Answer key



1 GRAMMAR

- a 2 doesn't have / hasn't got
 - 3 Did you have
 - 4 Do you have / Have you got
 - 5 had
 - 6 had had
 - didn't have to
 - 8 won't have
- b 2 doesn't have to
 - 3 have, had
 - 4 haven't got / don't have / haven't
 - 5 'm having
 - 6 hasn't been
 - Did, have
 - 8 do, have / have, got

2 VOCABULARY

- a 2 sarcastic
 - 3 conscientious
 - 4 resourceful
 - 5 thorough
 - 6 sympathetic
 - gentle
 - 8 straightforward
- b 2 seems
 - 3 taken
 - 4 tends / tries
 - 5 refused
 - 6 take
- c 2 a pain in the neck
- 3 has a (very) quick temper
- 4 a cold fish
- 5 down to earth
- 6 a soft touch

3 PRONUNCIATION

- a 2 conscientious
 - 3 curious
 - 4 determined
 - 5 gentle
 - self-sufficient
 - steady
 - 8 resourceful
 - sarcastic
- 10 spontaneous
- 11 sympathetic
- 12 thorough

4 LEXIS IN CONTEXT

- 2 stuck
- 3 together
- 4 eye
- 5 round
- 6 gut 7 head
- 8 off
- 9 white

5 LISTENING

- a They mention more advantages.
- b A 3 B 2 C 4 D 1

6 READING

- a Sentence 1 is the best.
- b 1 c 2 b 3 d 4 a 5 c 6 b



1 LEXIS IN CONTEXT

- 2 head
- 3 keep
- 4 looks
- 5 blank
- 6 build
- heart
- 8 wearing

2 VOCABULARY

- a 2 rewarding
 - 3 demanding
 - 4 promoted
 - 5 employ
 - 6 made redundant
 - 7 monotonous
 - 8 off work
 - 9 perks
- 10 hire
- b 2 full-time
 - 3 job-hunting
 - 4 academic qualifications
 - 5 career ladder
 - 6 events management
 - permanent contract
 - clocking off
 - 9 apply for a position

3 GRAMMAR

- a 2 Consequently
 - 3 Even though
 - 4 because
 - 5 not to
 - 6 due to
 - nevertheless
 - 8 in case
- b 2 so as not to forget the time
 - 3 as a result, it will be closed until further
 - 4 due to the late arrival of the incoming plane
 - 5 despite not meeting all the requirements
 - 6 so that they would be ready for the exam the next day
 - 7 in spite of not being able to go to the interview / in spite of the fact that she wasn't able to go to the interview
 - 8 owing to his illness / owing to the fact that he was ill

4 LEXIS IN CONTEXT

- 2 ploy
- 3 issue
- 4 travel-focused
- 5 workload
- 6 tackle

5 PRONUNCIATION

- a 2 freelance
 - 3 temporary

 - 4 voluntary 5 compassionate
 - 6 maternity
 - permanent
 - motivating
- monotonous
- 10 academic
- 11 management
- 12 qualifications
- c 1 event
 - 2 quit
 - perks
 - 4 benefits

6 READING

- a He would say it was fiction.
- b 1 E 2 B 3 F 4 A 5 D
- c 1 jam-packed
 - 2 somewhere along the line
 - 3 plain sailing
 - 4 was up to
 - 5 is another matter 6 jump at the chance

7 LISTENING

- a The man would love to be a travel writer and would hate a job on a production line.
- b 1 The man thinks he would be good at the first job because he thinks he is quite sociable, is a good writer, he doesn't mind living out of a suitcase, he can live cheap, and it would be a wonderful way
 - to see the world. 2 A downside might be that you would have to write a book, even if you had nothing to say.
 - 3 He thinks he would hate the second job because he wouldn't have to think and it would be very repetitive.
 - He did a job of this kind when he was 18, but he didn't like it.



Talking about...work and family

1 LOOKING AT LANGUAGE

- 2 Apparently
- 3 as to
- 4 in a way
- 5 basically
- 6 really
- 7 I mean
- 8 anyway

2 READING

a 1 D 2 F 3 A 4 E 5 B



1 LEXIS IN CONTEXT

- 2 fluid
- 3 part
- 4 random
- 5 guidance

2 PRONUNCIATION

- a 3 S
- 4 S
- 5 D
- 6 S 7 D
- 8 D
- 9 S
- 10 D

3 GRAMMAR

- a 2 x talking to each other / one another
 - 3 /
 - 4 X we should help ourselves
 - 5 X When a guest leaves their room
 - 6 X by myself / on my own
 - 7 x so far below her
 - 8 1
- b 2 myself
 - 3 each other / one another
 - 4 One
- 5 yourself
 - 6 They
- 7 herself
- 8 you/one
- c 2 it
 - 3 There
 - 4 it
 - 5 There
 - 6 there
 - 7 There
 - 8 there 9 It
- 10 it

