

COLEGIO DEL SAGRADO CORAZÓN ENGLISH MID-TERM WORKSHOP

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Test 4 - Module 4

VOCABULARY

A. Complete the sentences with the words in the box.

antivirus	expert	careless	cancel	sure	afford
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handy	failed	socialise	addicted
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1. I'm sorry Michael, but we'll have to _____ today's meeting.
2. You need to install a(n) _____ program in your computer.
3. Mark was disappointed when he _____ his driving test.
4. She couldn't _____ to buy the painting, so I lent her some money.
5. Young children can easily become _____ to computer games.
6. Bob thinks he's a(n) _____ in modern art.
7. This _____ gadget is also environmentally friendly.
8. Make _____ you charge the battery on your mobile before you leave.
9. It's difficult for me to _____ at parties where I don't know a lot of people.
10. Lisa is very _____ with her homework. She always makes mistakes.

B. Choose *a*, *b* or *c*.

1. Alice was ____ of money and had to borrow some from Matt.
 a. broke b. short c. saved
2. How easy is it to ____ what will happen in the future?
 a. predict b. exist c. destroy
3. ____ this button to turn on the machine.
 a. Create b. Enter c. Press
4. Alan has ____ my files by mistake!
 a. deleted b. caused c. delivered
5. Philip was ____ in traffic for hours the other day.
 a. annoying b. stuck c. worried
6. The ____ we went to yesterday was really impressive.
 a. exhibition b. image c. invention
7. On ____ Denise works ten hours a day.
 a. average b. total c. example
8. We must leave now because we're running _____.
 a. non-stop b. cash c. late

COMMUNICATION

Choose **a** or **b**.

1. **A:** By the way, when are you going to pay me back?

B: _____.

- a. Trust me. I won't forget about it.
- b. Go on then.

2. **A:** I bought this dress for 200 euros.

B: _____.

- a. I'm getting to that.
- b. What a waste of money!

3. **A:** Can I use this phone to make a phone call, please?

B: _____.

- a. I'm afraid it's out of order.
- b. I'm kidding.

4. **A:** Look at that amazing painting.

B: _____.

- a. It will do you good.
- b. What is it supposed to be?

GRAMMAR

A. Complete the sentences with the Present Simple or the Future *will* of the verbs in brackets.

1. As soon as I _____ (know) the results, I _____ (call) you.
2. He _____ (not be able to) help us until he _____ (finish) his homework.
3. When we _____ (visit) China, we _____ (see) the Great Wall.
4. Richard _____ (wash) his car before he _____ (go) to the gym.
5. After I _____ (read) this book, I _____ (go) to bed.
6. She _____ (buy) tickets when she _____ (get) to the train station.
7. As soon as the plane _____ (take off), we _____ (leave).
8. I _____ (not wait) until Bill _____ (arrive).

B. Complete with *too* or *enough* and the words in brackets.

1. Stacey is _____ (tired) to go to the cinema with her friends tonight.
2. Jason isn't running _____ (fast). He won't win the race.
3. I won't be able to walk through the park at 10 o' clock in the evening. It will be _____ (dark).
4. Hugh isn't _____ (tall). He can't become a basketball player.
5. Don't buy this dress. It's _____ (expensive).
6. Lucy was _____ (kind) to drive me to the airport yesterday.
7. It is _____ (late) now to find tickets for the concert.
8. Tomorrow the weather will be _____ (warm) for us to go swimming.

C. Complete the sentences with *who*, *which*, *that* or *where*. If they can be omitted, put them in brackets.

1. That's the artist _____ you met at my house last week.
2. Stratford-upon-Avon is the place _____ Shakespeare was born.
3. That's the house _____ Paul will buy.
4. Ron is the student _____ won the short story competition.
5. This is the street market _____ tourists can find lots of different things.
6. That's the boy _____ invited me to the school dance.
7. This is the café _____ my friends and I usually go in the afternoon.
8. Is that the girl _____ you were talking to a minute ago?

LISTEN

Listen to the dialogue and write T for True or F for False.

1. Kelly thinks that Mark uses his mobile a lot.
2. Mark has arranged to go camping at the weekend.
3. Kelly spends most of the day surfing the Net.
4. Kelly doesn't want to go camping with Mark.

READ

Read the text and answer the questions.

Twitter is one of the most popular and fastest growing websites in the world today. In fact, it's the third most popular social networking website on the Internet after *Facebook* and *MySpace*. *Twitter* isn't just about finding friends online. It's about getting the latest news as fast as possible. Many people call it the "SMS of the Internet." *Twitter* is something like a blog and a news site. You receive updates as soon as someone puts them on *Twitter*. When you get a new update, or "Tweet," the website sends it to your mobile, too. That way, you know what's happening in the world before anyone else! The website started in 2006 and *Twitter* already has about 5 million users, including presidents, politicians, celebrities, and college professors. *Twitter* is going to be one of the most important ways of communicating and receiving news in the future.

