

TEST 1a (MODULE 1)

NAME: DATE:
CLASS: MARK: ____/100

(Time: 50 minutes)

Vocabulary and Grammar

A. Fill in: *estimated, wandering, opening, opportunity, crowded, bumpy, reputation, volunteers, condition, crept.*

- 1 The play's night was a huge success.
- 2 I had the to go to Paris and study.
- 3 The thief around the house without making a noise.
- 4 The company has a for high-quality service.
- 5 Her fortune was recently at £37 million.
- 6 By 10 am, the city streets were noisy and
- 7 Driving over the road made her feel quite sick.
- 8 We spent the entire day around the zoo.
- 9 Two of the burns victims were still in critical last night.
- 10 Mike Maxwell at a shelter for the homeless.

(Points: ____
10×2 20)

B. Complete the phrases with the following words: *tight, heart, package, rough, exchange.*

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| 1 deal | 4 programme |
| 2 budget | 5 defect |
| 3 seas | |

(Points: ____
5×2 10)

C. Fill in: *off (x2), with, for, on.*

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| 1 Nancy is very keen playing tennis. | 4 She is obsessed her weight and keeping fit. |
| 2 Jamaica is famous its beaches and warm climate. | 5 When I left for Europe, Tony came to see me at the airport. |
| 3 The plane took on time and we arrived in London at 2:30. | |

(Points: ____
5×2 10)

D. Join the sentences. Use relatives.

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| 1 John is my cousin. He is a magician. | 4 Dennis is going to Paris. He will visit the Eiffel Tower there. |
| 2 York is a city. It is in the north of England. | 5 This is the piano. He bought it at an auction. |
| 3 Mark Jacobs is the author. His book became a best seller. | |

(Points: ____
5×4 20)

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E. Read the text and complete gaps 1-7 with the correct form and tense of each verb in capitals.

A Once-in-a-lifetime Opportunity

Dogs have been man's best friends for centuries. Even today, they
1) just companions, but also the only means of travel for
many people who live in the Arctic. In parts of Greenland, for instance,
dog sledding still 2) a major role in people's lives as an
essential mode of transport during the winter and spring.

Although dog sledding 3) hundreds of years ago and was
used for hunting and travel, today it is mainly used to promote tourism,
especially through sled tours. Dog sledding is one of the best ways for
visitors to enjoy the amazing arctic scenery. Most people may
4) about dog sledding, but actually experiencing it is
completely different. In fact, many countries in the Arctic Circle
5) dog sled tours for decades. Some of them include
catching a glimpse of icebergs and glaciers by day, and 6)
in tents on the sea ice at night.

A visit to the Arctic region is a life-long dream for many travellers. Dog
sledding tours have a thrill and excitement that is incomparable to other
adventure holidays. Without a doubt, dog sledding 7) to
fascinate tourists in the future.

NOT BE

PLAY

DEVELOP

READ

ORGANISE

SLEEP

CONTINUE

(Points: _____
7×2 14)

F. Read the text and complete gaps 1-6 with the correct derivative of each word in capitals.

Underwater Hockey

Underwater hockey, or Octopush, is a fast-paced 1) sport
played at the bottom of a swimming pool. It was invented by divers in
England and it is 2) becoming a sport that is drawing a lot of
attention. Players wear a diving mask, fins, 3) gloves and a
snorkel. Playing underwater hockey is quite challenging. The object of the
game is to use a small stick to push the puck into a tray which acts as the
opponents' goal. Knowing when to dive and when to return to the surface
for air is part of the game's strategy. Although there are ten
4) in each team, only six are allowed in the water. As a
result, player substitutions can happen at any time, increasing the speed
and 5) of the game. Underwater hockey is growing in
6) and is a very exciting team water sport.

COMPETE

QUICK

PROTECT

PLAY

EXCITE

POPULAR

(Points: _____
6×2 12)

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G. Read the text. For gaps 1-7, choose A, B, C or D to complete each gap correctly.

Working towards a Dream

Most of us have fantasised about meeting our favourite actor, and I'm no different. Although I'm still in high school, I often dream of making films in New York City alongside one of Hollywood's superstars. I also have a **1)** for being quite ambitious and I guess that's one of the reasons why I joined the school's drama club. The drama club taught me a great deal about theatrical productions and has also **2)** wonders for my acting skills. Our school has a long tradition in drama and theatrical performances. In fact, our drama club works together with professional theatre companies that **3)** workshops for our drama students. Last year, our school staged *Oliver Twist* and I was Nancy. Performing in front of a live audience is one of the most intense feelings I have **4)** experienced in my life. This year our annual school production will be *Romeo and Juliet* and I will play the **5)** of Juliet! Performing Shakespeare is not easy, especially *Romeo and Juliet* which is **6)** in Italy in the 1500s. Nevertheless, we are all extremely excited as we know that the **7)** will be packed with people! I don't expect to become a star overnight, of course, but I do hope we keep the audience entertained and amused!

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| 1 A fame | B reputation | C renown | D character |
| 2 A achieved | B expressed | C made | D worked |
| 3 A function | B attend | C run | D find |
| 4 A ever | B often | C never | D always |
| 5 A person | B actor | C part | D portrayal |
| 6 A set | B placed | C put | D located |
| 7 A stage | B auditorium | C setting | D audience |

Points: _____
7×2 14