4 VOCABULARY

- a 2 take in
 - 3 tell
 - 4 pick up
 - 5 say
 - 6 get by
 - 7 talk
 - 8 brush up
- b 2 requested
 - 3 error
 - 4 respond to
 - 5 tongue
- c 2 the wrong end of the stick
 - 3 on the tip of my tongue
 - 4 at cross purposes
 - 5 get my head round

5 READING

- a How the language is constructed, culture, and the way objects are classified
- b 1 D 2 G 3 A 4 E 5 B 6 H
- c 1 derogatory
- 2 formulate
- 3 concur
- 4 versus
- 5 determine
- 6 addressed
- 7 revealing

6 LISTENING

- b 1 Do you find it easier to understand native or non-native speakers of English?
 - 2 How do you feel about having your English corrected?
 - 3 Do you have any funny or embarrassing stories related to misunderstanding someone?
 - 4 Is there anything you still find difficult about English?
- c 1 M 2 B 3 M 4 W 5 W 6 B



1 LEXIS IN CONTEXT

- 2 rushing
- 3 bubbling away
- 4 slapped
- 5 concocting
- 6 picture
- 7 leap

2 GRAMMAR

- a 3 X had forgotten to
 - 4 X would catch / used to catch / caught
 - 5 X broke down
 - 6 1
 - 7 X lived / used to live
 - 8 X I'd been hiding
 - 9 X were still working
- 10 🗸

- b 2 shared / used to share
 - 3 went / used to go
 - 4 had cleaned
 - 5 would lie / used to lie
 - 6 fell
 - 7 had been singing
 - 8 stopped
 - 9 stood
- 10 looked
- 11 was staring
- 12 told
- 13 was watching
- 14 had seen
- 15 didn't sleep

3 VOCABULARY

- a 2 fear
 - 3 improvement
 - 4 hatred
 - 5 death
 - 6 belief
- 7 shame
- b 2 wisdom
- 3 childhood
- 4 sadness
- 5 celebration
- 6 membership 7 illness
- 8 boredom

4 PRONUNCIATION

a Circle celebration, imagination, and curiosity

5 LISTENING

- a Speaker 4
- b A 3 B 1 C 4 D 2 E 5 F 1 G 5 H 4 I 2 J 3

6 READING

- a 9/10
- b 1 T 2 F 3 F 4 F 5 T 6 F



1 PRONUNCIATION

- a 2 rendezvous
 - 3 faux pas
 - 4 déjà vu
 - 5 entrepreneur
 - 6 ballet
 - 7 bouquet
 - 8 fiancé(e)
 - 9 coup
- 10 fait accompli

2 VOCABULARY

- a 2 f
 - 3 e
 - 4 d 5 g
 - 6 b
 - 7 a
 - 8 c
 - 9 h

- b 2 message
- 3 way
- 4 anywhere
- 5 life
- 6 on
- house
- 8 act
- c 2 around
 - 3 away
 - 4 behind
 - 5 out
 - 6 down
 - 7 on
 - 8 through
 - 9 by
- 10 back

3 LEXIS IN CONTEXT

- 2 rule out
- 3 win, over
- 4 foot, bill
- 5 short, sweet
- 6 miss out
- follow, through
- 8 make up, mind

4 GRAMMAR

- 2 Can you get Paul to look at my computer?
- 3 I'll never get used to getting up at 5.30 in the morning.
- 4 The afternoon shadows got longer as the sun went down.
- 5 We're getting our kitchen repainted next month.
- 6 I can't get the kids to eat their dinner.
- I hope I don't get sent to Manchester I want to stay in London.
- 8 Public transport in my town is getting
- 9 My boss got fired for stealing money.
- 10 Could you possibly get Mike to pick me

5 LISTENING

- a Speakers 2, 4 and 5 had successful dates. Speakers 1 and 3 had unsuccessful dates.
- b 1 F 2 F 3 T 4 F 5 F 6 T 7 T 8 T 9 F 10 F

6 READING

- a Number 5 caused the most damage.
- b 1 H 2 C 3 D 4 E 5 F 6 B



1 VOCABULARY

- a Across: 3 spear

 - 5 cannon
 - 6 bow
 - 8 shield
 - 9 bullet
 - Down: 2 machine gun
 - 3 sword
 - 4 arrow

7 missile

- b 2 casualties
 - 3 declared
 - 4 shelled
 - 5 ceasefire
 - 6 surrender
 - 7 defeated
 - 8 snipers
 - 9 looted
- 10 commander

