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1 Complete the sentences using *a/an* or *the*. If no article is necessary, put an "X".

- 1 My brother works as a police officer.
- 2 Money's important, but health is everything.
- 3 Who was teacher who influenced you most?
- 4 My wedding day was happiest day of my life.
- 5 I know you hate computers, but they're generally useful.
- 6 What's your favorite subject at school?
- 7 When do you usually have breakfast?
- 8 I'm reading excellent book right now.
- 9 I watch news every evening.
- 10 I just found out my wife is expecting baby.
- 11 Have you seen my glasses anywhere?
- 12 We're going to spend some time at beach.

1 point for each correct answer

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2 Cross out the incorrect form. Put a check (✓) at the end of the line if both forms are correct.

- 1 The hotel has *few* / *a few* problems. ✓
- 2 Isla and Callum really love *each* / ~~*every*~~ other. _____
- 3 Caviar is the best food in *all the* / *the whole* world. _____
- 4 Hardly *no* / *any* people know about my career dreams. _____
- 5 *Both* / *Neither* of us listen to dance music. _____
- 6 *All* / *Every* my friends study English at school. _____
- 7 Can you sum up the main ideas in *few* / *a few* words? _____
- 8 *Several* / *A plenty* of people disagreed with our proposal. _____
- 9 We invited them to the conference, but *none* / *no* of them turned up. _____
- 10 They have *little* / *few* money but they're happy. _____
- 11 She has experience, but not *enough* / *many*. _____
- 12 I haven't met Kevin, but I've heard *a great deal* / *a lot* about him. _____
- 13 Sean doesn't know *none* / *any* of us. _____
- 14 We all help *the* / *one* another. _____

1 point for each correct answer

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3 Complete the sentences with *this*, *that*, *these* or *those*.

- 1 Is this your bag over here or is it the other one?
- 2 Everybody uses social networks to keep in touch days.
- 3 Who was girl at your party last night?
- 4 What are you planning to do evening?
- 5 I only spend time with people who are important to me.
- 6 "What did you talk about?" "Oh, I don't know and ."
- 7 I still think I was happiest as a child. were the days!

1 point for each correct answer

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4 Choose the correct expression to complete the dialogues.

- 1 "Have you seen *Cloud Atlas*?" "I've only read the book, but apparently / *definitely* / *certainly* the film adaptation is a little bit confusing."
- 2 "I don't know what's happened to Ben. I haven't heard from him for ages." "*Honestly* / *Surely* / *Actually*, he phoned last night, but I forgot to mention it."
- 3 "Why did Camilla argue with Lindsey?" "*Basically* / *Personally* / *Certainly*, Lindsey is unreliable and Camilla's fed up with it."
- 4 "It's not my fault she misunderstood what I'd said." "*Apparently* / *Presumably* / *All the same*, I think you should phone her to explain what happened."
- 5 "What do you need in order to complete the project?" "*Ideally* / *Definitely* / *After all*, we would need more time as well as more people."
- 6 "Do you want to keep driving or stop here?" "I'm not tired, but *honestly* / *personally* / *presumably* you wouldn't mind a short rest?"
- 7 "Is Nicola your sister? She looks a lot like you." "*In fact* / *Actually* / *Honestly*, she's my mom."
- 8 "Does Eric know you're here?" "*Personally* / *Basically* / *As a matter of fact*, he does."
- 9 "Do you think we should demonstrate the new product?" "*Personally* / *Ideally* / *Presumably*, I think it's a little bit too early for that. It's still full of problems."
- 10 "Where are you going on vacation?" "*Surely* / *Certainly* / *Obviously*, we cannot spend too much

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this year, so probably somewhere nearby.”

- 11 “Who’s going to make the final decision?” “Peter. *Definitely, / Absolutely, / After all,* he’s the managing CEO of the company.”

1 point for each correct answer

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5 Complete the sentences with an expression from the boxes. There is one extra expression in each box.

