

9 Test

Vocabulary

1 Complete the sentences, replacing the underlined words with a suitable word or phrase.

- 1 Fog is causing a very disorganized situation at the airport.
Fog is causing _____ at the airport.
- 2 I need to modernize my computer's anti-virus software.
I need to _____ my computer's anti-virus software.
- 3 My little sister is extremely scared of spiders.
My little sister is _____ of spiders.
- 4 A man gave detectives some secret information during an anonymous phonecall.
A man gave detectives a _____ during an anonymous phonecall.
- 5 Ruth's flat is on the top floor of a building with 18 storeys.
Ruth's flat is on the top floor of an _____.
- 6 I always make copies of my computer files in case I get a virus.
I always make _____ of my computer files in case I get a virus.
- 7 They were extremely happy to receive the wedding invitation.
They were _____ to receive the wedding invitation.
- 8 I can't do any work because my computer has suddenly stopped working.
I can't do any work because my computer has _____.
- 9 It's a walk of 20 minutes from my house to the station.
It's a _____ from my house to the station.
- 10 The police found a very important clue while they were searching the scene of the crime.
The police found a _____ clue while they were searching the scene of the crime.

Marks: __ /10

2 Complete the text.

1 _____ riding has always been a problem in my neighbourhood. Young people
2 _____ cars and drive them around for fun. When the police catch a joyrider, they
3 _____ them and then 4 _____ them with their crime. If it is a first offence, and
if the prisoner admits they are 5 _____, the judge may only give them a suspended
6 _____ at the end of their 7 _____. (This means that they will only go to jail if
they 8 _____ another crime.) The judge then 9 _____ the prisoner, and he is free.
Some people learn an important lesson from this experience, but others eventually
10 _____ time in jail.

Marks: __ /10

Reading

3 Read the text and choose the correct answers.

Family of burglars sent to prison

Five members of the same family have gone to prison for burgling ten stately homes. A father, his son, two nephews and a son-in-law stole art and antiques worth £80 million. The men spent weeks observing their targets and planning their entry and escape. While carrying out the burglaries, they wore balaclavas to cover their faces.

They broke in, searched the house and escaped in a stolen car. On one occasion, the victims were eating in their kitchen, unaware that the burglary was happening. At Ramsbury Manor, the burglars stole a priceless collection of porcelain. Police later discovered some of the collection buried in a field. The sentences for each burglar ranged between eight and eleven years.

- 1 The criminals burgled . . .
a art galleries. b big, expensive country houses. c museums.
- 2 The burglars stole . . .
a electronic goods. b jewellery. c valuable old objects.
- 3 During one burglary, the owners of the house were . . .
a having a meal. b lying in bed. c working in the garden.
- 4 After the Ramsbury Manor burglary, police found some of the stolen goods in . . .
a the burglars' house. b an antiques shop. c the countryside.
- 5 Each of the men received a . . .
a prison sentence. b suspended sentence. c life sentence.

Marks: __ /5

4 Read the text again and answer the questions with a complete sentence.

- 1 Which family members were in the gang of burglars?

- 2 How much were the stolen objects worth?

- 3 What did the burglars do before each burglary?

- 4 How did they carry out the burglaries?

- 5 What did they steal from Ramsbury Manor?

Marks: __ /15

Grammar

5 Find and correct the mistake in each line.

- 1 Three thieves thought they found the
- 2 perfect target: a post office. They had plan the
- 3 crime in detail, but they haven't checked that
- 4 their target still existed. The post office has closed
- 5 twelve years ago, and it had became a
- 6 corner shop. The owner said I had laughed
- 7 when she first saw the thieves. She said they had asked me
- 8 for money, but she replied that she hasn't had
- 9 many customers that day, so there is only £6 in the cash till.
- 10 She said they look very disappointed!

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| 1 _____ | 6 _____ |
| 2 _____ | 7 _____ |
| 3 _____ | 8 _____ |
| 4 _____ | 9 _____ |

5 _____ 10 _____

Marks: __/10

6 Rewrite the direct speech as reported speech.

1 'I didn't steal the painting,' said the woman.
The woman said that

2 The thief said, 'I give the money to the poor.'
The thief said that he

3 The policeman said, 'We haven't got enough clues.'
The policeman said that

4 'I forgot to attach the document', Amy said.
Amy said that

5 The detective said, 'I didn't receive a tip-off.'
The detective said that he

6 'I'm not committing a crime', the woman said.
The woman said that

7 The suspect said, 'I was at my parent's house.'
The suspect said that she

8 My brother said, 'I'm installing a new firewall.'
My brother said that

9 The girls said, 'We received a warning.'
The girls said that

10 'I spend all my money on books', she said.
She said that

Marks: __ /10

Language skills

7 Complete the dialogue.

Saray What's the most common crime in your country?

Maria ¹ _____, when people steal small items from shops and supermarkets, is a very common crime. And nowadays, a lot of young people carry knives to use in fights. If someone dies in a fight, the police normally charge the person responsible with ² _____ and they go to court. If the judge finds them ³ _____ at the end of their ⁴ _____, they receive a life ⁵ _____.

Saray Do people ⁶ _____ any other crimes with knives?

Maria If a criminal wants to ⁷ _____ a bank or a shop, they may use a knife to threaten the staff. Thieves sometimes use knives to ⁸ _____ money or jewellery from people walking in the street. ⁹ _____ often carry a knife to help them break into the cars they're going to drive. And ¹⁰ _____ find them very useful for

destroying public property.

Marks: __/10

8 Complete the mini-dialogues.

Dialogue 1

A What crime did the man commit?

B ¹ _____
He stole some jewellery from a shop.

A What sentence did he get?

B ² _____
He will only go to prison if he commits another crime.

A ³ _____?

B He stole the jewellery because he needed money quickly.

Dialogue 2

A ⁴ _____?

B The burglar entered the house through an open window.

A ⁵ _____?

B He stole some antiques and some jewellery.

Marks: __/10

Writing

9 Write a story about a person witnessing a crime. Write about 140 words.

Organize your writing into three paragraphs:

- Write about what the witness was doing when they saw the crime.
- Write about what the witness saw.
- Write about what happened after that.

Marks: __/20

TOTAL: __/100