2 PRONUNCIATION

- a 2 civil
 - 3 refugee
 - 4 survivor
 - 5 commander
 - 6 ceasefire
 - 7 victory
 - 8 release
 - 9 capture
- 10 retreat
- 11 execute
- 12 surrender
- c 1 shield
 - 2 bullet
 - 3 weapon
 - 4 declare

3 GRAMMAR

- a 2 words
 - 3 concerned
 - 4 matter
 - 5 whole
 - 6 way
 - 7 say
 - 8 case
 - 9 hand
- 10 least
- b 2 Basically
 - 3 Imean
 - 4 Besides
 - 5 Obviously
 - 6 all in all
 - 7 After all
 - 8 As I was saying
 - 9 To sum up
- 10 otherwise

4 LISTENING

- a 1 b 2 d 3 a 4 e 5 c
- b 1 E 2 C 3 G 4 A 5 D

5 READING

- a 1 b 2 d 3 a 4 e 5 c
- b 2 D
- 3 A
- 4 E
- 5 C
- 6 A
- 7 D
- 8 C 9 B
- 10 E

- c 1 ill fate
 - 2 charged

 - 3 moulding 4 slaughtered
 - 5 mercilessly
 - 6 morale
 - 7 pass
 - 8 pivotal

Colloquial English

Talking about...history

1 LOOKING AT LANGUAGE

- 2 awful
- 3 deadly
- 4 rights
- 5 picture
- 6 classic
- 7 civil
- 8 ordinary

2 READING

- a 1 T
 - 2 F
 - 3 F
 - 4 T
 - 5 F 6 T
 - 7 T 8 F



1 VOCABULARY

- a 2 tapping

 - 3 bang
 - 4 slurp
 - 5 rattling
- 6 hissed roared
- 8 sniffing
- 9 crunched
- 10 ticking 11 screeching
- 12 slammed
- b 2 sighed
 - 3 sobbed 4 groaned
 - 5 screamed
 - 6 stammered
 - whispered
 - 8 giggled 9 mumbled

2 PRONUNCIATION

- a 2 stretch
 - 3 exclaimed
 - 4 sixth 5 shelves
 - 6 bridegroom
 - spread
 - 8 punched

3 LEXIS IN CONTEXT

- 2 continually
- 3 with ease
- 4 Strangely
- 5 in, proximity
- 6 seemingly
- 7 incessantly

4 GRAMMAR

- a 2 could / might / may be waiting
 - 3 should have been
 - 4 might / may not like
 - 5 can't be studying
 - 6 might / may not have taken
 - 7 can't have
 - 8 must have forgotten
- b 2 're bound to win the match
 - 3 'll definitely enjoy the film
 - 4 's not likely to rain tonight
 - 5 're unlikely to agree to our proposal
 - 6 will probably take early retirement
 - 7 are sure to complain about it
 - 8 definitely won't give us a pay rise

5 LISTENING

- a She is deaf.
- b 1 20
 - 2 60
 - 3 soundtracks
 - 4 hearing / deafness
 - 5 feeling
 - 6 shoes

6 READING

- a In a hospital.
- b 1 T
 - 2 T
 - 3 F
 - 4 F 5 F
 - 6 T
 - 7 T
- c 1 background, ambient
 - 2 jingle
 - 3 din



1 VOCABULARY

- 2 thought-provoking
- 3 entertaining
- 4 implausible
- 5 intriguing
- 6 depressing
- 7 gripping
- 8 heavy-going
- 9 moving
- 10 fast-moving

2 PRONUNCIATION

- a 2 walk
 - 3 implausible
 - 4 resourceful
 - 5 rewarding
 - 6 daughter
 - 7 thought-provoking
 - 8 workforce
- c 1 I bought his autobiography from the store.
 - 2 The crowd roared when the captain scored.
 - 3 Your lawyer talks more when he's in court.
 - 4 He was caught by enemy forces in the war.
 - 5 That story is awfully boring.

3 GRAMMAR

- a 2 Not until
 - 3 Rarely
 - 4 No sooner
 - 5 Only
 - 6 Scarcely / Hardly
 - 7 Not only
 - 8 Never
- b 2 did he betray my trust, but he also wrecked my car.
 - 3 had the sun gone down when / before the temperature fell dramatically.
 - 4 have I seen such a wonderful sight.
 - 5 had the teacher turned her back than the children started whispering.
 - 6 had the woman sat down when / before her baby started crying.
 - 7 do you find two people so alike.
 - 8 a replacement teacher has been found will classes recommence.

