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1 Circle the correct pronoun.

- Rachel's the woman *what* / *that* / *which* you met four years ago.
- Editors is a band *who's* / *whose* / *that's* songs are popular around the world.
- Have you even heard anything *that* / *what* / *which* I've said?
- They offered me a reward, *when* / *what* / *which* of course I refused to accept.
- Mr. Kerry was appointed our new principal, *which* / *who* / *what* came as a surprise.
- It was 1969 *when* / *which* / *what* the Apollo XI mission landed on the Moon.
- One day I'm hoping to move back to the city *what* / *that* / *where* I was born in.

1 point for each correct answer

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2 Complete the sentences using the information in the box and a relative pronoun if necessary. Add the correct punctuation, and make sure that the sentences are grammatically correct. There is one extra piece of information.

his brother Steve was in the same class as you
they got married 30 years ago
it was totally amazing
~~I bought them at the market this weekend~~
they said they knew you
I got it from an auction
it isn't big enough for his large family
they sell high-tech gadgets there
I've always looked up to
my grandfather gave it to me

- I cooked all the vegetables (that/which) I bought at the market this weekend.
- We found a fabulous store in Denver _____.
- Do you know Mike Boulet _____?
- My former teacher _____ has been nominated for an international award.
- When I was in Boston, I saw an IMAX movie _____.
- I can't find the old pocket watch _____.

- I met a couple from Canada last night _____.
- Andy's selling the house _____.
- Kelly and Sam _____ are still happy together after all this time.

2 points for each correct answer

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3 Complete the sentences with the present or past participle of a suitable verb from the box. There are two extra verbs.

jog direct do demonstrate design include be
locate purchase prepare wear win ~~write~~

- I read an excellent book written by Cormac McCarthy.
- Charlie's the architect _____ our new house.
- We joined the crowd in the square _____ against the reforms.
- Alex had to repair the damage _____ to his garage roof by last night's storm.
- Who's that guy over there _____ his sunglasses indoors?
- There were seven of them in the car, _____ the driver.
- We saw Mario _____ in the park this morning.
- Visit our new department store _____ next to the main train station.
- Cindy has spent a year _____ for the European competition this autumn.
- _____ a naturally calm person, he coped with the emergency situation very well.
- He stood on a chair, _____ the students to their places.

1 point for each correct answer

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4 Write the correct form of the missing adjective. Add -ing or -ed to the verb in parentheses.

- Leo wasn't exactly thrilled about the prospect of visiting a museum. (thrill)
- Failing my driving test was the most _____ experience of my life. (disappoint)
- Andre needs a new career where he can feel _____.

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sufficiently _____. (challenge)

- 4 Many people think rock music is very energetic, but I actually find it quite _____. (relax)
- 5 Do long, dark, winter nights make you feel _____? (depress)
- 6 We all found the news of the tragic accident extremely _____. (shock)
- 7 I just sat in front of the TV all evening. I'd felt so _____ all day. (exhaust)
- 8 The referee was _____ when he realized he'd left his whistle in the dressing room. (embarrass)
- 9 I felt hurt when I overheard Luisa saying that she finds me quite _____. (bore)

1 point for each correct answer

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5 Choose the correct word from the most suitable pair to complete each sentence. There is one extra pair.

bad / dreadful big / huge interesting / fascinating
funny / hilarious good / marvelous tired / exhausted
~~valuable / priceless~~ very / absolutely

- 1 That necklace she's wearing is probably very valuable.
- 2 Wow! What a busy day – I'm totally _____.
- 3 The family was _____ delighted at the arrival of the new baby.
- 4 The documentary about life in Ancient Egypt was absolutely _____.
- 5 I'm reading a very _____ book, which I'll lend to you after I've finished it.
- 6 I have to say I find Patrick's stories very _____.
- 7 Winters can be absolutely _____ here. It's always freezing cold.

2 points for each correct answer

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6 Circle the correct adverb.

- 1 Before she won the award, she was completely / properly / exactly unknown.
- 2 Yes, this is properly / exactly / extremely what we wanted.
- 3 Do you really / exactly / completely think we should move to Iowa?
- 4 I think you were dramatically / extremely / completely wrong about the situation. She does love

him.

- 5 Are you properly / seriously / exactly considering emigrating to Australia?
- 6 The changes they made extremely / profusely / dramatically improved the company's performance.
- 7 We were exhausted, and sweating really / dramatically / profusely from the heat.
- 8 Our car was profusely / seriously / properly damaged in the car crash we had to write it off.
- 9 Typical! I dramatically / extremely / stupidly left the files we need for the meeting on my home computer.

1 point for each correct answer

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7 Match the sentence beginnings 1–6 with the comments a–g. There is an extra comment.

- 1 Bob said he had never even heard about Sri Lanka, _____
 - 2 My parents used to worry about me when I was a teenager, _____
 - 3 The wedding guests didn't want to go home so early, _____
 - 4 A friend of mine talked me into exploring a cave, _____
 - 5 We saw the sunset over Lake Bogoria, _____
 - 6 There they were, in the middle of the ocean with no radio, _____
- a which was difficult to believe.
 - b which was certainly no joke.
 - c which was a silly thing to do without training or equipment.
 - d which is hardly surprising because they were enjoying themselves so much.
 - e which was understandable, of course.
 - f which wasn't very nice of you.
 - g which was absolutely spectacular.

1 point for each correct answer

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8 Complete each sentence with a word formed from the prompt in parentheses.

- 1 I've always found hitchhiking too adventurous for travelling. I prefer comfort. (adventure)
- 2 It was no _____ matter when I lost my suitcase on the first day of a two week vacation. (laugh)
- 3 Stop being so _____ and accept that others can do as well as you. (conceit)

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- 4 The colors I saw watching the sunrise were beyond _____. (describe)
 - 5 Alice is pretty _____. She always wants to finish first. (compete)
 - 6 Our _____ furniture is mainly from Taiwan. (import)
 - 7 Studying for final-year medical exams is completely _____. (exhaust)
 - 8 Children with _____ difficulties need specific support in the classroom. (learn)
 - 9 Fahim's always been very _____ at soccer. (talent)
 - 10 The first _____ often defines how you view someone's personality for a long time. (impress)
 - 11 I think it's really _____ that you all came to celebrate my graduation. (touch)
- which came as a shock to everyone.
- 8 Bob's story just goes to prove that in America anyone can still make their dreams come true.
 - 9 The director was generous in his praise of our achievements.
 - 10 It is a touching tale that ends when the couple was discovered by the authorities.

2 points for each correct answer

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1 point for each correct answer

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9 Circle the correct word or phrase to complete the exclamations.

- 1 Self-shining shoes! *What / What a / (How) exciting!*
- 2 *What a / What / How* pity you can't make it to our wedding.
- 3 You're in San Francisco, too? *What / What an / How* amazing luck!
- 4 Are they all your kids? *How / What / What a* lovely!
- 5 Did you really have to stand in a line to get a number so you could get in another line? *How / What / What a* totally ridiculous idea!

1 point for each correct answer

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10 Translate the sentences.

- 1 He made paintings, each one more elaborate than the last.
- 2 I walked slowly toward my school, lost in thought.
- 3 I always go to great pains to avoid upsetting people with my writing.
- 4 His home was what people might describe as "very unusual".
- 5 You wouldn't catch me eating meat – I'm a vegetarian!
- 6 Noor passed all her exams – what a relief!
- 7 They suddenly sold their home and left the country,