

# Unit 1 Test 1A

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

## Grammar

### 1 Choose the correct option.

- 1 When I was little, I **didn't use to** / **wouldn't** believe in Santa Claus, but I pretended to.
- 2 Argh! That cat **will** / **will** keep bringing dead mice to the door as 'presents'.
- 3 Now that it's dark in the evenings, I **used to** / **will usually** get the bus home from school.
- 4 Dad was always saying he wanted to lose weight, but he **would** / **will** keep eating all my chocolate biscuits!
- 5 I **often go** / **am forever going** to the swimming pool after school. I'm in the diving team and I love to practise.

**Mark \_\_/5**

### 2 Complete the sentences with a suitable verb form for habitual behaviour to make the meaning neutral (N) or disapproving (D). Underline words to show emphasis if necessary.

- 1 "I don't think the volleyball coach likes me much." "Yes, well, you \_\_\_\_\_ answer back and be cheeky." (D)
- 2 When we lived in Texas, I \_\_\_\_\_ love going out for ice cream every Saturday. (N)
- 3 I didn't mind working as a lifeguard at the beach. It was sunny, and my friends \_\_\_\_\_ stopping by to say hello. (N)
- 4 Mum's getting annoyed because Angela's boyfriend is \_\_\_\_\_ phoning at mealtimes. (D)
- 5 I hated the school lunches so much, I just couldn't eat them. I \_\_\_\_\_ be starving by the time I got home. (N)

**Mark \_\_/5**

## Vocabulary

### 3 Add appropriate prefixes to the words in the box, and use them to complete the sentences.

lingual      founder      paid      charged      centred

- 1 If you ask me, I think all professional footballers are \_\_\_\_\_. I mean, some of them get hundreds of thousands of pounds a month! It's crazy money.
- 2 My sister is so \_\_\_\_\_ – she never thinks about anyone else.
- 3 The summer course is a \_\_\_\_\_ one, so you can choose a combination of English, Spanish, French and German classes depending on your requirements.
- 4 It wasn't until I got out of the shop that I realised I'd been \_\_\_\_\_ by £5. I'm ashamed to say, I didn't go back to tell them.
- 5 My Dad was a \_\_\_\_\_ of this company. He and his brothers got together and started it in the 80s.

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

### 4 Read the sentences and decide whether the underlined words are right for the context. If they are incorrect, suggest a more appropriate word.

- 1 I'm sorry I haven't spent much time with you lately. I've been totally disorientated with the preparations for the school show. \_\_\_\_\_
- 2 So many people dressed up, and with the sounds of the old engines and the smell of the coal fires, the whole vintage show was really evocative of another era. \_\_\_\_\_
- 3 I tried to buy a simple coffee at the coffee shop on the High Street, but they asked me so many questions, I was bewildered by the choice. \_\_\_\_\_
- 4 The passengers started to feel really withdrawn about the abandoned rucksack, so they called airport security. \_\_\_\_\_
- 5 Our elderly neighbour was terrified when the dog lunged at her, barking and growling. All in all it was a really distraught experience for her. \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

# Unit 1 Test 2A

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

## Grammar

### 1 Choose the correct answers.

- 1 The train has been cancelled. We'll have to **allow it for** / **allow for** at least an hour's delay while they clear the track.
- 2 I don't know how you put **away** / **up** with all that noise from next door.
- 3 The teacher told us no-one would **do** / **get** away with cheating on the test.
- 4 I've asked Dad **to be dropped off** / **to drop me off** at the theatre at 7.
- 5 We told the headmaster that Dean **beat up** / **was beaten up** that kid in the gym.

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

### 2 Complete the sentences with the correct form of the phrasal verbs in brackets.

- 1 I've decided \_\_\_\_\_ (give up) watching the news – it's all so depressing.
- 2 The search for the missing teenager \_\_\_\_\_ (call off) when he turned up at his Granny's house.
- 3 Many adoption agencies want a child \_\_\_\_\_ (bring up) by parents of a similar background.
- 4 If you're looking for somewhere to stay in Paris I'm happy \_\_\_\_\_ (put up / you) for a few days.
- 5 The insurance company insisted that the repairs \_\_\_\_\_ (carry out) by a garage in London, which was very inconvenient.

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

## Vocabulary

### 3 Complete the collocations with an appropriate adverb.

- 1 All kinds of international products are now \_\_\_\_\_ available thanks to the internet.
- 2 The residents are \_\_\_\_\_ opposed to plans to build a new refuse facility in their area.
- 3 I'm really keen to try this \_\_\_\_\_ invented face cream – it's supposed to work miracles!
- 4 Eating and drinking are \_\_\_\_\_ prohibited in all areas except the canteen.
- 5 The jockey now \_\_\_\_\_ admits that he lost the race on purpose.

**Mark** \_\_/5

## Everyday English

### 4 Complete the dialogue with appropriate adverbs and phrasal verbs.

**A** I have no problem with \_\_\_\_\_ modified foods, I don't know what all the fuss is about.

**B** Well, I think it's \_\_\_\_\_ impossible to predict what impact they may have. People are worried that there may be \_\_\_\_\_ unforeseen mutations, for example.

**A** Yes, but I don't really \_\_\_\_\_ with that argument, because I think we've been manipulating crops for centuries. It doesn't really \_\_\_\_\_ to say that the new methods are more unnatural than the old ones.

**Mark** \_\_/5

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