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Grammar, Vocabulary, and Pronunciation B

GRAMMAR

1 Read the answers and make questions.

Example: He bought his new phone on the internet.

Where did he buy his new phone?

1 We go to the supermarket once a week.

2 My favourite singer is Beyoncé.

3 He usually gets up at half past seven.

4 She can speak three languages.

5 I've been to China but not to Japan.

6 She's studying because she has a test on Monday.

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2 Use the words to write positive (+) and negative (-) sentences and questions (?) with the present perfect.

Example: Courtney / act / in two Hollywood films (+)

Courtney has acted in two Hollywood films.

1 Sebastien / fall / in love again (+)

2 anyone / find / my notebook (?)

3 your parents / be / to Egypt before (?)

4 Stefan / hear / Eva sing before (-)

5 They / see / this film four times (+)

6 you / ever / eat / Brazilian food (?)

7 I / download / any new apps recently (-)

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3 Complete the dialogue by putting the verbs in brackets into the present perfect or the past simple.

- A Have you been (you / be) to the UK before?
 B No, I ¹ _____. This is my first visit. What about you?
 A I ² _____ (come) here last summer to study English in London.
 B Did you ³ _____ (go) to Westminster Abbey?
 B Yes, and to Buckingham Palace. Do you know, I ⁴ _____ (meet) Prince Harry about 10 years ago.
 A Wow! I ⁵ _____ (not / meet) anyone famous.
 B It ⁶ _____ (be) when he came to Warsaw with his father. We all ⁷ _____ (wait) outside the town hall to see them. It was great.

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Grammar total		20
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VOCABULARY

4 Find the odd word out.

Example: book magazine journalist newspaper

- 1 accountant architect builder garage
 2 hospital theatre chemist's doctor
 3 beautiful tired stressed bored
 4 cupboard lamp ceiling armchair
 5 sister niece uncle aunt
 6 study wardrobe bathroom kitchen

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5 Write the past participle of the verbs.

Example: forget forgotten

- 1 see _____
 2 give _____
 3 buy _____
 4 eat _____
 5 do _____
 6 sing _____
 7 take _____

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6 Complete the sentences using the past participle of one of the verbs in the box.

~~forget~~ leave make break write spend wear
have

Example: Sorry, I've forgotten to bring my dictionary again. It's on my desk at home.

- 1 Children, have you _____ all your money on sweets?
- 2 He's _____ the email but he hasn't sent it.
- 3 The restaurant is empty. Everyone has _____.
- 4 I don't think she likes the dress I gave her. She hasn't _____ it.
- 5 Have you ever _____ dinner at Chez Franck?
- 6 I've _____ my glasses. Can you read this text message for me?
- 7 I've _____ some tea. Would you like a cup?

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Vocabulary total		20
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PRONUNCIATION

7 Match the words with the same sound.

bought ~~friend~~ given spoken done got

Example: spent friend

- 1 download _____
- 2 lost _____
- 3 fallen _____
- 4 sung _____
- 5 written _____

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8 Underline the stressed syllable.

Example: re|cent|ly

- 1 ex|pe|ri|ence
- 2 e|pi|sode
- 3 con|ti|nent
- 4 sound|track
- 5 for|go|tten

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Pronunciation total		10
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Reading and Writing B

READING

1 Read the interview and tick (✓) A, B, or C.

Interview with Aleksandr Ivanov

Last weekend our journalist met Olympic skier Aleksandr Ivanov to ask him about his life and work.

Experience

I'm from St Petersburg in the north-west of Russia but I'm living in Alberta, Canada at the moment because it's where some of the greatest skiing teachers are. My wife and three children are still at home but I'm going to go back to Russia in two months. I learned to ski when I was four years old and that's normal for Russian children because it always snows a lot in winter. I was lucky because a famous skier, Oleg Semenov, knew my father and together they helped me to get better and better until I could ski at the highest level. Because I travel a lot, I've learned a lot of languages – English, German and French. I think French is the easiest.

Lifestyle and tastes

I work hard. I get up at 5 a.m., go to the gym for two hours, then go out in the snow for 5 or 6 hours every day. I eat healthily and I haven't drunk any alcohol for many years. At home in Russia, I have dinner with my family in the evening. I often cook the meal because I find it helps me to relax. Sometimes we go out to the theatre, but most evenings I prefer to relax at home and listen to classical music or watch a film on TV. I also play the piano – my wife says quite badly – and I enjoy taking photos. There are some of my photos in one of the art galleries in St Petersburg.

