

GRAMMAR

1 Complete the sentences with the correct word(s).

Example: You've got such a terrible cold – you really need to look after yourself
you one yourself

- 1 The villagers _____ left the area because they had difficulty growing food.
may understood to are thought to have
- 2 We're _____ find a petrol station soon – we've been driving for hours.
must sure bound to
- 3 Not until you've seen the evidence _____ believe what I'm telling you.
you will you'll will you
- 4 I'll be back in a minute. I'm just going to wash these _____.
cups of coffee coffee's cups coffee cups
- 5 Let me _____ you, please! I'm sure it will be done quicker if we work together.
help helping to help
- 6 It looks _____ it's going to rain soon.
that as if though
- 7 I don't really like rap music, but Andrew _____.
likes doesn't does
- 8 As I was _____, if we can borrow your parent's car, we'll be able to go to the festival.
said to say saying
- 9 _____ you need is a cup of coffee and a big slice of chocolate cake!
The reason What The thing which
- 10 The boss told me she _____ in a couple of years.
will be retiring due to retire is about to
- 11 Jon has started jogging every day _____ he wants to enter the Marathon des Sables.
because due to owing
- 12 We would rather _____ in August, but we ended up going in September because it was much cheaper.
we went have gone that we go

End-of-course Test
Listening and Speaking **B****2 Complete the sentences with the correct form of the verb(s) in brackets.**

Example: I wasn't able to go to the concert at the weekend because I had to (have to) work late.

- 1 I was having a nap when the doorbell _____ (ring).
- 2 How long _____ you and Dimitri _____ (be go out)?
- 3 Steve seems _____ (be work) much too hard over the past few weeks. He needs a holiday!
- 4 You would've seen the winning goal if you _____ (be pay) attention to the match!
- 5 It's so overcrowded! We _____ (not used to) seeing so many people here.
- 6 I wish that I _____ (not give) Johnathon my phone number.
- 7 I'd rather you _____ (not use) your mobile phones during the lecture.
- 8 Do you think we could get someone _____ (advise) us about electric cars?
- 9 It _____ just _____ (be announce) that the new business will create 60 local jobs.
- 10 What time did you say the performance was due _____ (start)?
- 11 I would _____ (organize) a barbecue if I had known how good the weather was going to be!
- 12 Did you see some kids _____ (play) cricket here this morning?
- 13 If you _____ (wake up) earlier this morning, you wouldn't be in a rush now.
- 14 I started practising yoga while I _____ (working) in Thailand.

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Listening and Speaking **B****3 Complete the sentences with one word.**

Example: We enjoyed the competition even though we didn't win it.

- 1 Is Daniel a friend _____ your brother's?
- 2 Not _____ is it snowing, but the car also won't start!
- 3 I went to the post office in _____ to buy some stamps.
- 4 **A** Did Nina pass her driving test?
B I'm afraid _____. Maybe next time.
- 5 When I was young, my mother _____ always bake cakes on a Saturday.
- 6 Clara can't have got my message, _____ she would have called me.
- 7 It is believed _____ many of the animal species in the area are still undiscovered.
- 8 Evie loves animals and Ellie even more _____.
- 9 Excuse me. Are you the man _____ smartphone was stolen?
- 10 The circuits class was full of women, all of _____ seemed fitter than me.
- 11 _____ to the radio travel report, several bridges are closed today because of the bad weather.
- 12 I've lost my wallet with the tickets in it. In _____ words, we can't go to the concert.
- 13 _____ Ilaria wants to do is dance. Nothing else!
- 14 I don't have time to go to the barbecue. In _____ case, I'm a vegan so I don't eat meat.

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VOCABULARY

4 Complete the sentences with one word made from the word in brackets.

Example: After his illness, it took him several months to get his strength back.

- 1 After university, Richard and I formed a _____ (partner) and started our own business.
- 2 Sorry but you'll need to do this work again – it's totally _____ (standard).
- 3 I just couldn't resist the _____ (tempt) to buy these red shoes in the sale!
- 4 The Arctic may be an _____ (hospitable) environment but it is home to many types of animal.
- 5 Do you know what kind of _____ (curricular) activities the university offers?
- 6 We need to know your _____ (high) and shoe size before you can hire the skis.
- 7 Several species of reptile happily _____ (exist) on the island.
- 8 After the crash, the _____ (wound) were taken to hospital for treatment.
- 9 It was because of your uncle's _____ (generous) we were able to buy this flat.
- 10 We _____ (estimate) how many people would want the job. We've had far more applications than we were expecting!

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5 Underline the correct word(s).

Example: It's the summer holidays, so I've got time on my hands / head.

- 1 Many endangered species are now only bred *in captivity* / *inhumane conditions*.
- 2 There isn't any harm in telling a *grey* / *white* lie every now and again, is there?
- 3 The neighbour's dog always *roars* / *barks* furiously at anyone who walks past their gate.
- 4 Just look at that view – it's absolutely *imposing* / *breathtaking*!
- 5 The door of the spooky castle *creaked* / *crunched* when it closed behind us!
- 6 According to a government source, the troops have *surrendered* / *released* and will be flown home in a few days.
- 7 I wouldn't want you to get *away with it* / *into trouble* – don't break any rules.
- 8 It's a pity that when inflation goes up, so does the *cost* / *standard* of living.
- 9 I think this omelette's almost ready – I'll just flip it over with the *sieve* / *spatula*.
- 10 Wow! The child's face in this *portrait* / *still life* is incredibly lifelike!

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Listening and Speaking **B****6 Read the definitions and complete the words.**

Example: speak in a very soft voice = to **w**hisper

- 1 very monotonous, boring = **t**_____
- 2 the system of money that a country uses = **c**_____
- 3 making you think seriously about a particular subject or issue = **th**_____ - _____
- 4 to refuse politely to accept or do something = **d**_____
- 5 cheap, badly made and/or not in good taste = **t**_____
- 6 remove from power using force = to **o**_____
- 7 a group of words whose meaning is different from the meaning of the individual words, for example *it was a piece of cake* (= it was easy) = an **i**_____
- 8 expressing opinions strongly and with confidence so people take notice = **a**_____
- 9 put off until later = to **p**_____
- 10 (organization or activity) not large in size or extent; limited in what it does = **s**_____ - **s**_____

End-of-course Test Listening and Speaking B

7 Complete the sentences with the correct word(s).

Example: Sorry, I can't talk now. I'm a bit short of time!

spare ~~short~~ matter

- 1 Surely you doesn't believe that? It's a completely _____ explanation!
impractical irrational irregular
- 2 Jaime's on _____ leave at the moment because his wife's just had a baby.
paternity compassionate maternity
- 3 The city has been peaceful since the two armies agreed on a temporary _____.
treaty revolution ceasefire
- 4 Unfortunately, my father's went bankrupt because his business failed during the _____.
recession instalment inflation
- 5 What's that actor's name again? It on the tip of my _____!
elbow tongue nose
- 6 Every time a boy walked past them, the girls started _____.
buzzing clicking giggling
- 7 Working for a homeless charity might not pay that well, but it's a very _____ job.
heavy going reliable rewarding
- 8 I got the _____ that Mrs Reid wasn't interested in what we had to say.
way act impression
- 9 I can't understand how anyone could ill-treat an animal. It's totally _____!
incoherent immoral incompetent
- 10 It was such a _____ story. I couldn't stop thinking about it for days.
depressing haunting witty

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