4 LEXIS IN CONTEXT

- 2 identical
- 3 implored
- 4 mute
- 5 immobile
- 6 done with
- 7 merely
- 8 accurate
- 9 backpacks
- 10 conceivable

5 LISTENING

- a 1 successful
 - 2 not successful
- b 1 F 2 T 3 T 4 F 5 T 6 F

6 READING

- a The author advises not to try to finish a book if you're really not enjoying it.
- b 1 c 2 b 3 a 4 c 5 c
- c 1 grab you
 - 2 take a shine to
 - 3 put you off
 - 4 for pity's sake
 - 5 to its bitter end
 - 6 out of hand



1 LEXIS IN CONTEXT

- 2 with
- 3 of
- 4 of
- 5 with
- 6 on

2 GRAMMAR

- a 2 appears
 - 3 expected
 - 4 According
 - 5 may
 - 6 seem
 - 7 agreed
 - 8 Apparently
- b 2 It appears / It would appear that
 - 3 It has been announced It was announced that
 - 4 is thought to have
 - 5 may have been
 - 6 It seems / It would seem that
 - 7 might have entered
 - 8 It is hoped that

3 VOCABULARY

- a 2 saved
 - 3 takes
 - 4 spare
 - 5 make
 - 6 gave 7 having
 - Q man
- b 2 From, to
 - 3 at
 - 4 on
 - 5 In
 - 6 by
 - 7 before
- 8 at
- c 2 short 3 spare
 - 4 hands
 - 5 being
 - 6 matter 7 up
 - 7 up 8 whole

4 PRONUNCIATION

- a 2 My cousin Nick is never on time.
 - 3 I find doing housework takes up a lot of time.
 - 4 We walked to town as we had plenty of time.
 - 5 We seem to have run out of time.
 - 6 It's a question of time before the sports centre opens.
- c 1 I always freak out if the bus arrives late.
 - 2 He's a bit impatient at times.
 - 3 We stood in the queue for over an hour.
 - 4 You'll have to wait a moment until I'm ready.
 - 5 The performance starts at 8 o'clock.
 - 6 She's awfully insecure about their relationship.

5 LISTENING

- a The good news is that it's possible to slow time down.
- b 1 senses
 - 2 longer
 - 3 new
 - 4 slowly
 - 5 familiar
 - 6 quickly
 - 7 learning
 - 8 new places
 - 9 new people
- 10 spontaneous

6 READING

- a The writer thinks that being late is rude.
- b 1 c 2 b 3 c 4 d 5 a
- c 1 a 2 c 3 b 4 b
- d 1 superiority
- 2 behaviour
 - 3 lateness
 - belief
 - 5 absence



1 LEXIS IN CONTEXT

- 2 collide
- 3 shoulders
- 4 littered with
- 5 juggle
- 6 high-flying

2 GRAMMAR

- a 2 I'd rather you came round
- 3 I wish we hadn't bought
- 4 If only we lived
- 5 I'd rather she didn't know.
- 6 If only I'd worked
- 7 It's time you had
- 8 I wish we were
- b 2 If only we didn't owe
- 3 It's time Sally made up
 - 4 Would you rather we took
 - 5 If only we hadn't spent
 - 6 it time you apologized
 - I wish I were able to see
- 8 We'd rather you didn't
- 3 VOCABULARY

- a 2 stock market
 - 3 exchange rate
 - 4 in debt
 - 5 standard, living
 - 6 inflation
 - consumer society
 - 8 Interest rates
 - 9 grant
- 10 donation

- b 2 penniless, P
 - 3 loaded, R

 - 4 hard up, P 5 wealthy, R

 - 6 well-off, R
 - 7 broke, P
- c 2 in the red
 - 3 doesn't grow on trees
 - 4 cost an arm and a leg
 - 5 we tighten our belts
 - 6 daylight robbery
 - 7 tight-fisted
 - 8 make ends meet

4 PRONUNCIATION

- a 2 US
 - 3 UK
 - 4 US
 - 5 UK 6 UK

 - 7 US
 - 8 UK
 - 9 UK
- 10 US

5 LISTENING

- a 1 Philip
 - 2 Wendy
 - 3 Emily
 - 4 Mary
 - 5 Jonathan
- b 1 18°C
 - 2 a packed lunch
 - 3 in a jar
 - 4 in cash
 - 5 when you're hungry / on an empty stomach

6 READING

- a C
- b 1 C 2 A 3 F 4 B 5 E

Colloquial English

Talking about...stress and relaxation

1 LOOKING AT LANGUAGE

- 2 age group
- 3 blood pressure
- 4 support network
- 5 text messages
- 6 breathing exercises
- 7 life saver
- 8 college students

2 READING

a 1 b 2 b 3 a 4 c 5 b

1 LEXIS IN CONTEXT

- 2 belief
- 3 cool
- 4 hand
- 5 stressing
- 6 squirrel
- stomach
- 8 mode

2 GRAMMAR

- a 2 c
 - 3 a
 - 4 c
 - 5 b 6 a
 - 7 a
- 8 b b 2 her not to tell
 - 3 you to come / that you come
 - 4 them to get
 - you working
 - 6 him (to) overcome
 - 7 me not paying
 - 8 them to arrive