The screenshot shows the Twitter homepage with the following elements:

- Header:** Twitter logo, a language selection dropdown, and navigation links (What?, Why?, How?).
- What is Twitter? section:** A bird icon on a branch, a "Watch a video!" button, and a "Please sign in" form with fields for user name or email address and password. Below the form are links for "Forgot password?" and "Already using Twitter from your phone?".
- Get Started—Join! button:** A prominent yellow button.
- Testimonials:** Three small boxes with user quotes:
 - "If you aren't familiar with Twitter, it is one of those things, like MySpace, that sounds totally ridiculous and stupid when you first hear about it. But once you start using it, you realize how much fun it is." — Eric Nuzum, Author of The Dead Travel Fast
 - "I really like Twitter." — Jeff Barr, Amazon.com, Senior Manager
 - "When I first started doing it, I thought, 'geeze, not another website to worry about updating and checking', but now I'm glad I did it." — point_chevalier, livejournaler
- Footer:** Copyright notice and various utility links.

1. What can you do on *Twitter*?

2. What is another name for *Twitter*?

3. How can you receive an update on *Twitter* if you are not near a computer?

4. How many people are using *Twitter* today?

WRITE

Write a paragraph about the advantages and disadvantages of playing computer games.

Think:

- about people's health
- if people can become addicted
- if people have fun with computer games
- if people can make friends
- if it's dangerous for the computer

Mid Term test

VOCABULARY

A. Choose *a*, *b* or *c*.

1. Alex tries to keep in _____ with his old friends from school as often as possible.

- a. line b. touch c. reply

2. You're so _____! You are always telling others what to do.

- a. lazy b. shy c. bossy

3. We went hiking yesterday and we were really _____ afterwards.

- a. tired b. boring c. tiring

4. How many days can a camel _____ in the desert without water?

- a. sting b. store c. survive

5. My father is away on a(n) _____ at the moment.

- a. abroad b. business trip c. departure

6. The Greek islands are a _____ holiday destination.

- a. popular b. historic c. helpless

7. Mr Edwards is a _____ businessman.

- a. harmful b. handy c. successful

8. Kate wants to _____ an English course this summer.

- a. accept b. arrange c. take

B. Complete the sentences using the words in the box.

afford	burglar	salty	fond	without	waterproof	scenery	performance
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- Peter is really _____ of science-fiction films.
- The police don't know how the _____ got into the house.
- It might rain this weekend so take a _____ jacket with you.
- We definitely can't _____ such an expensive car.
- Most teenagers can't do _____ their computers nowadays.
- When you travel by train, you can enjoy the _____ .
- I don't like this soup. It's too _____.
- The talented singer gave a brilliant _____. Everyone enjoyed it.

C. Complete the sentences with the correct form of the words in capitals.

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| 1. This book is about the _____ of New Zealand and its history. | EXPLORE |
| 2. After the _____ of our grandparents we had dinner. | ARRIVE |
| 3. Don't you think Kathy's _____ has improved a lot? | APPEAR |
| 4. Tony is a _____ driver. I think he will have an accident. | CARE |
| 5. Mark, I must say there's been a great _____ in your writing. | IMPROVE |
| 6. We live in a very _____ neighbourhood. | PEACE |
| 7. We'll have a _____ about the new project in ten minutes. | DISCUSS |

COMMUNICATION

A. Match

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| 1. What is Mark like? | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 2. When are you leaving for Hawaii? | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 3. Will you download that new antivirus program for me? | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 4. Do you like your coffee? | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 5. Why don't you buy that black dress? It looks good on you. | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 6. Why do you like scuba-diving? | <input type="checkbox"/> |
- Of course. I'll do it when I get home tonight.
 - It's expensive and I don't have enough money on me.
 - He's outgoing and he's got a good sense of humour.
 - I think it's exciting.
 - As soon as possible.
 - Yes, of course. It's just too hot for me to drink right now.

GRAMMAR

A. Complete the sentences with the Present Simple, Present Progressive, Past Simple, Past Progressive or Present Perfect Simple of the verbs in brackets.

