

# Unit 4 Test 1A

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

## Grammar

### 1 Choose the correct words to complete the sentences.

- 1 It was her dream to move to Australia, but she doesn't seem **rather** / **any** happier over there than she was here.
- 2 The hungrier you are, **the more** / **more** you think about snacking.
- 3 The traffic in this town is just getting worse and **worse** / **worst**.
- 4 I like the new café, but it is **rather** / **rather more** expensive than the old one. It's not obvious, but it all adds up.
- 5 Do you really think this flat is smaller? It feels **any more** / **much more** spacious than the other one.

**Mark** \_\_/5

### 2 Complete the sentences with comparative and superlative phrases that include the words in brackets.

- 1 That was a delicious meal. Luigi's is \_\_\_\_\_ Italian restaurant in town.  
(EASILY)
- 2 I did enjoy the first film, but I have to say, I think the sequel is \_\_\_\_\_. (RATHER)
- 3 I don't know what you're worried about. Look at these designs. Yours is \_\_\_\_\_.  
(MILE)
- 4 The music at the party was pretty awful, but it wasn't \_\_\_\_\_ that band that played at Lucy's wedding. They were dreadful. (QUITE)
- 5 I'm not staying in some cheap motel this year, It's 5 star luxury or nothing. I want \_\_\_\_\_! (VERY)

**Mark** \_\_/5

## Vocabulary

### 3 Complete each sentence with a noun formed from one of the verbs in brackets.

- 1 My parents' house used to be a barn. They completed the \_\_\_\_\_ before I was born, but I've seen pictures. (ADAPT, CONVERT)
- 2 I'm going to make some \_\_\_\_\_ to the brightness of the screen, then the picture should be clearer. (ALTER, EVOLVE)
- 3 Lawrence has made some \_\_\_\_\_ to his scooter. It goes a lot faster now, but it's really dangerous. (MODIFY, TRANSFORM)
- 4 That neighbourhood was a slum before the Olympic Games – it's undergone a complete \_\_\_\_\_. (ADJUST, TRANSFORM)
- 5 I've built a prototype of my new invention. It might need some \_\_\_\_\_, but I think the basic idea is pretty amazing. (REFINE, CONVERT)

**Mark \_\_\_\_/5**

### 4 Complete the sentences with a suitable expression with *change*.

- 1 I was going to sell my bike, but I've had a \_\_\_\_\_. I'm going to donate it to the local youth project.
- 2 I've been quite selfish recently, but I'm going to \_\_\_\_\_, I promise! I'm taking my little sister to the zoo on Saturday.
- 3 I love antiques. Look at this desk. It must have \_\_\_\_\_ over the years, but someone has always looked after it.
- 4 Well, we were going to go away this summer, but now there's been a \_\_\_\_\_. Dad fancies a skiing holiday, so we're not having a summer holiday.
- 5 Dave used to go on and on about how stupid social networking was, what a waste of time... He's certainly \_\_\_\_\_ now he's got a smart phone. He's on it all the time, doing stupid updates!

**Mark \_\_\_\_/5**

**Total \_\_\_\_/20**

# Unit 4 Test 2A

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

## Grammar

### 1 Read and complete the sentences with an appropriate conditional structure.

- 1 You didn't bring an umbrella. You're soaking wet now!

If \_\_\_\_\_

- 2 Jake didn't phone me on Saturday, so I didn't tell him about the party.

Had \_\_\_\_\_

- 3 We don't live in the same town, so we don't see each other regularly.

If \_\_\_\_\_

- 4 If they don't finish the building work, the students won't have anywhere to study.

Unless \_\_\_\_\_

- 5 I phoned ahead to make reservations, so we got a table at the restaurant.

Suppose \_\_\_\_\_

**Mark** \_\_\_/5

### 2 Read the sentences and cross out words to make reduced relative clauses where possible.

- 1 Many of the people who were at the concert complained about the singer's performance.

- 2 The two cars that were involved in the accident have been towed away by police.

- 3 The injured birds that I helped to rescue from the oil spill recovered in the sanctuary.

- 4 I couldn't join the library this afternoon because I didn't have all of the paperwork that is required.

- 5 The man who Leona chatted to on the plane turned out to be a famous comedian.

**Mark** \_\_\_/5

## Vocabulary

### 3 Choose the correct words to complete the sentences.

- 1 An accident at work meant that my grandfather faced a(n) \_\_\_\_\_ retirement.  
A protracted    B enforced    C brief    D tortuous
- 2 Teaching at the drama school has given me plenty of experience of \_\_\_\_\_ parents.  
A overbearing    B mollycoddled    C impressionable    D stormy
- 3 I know my parents have a(n) \_\_\_\_\_ relationship, but underneath all the arguments, I think they are OK.  
A shrewd    B stormy    C integral    D uplifting
- 4 If you really want to succeed you have to be able to thrive in a(n) \_\_\_\_\_ environment.  
A concession    B enforced    C competitive    D irreparable
- 5 The young gymnasts are only allowed a \_\_\_\_\_ childhood – they start training seriously at the age of five.  
A stormy    B protracted    C mollycoddled    D brief

**Mark** \_\_\_/5

## Everyday English

### 4 Complete the dialogue with one or two words in each gap.

**A** Well I think a clear \_\_\_\_\_ of the new supermarket is that cheaper goods will be available to everyone.

**B** Yes, I \_\_\_\_\_ along with that. Everyone likes a bargain, but \_\_\_\_\_, I think that independent shops provide a better service. And they sell local produce. It's better for the community.

**A** Hmmm. \_\_\_\_\_. I hadn't \_\_\_\_\_ that. But they are so expensive!

**Mark** \_\_\_/5

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