3 VOCABULARY

- a 2 conscious
 - 3 hand
 - 4 minute
- 5 minded
- b 2 dead-end
 - 3 high-pitched
 - 4 feel-good 5 life-changing

 - 6 low-cost ground-breaking
 - 8 labour-saving
 - 9 eco-friendly
- 10 hands-free

4 PRONUNCIATION

- a 2 high-risk

 - 3 home-made 4 last-minute
 - long-distance
 - narrow-minded
 - 7 second-hand self-conscious
 - well-behaved

10 worn-out **5 LISTENING**

a 1 S 2 W 3 S 4 S 5 W 6 W

b 1 F 2 T 3 T 4 F 5 T 6 F 7 F

6 READING

- a 2
- b 1 D 2 G 3 A 4 E 5 C
- c 1 plausibly
 - 2 gloomily
 - 3 widely
 - 4 presumably 5 demonstrably
 - 6 indisputably



1 VOCABULARY

- a 2 charge
 - 3 landline
 - 4 signal
 - 5 give
 - 6 engaged
 - 7 tone
 - 8 reception
 - 9 missed
- 2 C
 - 3 b
 - 4 c
 - 5 a
 - 6 b
 - 7 c
 - 8 a
 - 9 b
- 10 c
- c 2 Wi-fi
 - 3 keypad
 - 4 Streaming
 - 5 passcode
 - 6 An update
 - contacts
 - 8 touch screen

2 LEXIS IN CONTEXT

- 2 albeit
- 3 wolf
- justification
- plausibility
- decent
- negotiation
- 8 donned

3 PRONUNCIATION

- a 2 b
 - 3 a
 - 4 b
 - 5 a
 - 6 a 7 a
 - 8 b
 - 9 a
- 10 b

4 GRAMMAR

- a 2 won't be able
 - 3 hadn't been snoring
 - didn't come
 - 5 Would, change
 - 6 hadn't eaten
 - would have called
 - 8 wouldn't owe
- b 2 Had we known you were at home
 - Supposing you missed your flight, what would you do
 - whether they like it or not
 - 5 Provided you look after my bike
 - 6 even if we can't afford it
 - on condition (that) she finishes the report by the weekend
 - as long as they didn't make too much noise

5 VOCABULARY

- 2 g of | with
- 3 d to
- 4 f on
- 5 b with
- 6 a to
- 7 c on

6 LISTENING

- a 1 organizing things alphabetically
 - 2 the internet / chatting online
 - 3 cleaning
 - 4 shopping

 - 5 counting things
- b A 3 B 1 C 4 D 5 E 2

7 READING

- a 1 c 2 e 3 b 4 a 5 f 6 d
- b 1 D
 - 2 E
 - 3 B
 - 4 C
 - 5 A
 - 6 F
 - 7 F

 - 8 D 9 C
- 10 A
- 11 E
- 12 B
- c 1 trawl
 - 2 track
 - 3 divert
 - 4 synch
 - 5 split
 - 6 swipe
 - post
 - 8 withdraw

1 PRONUNCIATION

- a **1**3,4,6,8
- c 2 What_a tragic_end!
 - 3 What a nice surprise!
 - 4 What a sad ending!
 - 5 What an awful thing to happen!
 - 6 What a horrible story!
 - 7 What a lovely day!

2 VOCABULARY

- a 2 inhospitable
 - 3 illiterate
 - 4 irrational
 - 5 incompetent
 - 6 discontinued
 - 7 impersonal
 - 8 unofficial

- b 2 anti-smoking
 - 3 overcharge
 - 4 updated
 - 5 rescheduled
 - 6 demotivating
 - 7 outplayed
 - 8 prematurely
 - 9 ill-advised
- 10 underestimated

3 LEXIS IN CONTEXT

- 2 limped
- 3 imposed
- 4 confiscated
- 5 cited
- 6 reinforced
- interfered
- 8 grimaced
- 9 calmed 10 beeped

4 GRAMMAR

- a 2 shouldn't
 - 3 must have
 - 4 don't have to
 - 5 needn't
 - 6 mustn't
 - We're allowed to
 - 8 couldn't
 - 9 can
- b 2 shouldn't have bought
 - 3 wasn't allowed to / wasn't able to wear
 - 4 are supposed to speak English
 - 5 had/'d better not be
 - 6 won't be able to come
 - ought to apply
 - 8 needn't have taken 9 It is not permitted to use

