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ANSWER KEY

GRAMMAR

A. Complete the text with the correct form of the verbs in brackets using Present Simple, Present Continuous and Past Simple.

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|---------------------------|-----------------------|
| (1) ...visited | (8) ..doesn't get |
| (2) .enjoyed | (9)...snows |
| (3) .are making | (10) ..is always |
| (4) ..has | (11) ..didn't like |
| (5) ..are | (12) ...was |
| (6) ...usually starts | (13) ..is shining |
| (7) ..sometimes continues | (14) ...isn't showing |

Choose the correct option to complete the text.

LOCH NESS MONSTER – A SHORT HISTORY

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|-------------------|-------------------|
| 1. c. where | 5. d. was walking |
| 2. b. --- / an | 6. c. which |
| 3. b. as large as | 7. d. may be |
| 4. a. heard | |
| 8. a. hasn't been | |

B. Write questions for the underlined phrases.

- (1) When did you go there / When did you go to Belgrade?...
- (2)... Where did you stay?
- (3)... Was it expensive?
- (4)... Do you want to go there again?
- (5)... Does he want to go there?
- (6)... What are you doing now?



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C. Circle the correct answer for each question to complete the dialogue.

(1) *are / is / do / does*

(2) *an / the / a / ---*

(3) *in / at / on /*

(4) *whose / which / that*

(5) *Neither do I. / Do you? / So do I. / Don't you?*

(6) *What did she like? / What did she look like? / What was she like? / What did she like doing?*

(7) *danced / dances / has danced / was dancing*

(8) *saw / seemed / made / wore*

(9) *think / am thinking / thought / was thinking*

(10) *call / to call / calling / called her now*

(11) *a / an / --- / the*

D. Read the text below and choose the correct answer for each blank.

PETS FOR CHRISTMAS? NO THANKS!

1. c) are left

5. d) after

9. d) whose

2. b) then

6. b) save

10. b) to grow up

3. c) many

7. c) on

11. d) what

4. a) However

8.a) during

12. b) worry

E. Choose the correct option to complete the text.

WEST ANTARCTICA ICE-SHEET LOSS

1. a. has increased

6. a. which

11. b. to reverse

2. c. more quickly

7. b. has been

12. a. pay / won't have

3. b. is rising

8. b. are caused

13. a. are starting

4. d. the

9. d. worse

14. c. should help

5. c. might lose

10. c. The

15. a. Furthermore



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F. Choose the correct option to complete the text.

20 YEARS AFTER A GREY BOX CHANGED GAMING FOREVER

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|------------------|------------------|------------------------|
| 1. a. was sold | 6. b. who | 11. a. could |
| 2. c. was seen | 7. d. has fought | 12. a. as expensive as |
| 3. a. were doing | 8. d. many | 13. d. presenting |
| 4. d. few | 9. b. had to | 14. c. will use |
| 5. b. creating | 10. c. used to | 15. b. Therefore |

G. Choose the correct option to complete the text.

ART NOUVEAU

- | | |
|---------------------|-----------------------------|
| 1. d. was / started | 5. a. more functional than |
| 2. b. the / an | 6. b. Many |
| 3. a. celebrate | 7. d. opened / was sweeping |
| 4. c. the / the | 8. c. has remained |

H. Circle the correct modal verb to complete the text below.

The World of Work

- I (1) *must / mustn't / have to / don't have to*
- (2) *shouldn't / don't have to / should / have to*
- (3) *may / might / should / could*
- (4) *mustn't / shouldn't / didn't have to / couldn't*
- (5) *had to / must / should / might*
- (6) *didn't have to / couldn't / had to / could*
- (7) *must / mustn't / had to / didn't have to*
- (8) *could / should / might / may* be good at time-management.



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VOCABULARY

A. Fill in the blanks with the correct words from the box. There are two extra words.

approximately peaceful attach obedient achieve curiously tomb impressive

The Great Pharaoh

- (1) ...**approximately**
- (2) ...**tomb**
- (3) ...**achieve**.
- (4) ...**peaceful**
- (5) ...**obedient**...
- (6) ...**impressive**

B. Choose the correct option to complete the text.

WITHOUT A ROOF

1. **c. opportunities**
2. **a. insurance**
3. **b. prevent**
4. **d. Employers**
5. **a. damages**
6. **b. responsible**
7. **c. assistance**

C. Choose the correct option to complete the sentences.

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|--------------------------|-------------------------|
| 1. b. admire | 5. d. factory |
| 2. d. motivation | 6. a. quit |
| 3. b. vaccination | 7. c. recommends |
| 4. b. illness | |



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D. Fill in the blanks with the correct words from the box. There are two extra words.

waste contain landmark worth threaten hang out widespread conduct

La Tomatina- The festival of tomatoes

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|------------------|----------------|
| (1)...threaten | (4)...hang out |
| (2)...widespread | (5)...contain |
| (3)...waste | (6)...worth |

E. Fill in the blanks with the correct words from the box. There are two extra words.

Investor prediction plant hopeless put off reward childcare distraction pressure

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|---------------------|-----------------------|
| 1. plant | 6. childcare |
| 2. investor | 7. distraction |
| 3. put off | 8. reward |
| 4. hopeless | 9. prediction |
| 5. pressure. | |