All the same Definitely Honestly Presumably
~~Still~~ Surely

- 1 “I’m not sure that Amir and Noura will enjoy living so far from the city. **Still**, it’s up to them.”
- 2 “Do you think Logano will win the Daytona 500 this year?”
“_____, he’s still the best driver in the world.”
- 3 “Has Jake left for the airport already?
_____ he’s taken his passport?” “I hope he has.”
- 4 “Did you like the concert last night?”
“_____, I thought it was a little boring.”
- 5 “_____ we’re not going to watch *The Godfather* again.” “Well, I was going to, but we can watch something else. It’s on again next Wednesday, anyway.”

Apparently As a matter of fact Certainly Generally
Hopefully Ideally Personally

- 6 “Could you open the window? It’s stuffy in here.”
“_____. Is that better?”
- 7 “Have you been to the new Hungarian restaurant in town?” “_____, I’m just on my way there to have dinner with Colleen.”
- 8 “Do you often watch romantic comedies?”
“_____, I can’t stand them.”
- 9 “Do you want the essay typed or handwritten?”
“_____, typed if possible so I can read it more easily.”
- 10 “Our neighbor is practicing the drums again.”
“_____ he’ll stop before we put the kids to bed.”
- 11 “How long is the program?” “_____ speaking, most people take two weeks to complete it.”

1 point for each correct answer

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6 Choose the correct word from each pair in the box to complete the sentences. Some sentences are missing more than one word.

break / warm catch / grab such / several
hurt / hit ice / air legs / feet pain / scar
rocks / bricks worm / bug stand / walk

- 1 When you live in rented homes, moving year after year is _____ a(n) _____.
- 2 In a new class where students don’t know each other yet, we do some introduction activities to help _____ the _____ and build a supportive group.
- 3 I started doing yoga when I was a teenager. Then I got the _____ and studied yoga more thoroughly to become an instructor myself.
- 4 It _____ me like a ton of _____ to realize I was several years older than the parents of any of my kids’ friends at school.
- 5 I enjoy exercising, but spending lots of time in a sweaty gym working out with machines just doesn’t _____ me. I prefer the outdoors.
- 6 My business started very slowly, and I needed lots of help. But I’m glad to say I can _____ on my own two _____ now.

1 point for each correct answer

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7 Match the sentence beginnings 1–10 with the endings a–k. There is an extra ending.

- 1 Hurry up! We don’t have any time ____
- 2 John and Sarah arrived in the ____
- 3 After going on vacation she had a new ____
- 4 Passively watching television all day is pointless. Get ____
- 5 I’m always up. You can call me any ____
- 6 These old walking boots have really stood ____
- 7 Our bus was right ____
- 8 I want to leave work, travel the world and live ____
- 9 We tried our luck and we lost. I guess ____
- 10 It only took us two hours to get here. We made ____

- a a life.
b on time for a change.
c lease on life.

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- d good time.
- e the test of time.
- f nick of time.
- g time of your life.
- h old time.
- i life.
- j that's life.
- k to lose.

1 point for each correct answer

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8 Complete each expression with *life or time*, then use the expression to complete the sentences. There are four extra expressions.

a cushy _____ better luck next _____
for the _____ being it's high time kill _____
on _____ not on your _____
take your _____ the third _____'s a charm
you can bet your _____

- 1 It's high time you started studying for the test next month.
- 2 "Would you like to go skiing with us in February?"
"_____! I hate skiing."
- 3 "What's your new apartment like?" "I guess it's OK
_____, but we'll need something
bigger when the baby arrives."
- 4 We have two hours before the plane is leaving. How
about a game of cards to _____
_____?
- 5 "I'm afraid I failed my driving test today." "Oh, no.
_____"
- 6 Feel free to _____ getting
dressed. We've missed the earlier bus now anyway.

2 points for each correct answer

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9 Translate the sentences.

- 1 At the end of the day, I'd like to be able to say that I put all of my life to good use.
- 2 People who have idealistic notions about moving to remote areas should think twice.
- 3 There are plenty of upsides to living in the hustle and bustle of a big city.
- 4 I failed to get into my chosen college twice, but I guess the third time's a

charm.

- 5 If they invite me to the big celebration, you can bet your life I'll be there!
- 6 My philosophy is to take life as it comes.
- 7 All my life I wanted to follow in my father's footsteps and be a good person.
- 8 The lack of leisure time in my life is really getting me down.
- 9 There's no privacy in a small town, let alone on a small island.
- 10 I have no patience with people who are never punctual.

2 points for each correct answer

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