5 LISTENING

- a Both positive and negative. b 1 T 2 F 3 T 4 F 5 T 6 T

- 6 READING a 1 D 2 A 3 B 4 F
- b 1 b
 - 2 c
 - 3 a
 - 4 c
 - 5 a 6 a
 - 7 b
- 8 a c 1 cautious
 - 2 to the contrary
 - 3 legislation
 - 4 in effect
 - 5 in authority



1 GRAMMAR

- 2 saw
 - 've / have, heard 3
 - smells
 - doesn't feel
 - 6 looked
 - don't sound
 - 8 seems
- b 2 see that waiter drop
 - seems to have lost
 - doesn't sound like
 - 5 looks exactly like
 - 6 heard the baby crying
 - seems / looks as if we are
 - 8 sounds like
 - 9 can smell (something)

2 PRONUNCIATION

- a 2 endure
 - allure
 - nature
 - 5 sure
 - 6 immature

3 VOCABULARY

- Across: 5 self-portrait
 - 6 landscape
- Down: 2 sculpture
 - 3 portrait
 - 4 still-life

4 LEXIS IN CONTEXT

- 2 couple
- 3 later
- 4 within
- 5 until 6 few

5 VOCABULARY

- 2 red herring
- 3 out of the blue
- 4 in black and white
- grey area
- red tape
- 7 black market
- white lie

6 LISTENING

- a The artist.
- b 1 She was 17.
 - She was working in her uncle's laundry.
 - Yes, she had read about him in the newspaper.
 - The real gown was blue, but the one in the painting is yellow.
 - She thought about the traumas he had experienced in his life.
 - 6 He paid her just over six South African pounds.
 - She didn't like her green face or the title.
 - She got married, moved to Johannesburg, and had five children.
 - She was very excited.

7 READING

b 1 C 2 A 3 F 4 D 5 B



Talking about...illustration

1 LOOKING AT LANGUAGE

- 2 way
- 3 work
- 4 kind
- 5 number
- 6 age
- 7 mood

2 READING

- a 1 They work together to produce a single work of art.
 - 2 While they were at university.
 - 3 The editors got confused because they were identical twins.
 - They are special editions illustrated by professional artists.
 - To bear children for other couples.
 - 6 They could see their own story in it.
 - The accentuated perspectives, strong light and the use of few colours.
 - It won a gold medal for being the best illustration of 2012.



1 VOCABULARY

- 2 faint
- 3 X-ray
- 4 surgeon
- 5 scan
- 6 cold
- 7 plaster
- 8 bruise
- 9 asthma

Hidden word: diagnosis

- b 2 electric shock
 - 3 blister
 - 4 allergic reaction
 - 5 flu
 - 6 antibiotics
 - stitches
 - 8 heart attack
 - 9 rash
- 10 food poisoning

2 LEXIS IN CONTEXT

- 2 nothing
- 3 risk(s)
- 4 heart
- 5 word

3 GRAMMAR

- a 2 to programme
 - 3 to be sniffing
 - 4 being photographed
 - 5 complaining
 - 6 to become
 - have worn
 - taking
 - to set up
- 10 Having learnt
- b 2 to have paid

 - 3 to have met
 - 4 enough to swim
 - 5 to have lost
 - 6 to be made
 - to be chosen
 - 8 being taken to
 - 9 Having read the
- 10 nowhere to go 11 no point inviting

4 LEXIS IN CONTEXT

- 2 makes
- do
- make
- does
- did
- Making

5 VOCABULARY

- 2 stubborn
- 3 white
- good 5 drinks
- quick 6
- sleep
- thin
- deaf 10 blind

6 PRONUNCIATION

- a Circled words in bold:
 - 2 The surgeon arrived as soon as the patient was ready.
 - 3 It was too late for a doctor, so we went straight to hospital.
 - The specialist suggested I went on a diet for a while.
 - 5 I'm allergic to plasters, so I never use them.
- b 2 The surgeon arrived as soon as the patient was ready.
 - 3 It was too late for a doctor, so we went straight to hospital. 4 The specialist suggested I went on a diet
 - for a while. 5 I'm allergic to plasters, so I never use

them. 7 READING

a 3

b 1 a 2 c 3 b 4 a

8 LISTENING

- a Ashlyn doesn't feel pain. Her condition is a genetic disorder.
- 1 F
 - 2 T
 - 3 T
 - 4 T
 - 5 F
 - 6 F
 - 7 T 8 F



1 VOCABULARY

- a 2 cancel
 - 3 get
- 4 postpone
- 5 wander / walk
- 6 extend
- 7 set
- 8 go
- 9 hit
- 10 recharge
- 11 sample
- 12 chill
- 13 soak
- b 2 spoilt
- 3 remote
 - 4 tacky
 - 5 unspoilt
 - 6 dull
 - 7 lively
 - 8 overrated
 - 9 picturesque
- 10 overcrowded
- 11 breathtaking
- 12 off the beaten track

