

Pre-intermediate Progress Test 2B: Units 3–4

Pronunciation

1 **Track 3** Listen and tick the sentence you hear.

- a You should try to help your parents. ✓
- b You shouldn't try to help your parents.
- 1 a You should go to bed when you finish your homework.
- b You shouldn't go to bed when you finish your homework.
- 2 a You should study every day.
- b You shouldn't study every day.
- 3 a You should pay attention to what I say.
- b You shouldn't pay attention to what I say.
- 4 a You should listen to your friends.
- b You shouldn't listen to your friends.
- 5 a You should believe everything Paul says.
- b You shouldn't believe everything Paul says.

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2 **Track 4** Listen and tick the sound you hear: /kæn/, /kən/ or /ka:nt/

/kæn/ /kən/ /ka:nt/

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Grammar focus

3 Complete the sentences with **should/shouldn't** and a suitable verb from the box.

have get study visit spend join

I think Ben should have a break before he goes to university.

- 1 You _____ the local gym if you want to get fit.
- 2 Why _____ we _____ so many subjects at school?
- 3 John _____ so much money on chocolate if he wants to lose weight.
- 4 I _____ so angry with my brother, but he's really annoying sometimes.
- 5 We _____ our grandparents this weekend as they're celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary.

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4 Rewrite the sentences using *can*, *can't*, *have to* or *don't have to*.

It's not possible to stay here.

You can't stay here.

1 Is it necessary for us to learn all this vocabulary?

2 It's possible to leave your bags in the classroom.

3 It isn't necessary for you to help me today.

4 Is it possible for Chris to come on holiday with us?

5 I can't see Lucy now so it's necessary for her to come back.

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5 Complete the sentences with the correct form of the verb in brackets.

What do you want (want) to do today?

1 I _____ (get) much sleep at the moment so I'm really tired.

2 I _____ (understand) what I have to do. Please explain.

3 _____ Peter _____ (do) his homework now?

4 _____ you _____ (believe) everything you read in the newspapers?

5 Right now we _____ (plan) our next holiday.

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6 Write complete sentences using the Present continuous.

What / you / do / this evening?

What are you doing this evening?

1 I / not have / a holiday this summer.

2 Where / you / meet / Luke?

3 John / take / his final exams next month.

4 Alec and Hannah / not come / to my party.

5 When / you / give / Anne her birthday presents?

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Vocabulary

7 Complete the sentences with a suitable verb.

I usually have a shower when I get home in the evening.

- 1 I only _____ a cup of coffee for breakfast because I'm always late.
- 2 What time do you _____ to bed during the week?
- 3 After Mum _____ work she sometimes goes to the gym.
- 4 I usually _____ asleep quickly because I'm so tired.
- 5 I wake up at 6 o'clock, but I don't _____ up immediately.

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8 Complete the sentences with a suitable word. You have the first letter to help you.

Paul's a taxi driver. He loves driving so he enjoys his job.

- 1 James loves maths and money so he wants to be an a_____.
- 2 My father's a j_____ so he often has to decide how to punish people.
- 3 Tanya speaks fluent Spanish so she works as a t_____.
- 4 We need a n_____ to look after our children.
- 5 If you like food so much, you should be a c_____!

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9 Complete the sentences with the words in the box.

work meal presents relatives cards flowers

We all have a day off work when it's a national holiday.

- 1 We often exchange _____ on New Year's Day as it's fun to start the new year with new things.
- 2 We often visit our _____ during the holidays.
- 3 I'd like to prepare a special _____ for you. What would you like to eat?
- 4 I always send birthday _____ to my friends and family.
- 5 Is it customary to buy _____ for someone on their birthday?

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10 Choose the correct answers.

It's freezing / boiling in here. Please close the window.

- 1 Mmm. That pizza was absolutely tasty / delicious. What kind of cheese did you use?
- 2 Can you repeat the question? It's so exciting / noisy in here.
- 3 The waiters at the local café aren't very friendly / peaceful.
- 4 It's boiling / exciting here in the summer. In fact sometimes it's too hot to go out.
- 5 When the local football teams play, the games are always spicy / exciting.

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Functional language

11 What do you say? Choose the correct response from the phrases in the box.

~~Happy New Year!~~ Good luck! Congratulations! Thanks for coming.
Thanks for inviting me. Happy birthday!

It's 1st January.

Happy New Year!

1 Your friends are leaving your party.

2 Your friend is 18 today.

3 Your brother is taking his driving test.

4 You are leaving your friend's party.

5 Your best friend tells you she's getting married.

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12 Match the sentences in A with the responses in B.

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'Five, four, three, two, one ...it's 1st January!'

1 We've just got engaged.

2 I'm going on holiday tomorrow.

3 It's my 21st birthday.

4 At last it's the 25th!

5 Here's your birthday present.

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B

a Thank you very much. It's lovely.

b Merry Christmas!

c Many happy returns!

d Happy New Year!

e Safe journey!

f I hope you'll be very happy.

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