1. Mr Smith _____ (talk) on the phone at the moment. _____ you (want) to call him later?
2. While we _____ (prepare) dinner last night, the children _____ (do) their homework.
3. Jim _____ (already / buy) a present for Tina's birthday.
4. Betty _____ (see) the doctor yesterday because she wasn't feeling well.
5. Alan, what a surprise! We _____ (not hear) from you for so long.
6. What _____ you _____ (do) yesterday morning when I _____ (call) you?
7. Alex _____ (usually / not go) to the gym in the morning. He _____ (prefer) going in the afternoon.

B. Choose a, b or c.

I was on my way home (1) ____ it happened. (2) ____ I was walking, I heard someone running behind me. (3) I knew it, I was on the ground, and my bag wasn't there! A man, (4) ____ was there helped me to get up. (5) ____, he left me and ran after the man with my bag. I waited there (6) ____ he came back with my bag. I (7) believe he got it back for me. What a hero! One thing is certain, I (8) ____ stop walking home alone!

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| 1. a. until | b. when | c. as soon |
| 2. a. As | b. As soon | c. As soon as |
| 3. a. After | b. When | c. Before |
| 4. a. where | b. who | c. which |
| 5. a. After | b. Then | c. When |
| 6. a. when | b. as soon as | c. until |
| 7. a. wasn't able | b. can | c. couldn't |
| 8. a. will have to | b. will have | c. will be able |

C. Circle the correct word.

1. The man **who / which** we saw at the cinema is our Maths teacher.
2. Your brother isn't old **too / enough** to drive a car.
3. We went to the supermarket because we needed **any / some** butter, **a little / little** cheese and **few / a few** tomatoes.
4. The island **which / where** we usually spend our holidays is very peaceful.
5. **May / Could** you help me please?
6. **Will you be able to / Do you need** to help me with this exercise?

7. Tom has **a lot of / much** friends. He's very popular.

8. I don't feel very well. I'm afraid **we'll have to / we'll be able to** cancel tomorrow's meeting.

D. Rewrite the sentences using the words in brackets.

1. It isn't necessary for Helen to do the washing up.

Helen _____ . (have)

2. My parents worked very hard when they were young.

My parents _____ . (used)

3. I believe swimming isn't as exciting as water-skiing.

I believe water-skiing _____ . (more)

4. Where is the museum?

Can _____ ? (tell)

5. On Sundays we don't have to wake up early in the morning.

On Sundays _____ . (needn't)

6. How much did you pay for that jumper?

I want _____ . (know)

7. Ben is friendlier than Tony.

Tony isn't _____ . (friendly)

LISTEN

Listen to the dialogue and write T for True or F for False

1. John didn't like the hotel they stayed at last time.

2. Karen wants a hotel with a Wi-Fi connection.

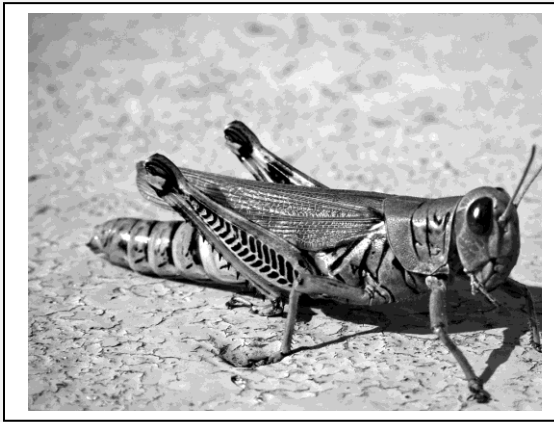
3. John doesn't like swimming in the sea.

4. Karen would like to eat at local restaurants.

READ

Read the text and answer the questions.

Last summer I went on a trip to Mexico. The country was beautiful and the food was fantastic. However, I will say that some of the food was too scary to eat. When we were at a small restaurant in Oaxaca, the waiter told us to try the *chapulines*. I didn't know what they were, but according to him they were very tasty. My brother and I were waiting for our food, and soon the waiter brought our *chapulines* to the table. They were grasshoppers! My brother didn't even want to look at them. I am more adventurous than he is, so I tasted them. They didn't taste bad at all, in fact they were surprisingly good. They were sour and salty at the same time. I asked the waiter how they cooked them. I never thought they would be so easy to cook. The difficult part is buying the grasshoppers where I live. They don't sell them in supermarkets. Well, I'll just have to go back to Mexico and eat my *chapulines* there!



1. What did the writer find scary?
2. Who was the writer travelling with?
3. Who didn't eat the *chapulines*?
4. What did the *chapulines* taste like?
5. Will the writer cook *chapulines* at home?

WRITE

You have just come back from your summer holiday. You had a great time and you want to tell your friend about it. Write an e-mail to your friend in which you mention:

- where you went
- what you did there
- how you felt
- what you liked the most
- your plans for your next summer holidays