2 LEXIS IN CONTEXT

- 2 a
- 3 a
- 4 c 5 b
- 6 c
- 7 c 8 b

3 GRAMMAR

- a 2 🗸
 - 3 on the point of leaving
 - 4 Will you be eating
 - 5 1
 - 6 I won't be driving
 - 7 1
 - 8 1
 - 9 I'm about to go
- b 2 is due to land
 - 3 will be picking me up
- 4 on the point of
- 5 leaves at
- 6 is about to start
- am/'m taking part
- 8 is to be held

4 LEXIS IN CONTEXT

- 2 height
- 3 bumpy
- 4 relieved
- 5 approaching
- 6 circled
- off
- 8 turbulence
- 9 dilemma
- 10 winds

5 PRONUNCIATION

- 2 a
- 3 b
- 4 b
- 5 a
- 6 a 7
- 8 a
- 9 b 10 a

6 READING

- a Summary 3 is correct.
- b 1 D 2 A 3 F 4 H 5 C 6 B

7 LISTENING

- a 14 hours
- b 1 It was incredibly cold / -4°degrees.
 - 2 It's 25 miles away.
 - 3 Two of her co-workers / colleagues.
 - 4 Because they were tired or they had run out of gas / petrol.
 - They were wearing high heels and thin jackets.
 - 6 There were a lot of cars slipping and sliding, and trucks parked by the road. They had to go incredibly slowly. They were on a thick sheet of ice. They had to go up a long hill.
 - On the main road.
 - 8 In the deep snow at the side of the road.
 - 9 She sat and slid down the hill.
- 10 It was 7.30 in the morning.

1 LEXIS IN CONTEXT

- 2 adores
- 3 content
- 4 care
- 5 sceptical
- 6 live

2 VOCABULARY

- a 2 squeak
 - 3 neigh
 - 4 shell
 - 5 chick
 - 6 calves
 - 7 cage 8 claws
 - Hidden word: beehives

- b 2 horns, dog
- 3 fur, bird
- 4 beak, cat
- 5 grunt, fish
- 6 twitter, pig
- c 2 bred, captivity
- 3 rights activists
- 4 hunted, sport
- 5 endangered species 6 charity, protect, environment
- 7 live, wild
- 8 treated cruelly

3 GRAMMAR

- a 2 d
 - 3 e
 - 4 a
 - 5 g 🗸
 - 6 i
 - 7 c 🗸
 - 8 b
- 9 h 🗸
- b 2 might 3 do
 - 4 should
 - 5 wouldn't 6 couldn't
 - 7 isn't
 - 8 was
- 9 won't
- c 2 so
 - 3 to 4 not
 - 5 so
 - 6 to 7 not
 - 8 to

4 PRONUNCIATION

- a A Do you know where you're going on holiday yet?
 - B No, I don't. I'd love to go on a safari, but my girlfriend doesn't want to.
 - A She doesn't like animals, does she?
 - B She does like animals she's got three cats. But she doesn't want to go on a
 - A Where does she want to go then? Doesn't she want to see lions in the wild? I'd love
 - B So would I. And so would my girlfriend. But she really doesn't like camping. Neither do I if I'm honest.

5 LISTENING

- a 1 rabbit
 - 2 cat
 - 3 parrot
- 4 dog 5 lizard
- b A 4 B 2 C 1 D 5 E 3

6 READING

- a Numbers 2 and 4 are not mentioned.
- b 1 E 2 C 3 D 4 A 5 F



1 VOCABULARY

- a 2 sliced
- 3 toasted
- chopped
- whipped
- 6 scrambled
- minced
- 8 deep-fried
- 9 steamed
- 10 grilled
- b 2 food processor
 - 3 colander
 - 4 baking tray
 - 5 whisk
 - 6 mixing bowl
 - sieve
 - chopping board
 - 9 frying pan
- 10 saucepan

2 PRONUNCIATION

- a 2 comfortable
 - 3 medicine
 - 4 different
 - 5 temperature
 - 6 chocolate
 - dictionary
 - 8 vegetables

3 LEXIS IN CONTEXT

- 2 fiddly
- 3 stuff
- gobble
- 5 chew

4 GRAMMAR

- a 3 🗸
 - 4 /
 - 5 /
 - 6 X cereal bowl
- X the end of the story
- X plastic bags
- 10
- b 2 women's magazines
 - 3 vegetable drawer
 - 4 Fiona and Charles' / Charles's car
 - 5 trainee manager
 - husband's clothes
 - bread knife
 - animals' cages
 - 9 alarm clock

5 LEXIS IN CONTEXT

- 2 Chillies
- 3 Ginger
- 4 Monkfish
- 5 Oysters

6 LISTENING

- a No.
- b Speaker 1:
 - 1 She was cooking for her boyfriend and
 - 2 She was making spaghetti bolognese.
 - 3 She used chilli peppers instead of green
 - 4 She threw the dish in the bin.

