

Unit 7 Test 1A

Name: _____

Grammar

1 Complete the sentences. Use pairs of words from the box with one –ing form.

fascinating / try pointless/wash pain/wait use/ask nice/see

- 1 It's a bit of a _____ for the bus, but it's much cheaper than a taxi.
- 2 It's really no _____ Dad for help. He's terrible at DIY.
- 3 I think it's _____ to imagine how people lived here in ancient times.
- 4 Well, it was _____ the car this morning – look at the pouring rain!
- 5 What a lovely weekend! It was _____ Grandma so happy in her new flat.

Mark ___/5

2 Rewrite the sentences using the words in capitals and an –ing form.

- 1 I don't want to consider the possibility that we might lose the match. THOUGHT
I hate _____
- 2 He's really concerned that they may get lost in the desert. WORRIED
He's really _____
- 3 Alan is sure he will get the grades he needs for university. CONFIDENT
Alan is _____
- 4 I think there's a strong possibility that you'll get the main part in the show. CHANCE
You've _____
- 5 Do you think it will feel odd to go back to your childhood home? STRANGE
Will it _____?

Mark ___/5

Vocabulary

3 Choose the correct answers.

- 1 My aunt has gone on a **voyage** / **pilgrimage** to the shrine at Lourdes. She's very religious.
- 2 If you need somewhere to stay in Sydney, my cousin can **put** / **pick** you up for a few days.
- 3 I'm so embarrassed. I just walked **in on** / **all over** Jonas in the shower. Oops.
- 4 It's late. We're going to have to **saunter** / **tiptoe** up the stairs or we'll wake my parents.
- 5 If we're going to the cinema, can we stop **by** / **off** on the way and get something to eat?

Mark ___/5

4 Complete the sentences with nouns made from the verbs below. There are three words that you do not need.

emit confide prescribe persecute supreme guide invade know

- 1 I'm afraid I can't sell you these painkillers without a doctor's _____.
- 2 Local people suspect that _____ from the factory are poisoning the water supply.
- 3 These refugees had to leave their country because of _____ by the militia.
- 4 If you are confused by university applications, ask your teacher for _____.
- 5 The Allied _____ of Normandy in 1944 was a critical point in the Second World War.

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Total ___/20

Unit 7 Test 2A

Name: _____

Grammar

1 Rewrite the sentences to emphasise the underlined element.

- 1 Mary crashed the car.

- 2 I have never tasted such delicious soup!

- 3 Alan lost Betsy's mobile phone.

- 4 He lost his wallet and he lost his house keys.

- 5 I don't like the smell, but I like the taste.

Mark ___/5

2 Decide whether the sentences are correct (C) or incorrect (I). Correct the incorrect sentences.

- 1 What I can't understand is how to attach the handles. C / I

- 2 Rarely he has visited the town he grew up in. C / I

- 3 Well, I suppose you can keep it, but the question is, what does it eat? C / I

- 4 On the sofa was sitting a policeman. C / I

- 5 What it is Johnny gave her, was an engagement ring. C / I

Mark ___/5

Vocabulary

3 Choose the correct word.

- 1 The diamond is rare and **exceedingly** / **excessively** valuable.
- 2 I don't think you can **infer** / **imply** a hidden agenda from his email, it's just an invitation.
- 3 He suffers from an **unreasonable** / **irrational** belief that his family is under a curse.
- 4 You can see the influence of **classic** / **classical** architecture in his design for the theatre.
- 5 The hardships **born** / **borne** by children growing up in these slums are hard to imagine.

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Everyday English

4 Complete the phrases in A and match them to phrases in B that have a similar meaning.

- | A | B |
|---------------------|-------------------|
| 1 detrimental _____ | A do damage |
| 2 _____ speaking | B results in |
| 3 major _____ | C negative impact |
| 4 leads _____ | D by and large |
| 5 cause _____ | E serious problem |

1 ____ 2 ____ 3 ____ 4 ____ 5 ____

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