

Unit 2 Test 1A

Name: _____

Grammar

1 Choose the correct option.

- 1 John's dad works in construction, **as** / **like** do all his uncles.
- 2 With your hair straightened you look just **as** / **like** your sister!
- 3 I'm really stressed about my exams, **as** / **unlike** Freya, who doesn't seem bothered at all .
- 4 **Like** / **Unlike** Jonas, I had trained hard for the race. However, I knew I had the advantage.
- 5 **As** / **Like** a good friend, my dog can always tell if I'm upset.

Mark ___/5

2 Rewrite the sentences using *as*, *like*, and *unlike*.

- 1 I'm your best friend, and I would advise you to break up with him.

- 2 My brother is really lazy. I'm really sporty.

- 3 Look at that coat – I have one that is the same.

- 4 Enrico is going to be a doctor. His brother is too.

- 5 Stop behaving as if you were a clown!

Mark ___/5

Vocabulary

3 Choose the correct words to complete the sentences.

- 1 He's quite famous because he was the first to sail around the world _____.
A far-reaching B single-handed C self-assured D single-minded
- 2 It's a _____ story of poverty and suffering in Ireland in the early 20th century.
A cool-headed B kind-hearted C heart-breaking D light-hearted
- 3 This new actor is becoming very popular – in fact he's a bit of a _____.
A blockbuster B film buff C love story D heart throb
- 4 I like this cartoon, but I don't think it would work well as a _____ film..
A long-lasting B time-consuming C last-minute D feature-length
- 5 Celia is so _____ sometimes, she's always losing her keys, her phone, or something.
A absent-minded B narrow-minded C fair-minded D single-minded

Mark ___/5

4 Complete the sentences with the correct form of the words below.

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- 1 In this time of _____ hardship, many people are really struggling.
- 2 The young author was delighted when his first novel won a _____ award.
- 3 Charlie Chaplain was among the many people in show business who were suspected of having communist _____ during the Cold War.
- 4 George Orwell's novel Animal Farm is a _____ attack on totalitarian dictators.
- 5 He was found guilty of fraud, but later evidence meant that the verdict was _____.

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Total ___/20

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Grammar

1 Complete the pairs of sentences with the correct past tense form of the words in capitals.

1 EAT

- a) I arrived late at the party and everyone _____ dinner. I was starving for the rest of the evening.
- b) I arrived late at the party and everyone _____ dinner. Luckily it was a buffet, so I just filled a plate and joined them.

2 READ

- a) I've _____ her autobiography. It's sad but it has a heart-warming ending
- b) I've _____ her autobiography. I'm up to the part where she released her first album.

3 LIVE

- a) My uncle _____ in Nigeria for nine years when the political situation deteriorated. He moved back to the UK last year.
- b) My uncle _____ in Nigeria for nine years. He really likes it there.

4 GRADUATE

- a) My cousin went to university in 2010 and _____ in 2013. She dropped out in her second year and became an actress – much to my aunt's dismay!
- a) My cousin went to university in 2010 and _____ in 2013. I've kind of lost touch with her since she went away, so I don't know if she did get her degree.

5 RUN

- a) I _____ through the park and managed to catch the bus on the other side.
- b) I _____ through the park when I saw a boy snatch an old lady's handbag.

Mark __/10

Vocabulary

2 Choose the correct word to complete the sentences.

- 1 The sound of a bell **summoned** / **urged** / **wailed** all the students to the dining room.
- 2 Our big fat cat **smudges** / **savages** / **lurks** / under the bushes by the gate and jumps out on the feet of unsuspecting strangers.
- 3 There are many groups who would like to **mimic** / **disprove** / **snub** the theory that global warming is a man-made phenomenon.
- 4 The idea of a new tram system was popular at first, but support started to **stumble** / **dwindle** / **dismal** as people realised just how much it would cost.
- 5 The argument on the pitch, and the court case which **ensued** / **baffled** / **frenzied** were widely reported in the newspapers. The footballer's reputation was badly damaged.

Mark __/5

Everyday English

3 Complete the dialogue with one word in each gap.

A Look at that dog. I've seen it here before, I think it _____ be lost.

B What a shame! It's got a collar. Someone _____ be looking for it.

A Well, they _____ be looking very hard. It's been in the same place all day.

B It _____ hungry. Shall we take it home and feed it?

A OK, then. I _____ who you're supposed to phone about a lost dog. Is it the police, do you think?

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