Speaker 2:

- 1 He was cooking for friends.
- 2 He was cooking a piece of roast meat.
- 3 He put the grill on instead of the oven.
- 4 He ordered a takeaway.

- 1 She was cooking for her family.
- 2 She was preparing antipasti (bruschetta).
- 3 She used too much garlic.
- 4 She threw the food away.

7 READING

- a Heading 3 is the best alternative.
- b 1 c 2 b 3 a 4 c 5 d 6 b

Colloquial English

Talking about...insects and animals

1 LOOKING AT LANGUAGE

- 2 bit
- 3 whole
- 4 like
- 5 pretty
- 6 so
- 7 went
- 8 there
- 9 going
- 10 something

2 READING

a 1 F 2 T 3 T 4 F 5 T 6 T



1 LEXIS IN CONTEXT

- 2 ruled
- 3 back
- 4 hurdle
- 5 nothing
- 6 detox
- stumbled 8 ball

2 GRAMMAR

- a 2 d
 - 3
 - 3 g 4 f
 - 5 a
 - 6 b
 - 7 c
- b 2 The person I spoke to was the assistant manager, not the manager.
 - The reason (why) I didn't buy the bag was because / that is was too expensive.
 - It was her grandmother who taught her how to bake bread.
 - What happened was (that) Jane shut the door with her keys still inside.
 - What I need is a good, long rest.
 - The thing that impressed me was / I was impressed by how quickly she learnt
 - 8 The village where my parents live / my parents live in is very picturesque.

3 PRONUNCIATION

- a 1 The thing I like most about my husband is his sense of humour.
 - What I don't understand is why you didn't tell me before.
 - The reason why I don't like cheese is because of the texture.
 - 4 It was the lorry that caused the accident.
 - 5 The person I'd most like to go on holiday with is my sister.
 - 6 It's your health that I'm worried about.

4 LEXIS IN CONTEXT

- 2 On
- 3 acquiring
- 4 proceedings
- 5 dispiriting
- 6 gravely
- entered
- 8 reflecting
- seek
- 10 melancholy

5 VOCABULARY

- a 2 refuse
 - 3 lie
 - 4 commitment
 - 5 economical
 - 6 suite
 - besides
 - 8 currently
 - embarrassed
- 10 affects
- b 2 beside
 - 3 economic
 - 4 lay
 - 5 ashamed
 - 6 effects
 - actually 7 8 suit
 - compromise
 - 10 deny

6 LISTENING

- a In general, the book has a happy ending.
- b 1
 - 2 T
 - 3 F
 - 4 F
 - 5 T
 - 5 1
 - 6 F
 - 7 T 8 F

7 READING

- a Sentence 2 is the best.
- b 1 b 2 d 3 a 4 c 5 b



1 LEXIS IN CONTEXT

- 2 sit-ups
- 3 thighs
- 4 vigorous
- 5 spine
- 6 training
- 7 flexibility
- 8 press-ups
- 9 stretch
- 10 trunk

2 VOCABULARY

- 2 height
- 3 flatten
- 4 shorten
- 5 strength
- 6 depth
- 7 weakened
- 8 lengthen
- 9 width

3 GRAMMAR

- a 2 where
 - 3 of which
 - 4 whose
 - 5 which,-
 - 6 which
 - 7 that, which, -
 - 8 what
 - 9 who
- 10 to whom
- b 2 My cousin, who is a cross-country runner, has been given a scholarship by an American University.
 - 3 There's been a frost, which means that the match will probably be cancelled.
 - 4 Our team has two goalkeepers, neither of whom can play next weekend.
 - 5 These trainers, which I've only had for a week, have broken already.
 - 6 We spoke to a steward, who directed us to our seats.
 - 7 The racket (which / that) I bought for my son wasn't very expensive.
 - 8 The showers, many of which do not work properly, are very rarely cleaned.

4 PRONUNCIATION

- a 2 a, b
- 3 a, b
- 4 b, a
- 5 a, b
- 6 a, b 7 b, a

5 LISTENING

- a The children are learning how to play rugby, and the classes aren't very competitive.
- b 1 founders
 - 2 two
 - 3 boys and girls
 - 4 Sunday
 - 5 physical
 - 6 games
 - 7 four
 - 8 sticker

6 READING

- a 2 Short periods of exercise.
- b 1 E 2 C 3 A 4 G 5 B 6 F