F. Choose the correct option to complete the paragraphs.

1. **c. headlines**
2. **b. serious**
3. **a. prevent**

• Professor Glassie wants us to

1. **d. article**
2. **a. reveals**
3. **b. research**

• In the history class,

1. **d. civilizations**
2. **a. cultivating**
3. **c. attackers**



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- When I was at high school,

1. **b. volunteered**

2. **a. provided**

- Interstellar, the blockbuster

1. **a. fascinating**

2. **b. proud of**

READING

1. **Read the text below and answer the following questions.**

SHARKS

- A. **Circle the correct answer.**

1. **What is this reading mainly about?**

d)some basic facts about sharks

2. **In paragraph II, “breathe” could be replaced by**

b) give and take air

3. **In what way are sharks similar to other fish?**

a)body temperature

4. **In paragraph V, “they” refers to**

c) sharks' pups

5. **Which of the following does NOT help sharks survive?**

d)swimming 7 to 12 km

- B. **Read the sentences below and circle T (True) or F (False). Correct the false sentences.**

1. **(F) Its bones are tough and flexible.**

2. **(F) Sharks have been around for about 400 million years. / Dinosaurs don't exist anymore.**

3. **(T)**

4. **(F) They can also increase in number by giving birth to live babies.**

5. **(T)**



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2. Read the text below and answer the questions that follow.

ROUND AND ROUND

1. Which of the following is NOT TRUE according to paragraph I?
c. Trains and planes get louder when a tornado starts to occur.
2. What does the author find surprising about the tornado in Townbridge?
b. Many people survived it.
3. In paragraph IV, the word “*severe*” is closest in meaning to
a. extreme
4. The ‘Tri-State Tornado’
d. travelled hundreds of kilometers
5. What does they refer to in paragraph VI?
d. scientists
6. It is difficult for scientists to predict a tornado because
c. tornadoes occur unexpectedly

3. Read the text below and answer the questions that follow.

SAVING LANGUAGES

1. Which of the following happened first?
d. Europeans went to America.
2. Which of the following statements is TRUE according to paragraph III?
d. Young people do not speak their native language as much as the elderly.
3. The word them in paragraph IV refers to
b. last speakers
4. What is the purpose of the Enduring Voices Project and the schools in Flathead?
d. to save Native American languages
5. In paragraph V, the phrase “*pass on*” is closest in meaning to
b. give something to your children
6. Which of the following statements would the author of this text NOT agree with?
d. Older members of Native American tribes should speak English.



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4. MAIN IDEA IN A PARAGRAPH

A. Choose the best main idea statement.

1. Many children
 - b. **Pets may be good for children.**

2. When people think.....
 - c. **There are many different sizes, shapes, and colors of mushrooms.**

3. The first truly mass
 - b. **People became more aware of daily news thanks to newspapers.**

5. READING FOR DETAILS - SCANNING

A. Scan the timetable above (go through the timetable very quickly) and answer the questions.

Kadıköy - Eminönü / Ferry Lines			
Working Days		Sunday	
Kadıköy-Departure	Eminönü-Arrival	Kadıköy-Departure	Eminönü-Arrival
7.00	7.20	08.05	08.25
7.20	7.40	08.25	08.45
7.35	7.55	08.45	09.05
7.50	08.10	09.05	09.25
08.05	08.25	09.25	09.45
08.25	08.45	09.45	10.05

1. **at 7.00.....**
2. **6.....**
3. **09.05....**
4. **1.....**
5. **20 minutes.....**
6. **4.....**



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B. Scan the text and answer the questions.

EARTHQUAKES

1. How many volcanoes are there on the Pacific ring of fire?.....**850**.....
2. How many earthquakes does Dr. Chris Bowitt record in a year?.....**30.000**.....
3. What is the percentage of population living in towns and cities today.....**45%**.....
4. When was United Nations International Decade for Natural Disaster Reduction founded?..**1990**

6. MAKING INFERENCES

A. Read the following text and answer the inference questions.

1. **A city in Burma.**(Clue: other cities in Burma...)
2. **In Souteast Asia.**(Clue:neighbouring Southeast Asian countries)
3. **Three men from** (Clue: ...of the seven...two were....two from...and the remainder)
4. **Successful** (Clue:..produced significant results)

B. Read the paragraph and decide which statement can be inferred from the paragraph.

1. **b. The writer thinks bats are interesting animals with special characteristics.**
2. **a. Count Dracula was an imaginary character.**
3. **b. People may fear creatures, which live in the dark.**
4. **a. Bats are harmless because they eat insects and fruit.**

ANSWER KEY: 1.a 2.d 3.b 4.a 5.c 6.c. 7.d 8.d 9.b 10.a 11.c 12. c 13.d

C. Read the text below and answer the questions.

THE ELEPHANT

A. Choose the correct answer.



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1. d) make interested
2. a) fall
3. b) fight
4. d) humans are pushing elephants out of their habitat
5. c) do not always solve the problem
6. a) farmers in Africa do not earn much

B. Answer the following questions.

1. Researchers and tourists
2. To grow wood
3. Because they eat food from the fields.
4. Europeans
5. Because the world economy collapsed.
6. Hunters began using more sophisticated equipment.
7. Because humans use the same land.
8. They attract tourists.