewers to donate money. The video quickly went viral – in less than a month it had been viewed 1.7 million times.

Grammar

1 Circle the correct answer.

(12 x 1 = 12)

IS IT GOTHIC?

The Goth culture as we (1) **know** / **be known** it today has its origins in gothic literature. The first gothic novel, *The Castle of Otranto*, was written in 1764 by Horace Walpole, establishing a genre which (2) **would become** / **has become** increasingly popular in the 19th century. Walpole, who (3) **would always be** / **had always been** fascinated with mediaeval history and architecture, wanted to write a novel in which old and new literary traditions (4) **were combined** / **were being combined**.

The result was a mixture of romance, horror and the supernatural. Many 19th-century works (5) **used to be inspired** /

were to be inspired by Walpole's novel, including Bram Stoker's *Dracula*.

While the gothic novel is mostly associated with the late 18th and 19th centuries, this kind of fiction (6) **continues** /

is continuing to be popular today. Stephenie Meyer's *Twilight*, for example, (7) **has been describing** / **has been described** as having gothic elements. This genre also has a close connection with music. In the early 1980s in England, a style

(8) **was emerging** / **had been emerging** that drew inspiration from the Gothic novel. Fans of bands like The Cure

(9) **had turned up** / **would turn up** for concerts in black clothes with pale made-up faces and dyed black hair. It wasn't long before Goths (10) **were appearing** / **used to appear** in other European countries as well as in the USA.

It's interesting to think that this culture, which (11) **is remaining** / **remains** popular today, (12) **has** / **has had** its roots in a literary movement that started centuries ago.

2 Complete the sentences. Use the words and the correct form of the verb given.

(8 x 1 = 8)

1. Researchers (not be able / explain) certain aspects of chimps' behaviour yet.
2. You (might / check) with me before you borrowed my new jacket.
3. When the documents (could not / find) anywhere, Jim started to worry.
4. Liam (will / play) football all morning so he'll be filthy when he gets home.
5. Theo hasn't told anyone about his plans yet; he (may / wait) for the right moment.
6. Don't worry – the work (not have to / finish) today.
7. Vanessa hasn't been invited for an interview so her application (can't / be) successful.
8. You (should / book) a hotel earlier as every hotel on the island seems to be full.

3 Circle the correct answer.

(12 x 1 = 12)

1. Hannah had a light lunch, as she friends for dinner in the evening.
 - a. met
 - b. was meeting
 - c. had met
 - d. would have met
2. The employee staffing the information desk more helpful.
 - a. can't be
 - b. shouldn't be
 - c. couldn't have been
 - d. wasn't able to be
3. According to this website, attendance at the festival all the time.
 - a. is increased
 - b. is increasing
 - c. increases
 - d. has increased
4. "Did you inform the police about what you saw?"
"Yes. They're questioning the car thieves at the station right now."
 - a. suspect
 - b. suspected
 - c. suspicious
 - d. unsuspecting
5. "I was the only one in my class who hadn't read the novel."
"But with a reading list?"
 - a. weren't you providing
 - b. hadn't you been provided
 - c. didn't they provide
 - d. haven't been you provided
6. In order to get to the office by 8, I leave the house by 7.30.
 - a. would have
 - b. have had to
 - c. would have had to
 - d. couldn't have to
7. "The conference hasn't attracted much interest this year."
"I hope it "
 - a. won't be cancelling
 - b. isn't going to be cancelled
 - c. isn't being cancelled
 - d. won't have been cancelled
8. This online course is open to everyone their level of education.
 - a. regardless of
 - b. without regarding
 - c. regardless
 - d. without regard
9. "What was your routine like on the research trip?"
"Well, I most of my time collecting data."
 - a. had spent
 - b. was spending
 - c. used to spend
 - d. would have spent
10. "Nick's work still isn't up to standard."
"He though."
 - a. can have been trying
 - b. wouldn't have tried
 - c. couldn't try
 - d. must be trying
11. "Robyn finally apologized."
"I should so too!"
 - a. think
 - b. be thinking
 - c. be thought
 - d. have thought
12. Runners participating in tomorrow's marathon at the starting point by 9 am.
 - a. is due to be
 - b. are able to be
 - c. will have been
 - d. are to be