

B1 Unit test 5A

Navigate

1 Read the descriptions of some things that people find useful, then complete the word. Each word begins with the letter 'c' and there is one space for each other letter in the word.

1 These are used for paying for small, cheap things in a shop:

2 You can work on this or play games on it:

3 Many people use this when they are shopping online:

4 People light these if there is no electricity:

5 Boxes, bottles and jars are all examples of these:

2 points for each correct answer

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2 Complete the sentences with a, b or c.

1 **A** Have you got _____ free time next week?

B Yes, I'm not busy at all.

a a few b too many c any

2 Steffi ate _____ sweets and now she feels sick.

a lots of b too much c a little

3 I don't think it's warm _____ in here. Can you turn the heat up, please?

a some b enough c many

4 I'll be there in _____ minutes. I just need to finish this.

a a few b a lot of c a little

5 I don't want _____ salad with my meal, thanks.

a any b some c enough

2 points for each correct answer

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3 Complete the dialogue. Use one word or phrase in each space. The first letter has been given.

Rakesh I'm going to start my own business. I'm tired of working for other people!

Dana That's a great idea! But how can you
¹a _____ to do it? I mean, you're not exactly rich, are you?

Rakesh I'm not rich at all. I'm going to
²b _____ some money from the bank.

Dana And then you'll pay back a certain amount every month for several years. Right?

Rakesh Yes, but hopefully I'll be able to pay it back quickly if the business does well. I don't want to be ³i _____ d _____ for a long time.

Dana Sure. Well, I'm going to start
⁴s _____ u _____ to buy my own apartment. I want to live alone now ... I'm fed up with sharing with my friends.

Rakesh Oh, that reminds me! I ⁵o _____ you £10. I can give you that now.

Dana Thanks. I forgot all about that, actually. Perhaps we should use it to buy a few lottery tickets.

Rakesh Yeah ... we might get lucky!

2 points for each correct answer

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4 Put the linkers into the correct group.

so	therefore	as	as a result	since
because				

1 Linkers that give us the reason for something:

2 Linkers that tell us the result of something:

1 point for each correct answer

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5 Read the text and choose the correct answer from the words in *italics*.

I'm so tired ¹ *so / because* I've just spent the whole day cleaning the apartment! It was my birthday yesterday, ² *as / so* we invited a few friends round. I work in another city most of the time. ³ *Therefore / Since* I can't see my friends as often as I'd like to. Anyway, we had a big party last night. ⁴ *Because / As a result*, our apartment was in a terrible mess this morning. Still, it was worth it ⁵ *as / therefore* we had a really good time. I'm going to bed now, ⁶ *as a result / since* I have to get up early for work in the morning. I've got a busy week, ⁷ *so / as* I need to have a good rest.

2 points for each correct answer

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6 Read the following text and choose the correct answer: the word/s in *italics* or --.

When I was a child, I had ¹ *a / the* favourite toy. It was ² *a / --* small, soft toy animal and my father bought it for me on ³ *-- / the day* I was born. It wasn't ⁴ *an / --* expensive toy, but it was special to me. I called ⁵ *a / the* toy Joe, and I took it everywhere with me until I was seven years old. After that, Joe lived on ⁶ *-- / a* shelf in my room. Years later, I went off to university and when I came back home in the holidays, I always felt happy when I saw Joe sitting there on ⁷ *the / a* shelf. I'm married now and have ⁸ *a / --* children of my own, but they're not into ⁹ *-- / the* soft toys. Joe is still with us, though. He lives in ¹⁰ *the / --* garage now!

1 point for each correct answer

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7 Read the sentences and decide which type of adjective the underlined word is. Choose from A–G. There are two types that you don't need.

- 1 A There are some beautiful vases here, aren't there?
B My favourite's that antique blue one in the corner.
- 2 A Have you seen Karl's new car?
B I don't think it's anything special – it's just a second-hand car.
- 3 A Oh no! The grass is wet.
B Don't worry. I've got a large plastic sheet here. We can sit on that.
- 4 A Is that a new bracelet?
B Yes, it's made of gold.
- 5 A Shall I give you a hand with that big box?
B Thanks, it's not as light as I thought it was.

- A material _____
B age _____
C size _____
D colour _____
E weight _____
F shape _____
G opinion _____

2 points for each correct answer

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8 Complete the blog with the correct form of words in the box. There are four words that you don't need.

decide	inform	digit	suit
possess	buy	equip	arrange
stress			

I'm moving house soon. I realize I have far too much stuff, so I think now's the perfect time to get rid of some of it. Or a lot of it! So, I've made a decision – I'm going to keep only the things which I really need. Everyone knows that moving house is a very ¹ _____ thing. So why make it more difficult by taking things with me which I don't even need? I started by selling some stuff – it wasn't hard to find a ² _____ for my furniture. Then, I contacted a local company called Eazy Clear and got some ³ _____ about what they do. They go to people's houses and take away all the things they don't want and give them to people who need them. I've made an ⁴ _____ with them, and their lorry will be here at ten o'clock tomorrow morning. I think this is a ⁵ _____ solution to the problem because everyone wins – the people who don't want some of their things anymore and the people who need them!

2 points for each correct answer

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9 Complete the dialogues with phrases in the box. There are two words that you don't need.

it's round	what's it called	exactly
you use it to	it's a thing which	
it looks like	do you know what I mean	

- A** What's a grapefruit?
B Well, _____ an orange, but it's not as round. And it's more yellow.
- A** What's a kettle for?
B _____ boil water.
- A** In Spanish, it's *agua*. _____ in English?
B It's water.
- A** I think Kasia has some money problems. _____?
B Yes, I do and I agree with you.
- A** So, you're looking for a black leather wallet?
B _____! The one I've got is so old.

2 points for each correct answer

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10 Read the text and complete the sentences. Use one word in each space.

Trunki

Trunki is a hand-luggage suitcase for children. It was designed by ¹_____ Englishman called Rob Law. Trunki is made ²_____ strong plastic, usually in a bright colour, and has four wheels. Trunki is special because children can sit on it and move along. Parents love it because it means they don't have to ³_____ tired children around an airport – they ⁴_____ pull them instead. And they don't have to worry about carrying their children's stuff because it's in the case. Trunki was first produced in the UK in 2006, but it's on sale in many countries around the world now. If you're a parent, you might want to ⁵_____ some money on one yourself!

2 points for each correct answer

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