Places

I have fallen in love with Canada. The Nordic Centre where I train is in Canmore, Alberta and the mountains here are fantastic. I'm going to come back next year. Another favourite place is Geneva in Switzerland. Of course, I've been there to ski but I've also visited in summer when it is very sunny and warm. It's an interesting city but it isn't cheap so you can't go out every night. There's a lot to see and last year I had a nice surprise when I found a beautiful Russian church. I feel very comfortable in Geneva.

Example: Aleksandr Ivanov is married.

A True ✓ B False ☐ C Doesn't say ☐

1 Aleksandr isn't living with his family at the moment.

A True ☐ B False ☐ C Doesn't say ☐

2 His wife skis very well.

A True ☐ B False ☐ C Doesn't say ☐

3 He started skiing when he was a child.

A True ☐ B False ☐ C Doesn't say ☐

4 He can speak more than two languages.

A True ☐ B False ☐ C Doesn't say ☐

5 He doesn't enjoy cooking.

A True ☐ B False ☐ C Doesn't say ☐

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- 6 He only goes to Geneva in winter.
A True ☐ B False ☐ C Doesn't say ☐
- 7 He likes going to church with his family on Sundays.
A True ☐ B False ☐ C Doesn't say ☐

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2 Read the text again and answer the questions.

- 1 Why is Aleksandr living in Alberta, Canada?

- 2 Where do his wife and children live?

- 3 Which famous skier did Aleksandr's father know?

- 4 How long does Aleksandr ski every day?

- 5 At home in Russia, who does he have dinner with?

- 6 What musical instrument can he play?

- 7 What did he find in Geneva last year?

- 8 Does he think Geneva is expensive?

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Reading total		15
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WRITING

Describe your life. Choose two or more ideas from the list. (75–100 words)

- 1 Your tastes (music, books, films, etc.)
- 2 Your lifestyle (daily activities, ways to relax, etc.)
- 3 Your home (house, rooms, pets, etc.)
- 4 Your abilities (languages, musical instruments, etc.)
- 5 Your favourite places (in your town, for holidays, etc.)
- 6 Your work experiences (first job, worst job, etc.)

My tastes:
I like ... music...

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Reading and Writing total		25
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Listening and Speaking B

LISTENING

1 Listen to a radio interview. Tick (✓) A or B.

- 1 Rafaella has been to Britain before.
A True ☐ B False ☐
- 2 Her mum and dad are Mexican.
A True ☐ B False ☐
- 3 Rafaella arrived in Manchester three months ago.
A True ☐ B False ☐
- 4 Rafaella couldn't play football in high school.
A True ☐ B False ☐
- 5 Johnny thinks she speaks British English badly.
A True ☐ B False ☐

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2 Listen to five conversations. Tick (✓) A or B.

- 1 Gabe's friend Jill _____ his favourite films.
A has seen ☐ B hasn't seen ☐
- 2 Emilio _____.
A met someone new on Saturday ☐ B hasn't met anyone new recently ☐
- 3 The _____ restaurant is cheaper.
A Italian ☐ B Indian ☐
- 4 Nigel hasn't visited _____.
A Bogota ☐ B Cartagena ☐
- 5 Imogen _____ to talk to a famous person.
A would like ☐ B doesn't want ☐

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Listening total		10
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SPEAKING

1 Ask your partner these questions.

- 1 What was the title of the last film you saw?
- 2 Did you enjoy it?
- 3 Have you seen any films in English or any other foreign languages?
- 4 Have you ever been on TV? When?
- 5 Would you like to be a TV star? Why? Why not?

Now answer your partner's questions.

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2 Read the information about a Hollywood film star and answer your partner's questions.

Meryl Black

Lives – Hollywood, California

Favourite place – Copacabana beach in Brazil

Favourite actor – Angelina Jolie

Pets – a dog and a cat

Hopes – to be in a play in a London theatre

3 Your partner has information about a British TV star. Make questions and ask your partner.

- What / name?
- Where / live?
- What / favourite place?
- Who / favourite writer?
- Pets?
- What / hope to do?

Speaking total		15
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