

Pre-intermediate Progress Test 4B: Units 7–8

Pronunciation

1 **Track 7** Listen and underline the stressed words.

I've lived in London for ten years.

- 1 How long have you known John?
- 2 How long have you studied English?
- 3 We stayed with our grandparents for two weeks.
- 4 How long have you lived here?
- 5 I've been a teacher for five years.

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2 **Track 8** Listen and write the words in the correct column.

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<u>river</u>	<u>island</u>
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Grammar focus

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

I haven't known (know) Simon for long, but I like him very much.

- 1 We _____ (live) in London for five years and we really like it.
- 2 I _____ (have) a dog when I was a child.
- 3 We _____ (not speak) to our neighbours for a few weeks when we first came here.
- 4 Last night we _____ (go) to our favourite restaurant.
- 5 I _____ (not make) any new friends for ages because it's difficult to meet people here.

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4 Complete the sentences with the words and phrases in the box. You won't need all the words and phrases.

just already in 1990 last yet never on Monday so far when
this morning ago at 6 o'clock

Please take your dirty shoes off. I've just washed the floor.

- 1 My parents got married _____, two years before I was born.
- 2 I don't want to go to the cinema because I've _____ seen that film three times.
- 3 Dan enjoyed playing football _____ he was a teenager.
- 4 I've _____ been to Canada but I'd love to go there one day.
- 5 Anna started her new job _____ last week, so everything is still quite new.

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5 Complete the sentences with *the, a, an* or *–*.

Have you ever been to the Himalayas?

- 1 David has a small house on ___ coast.
- 2 ___ Australian people have a healthy lifestyle.
- 3 We had ___ good time with our friends last weekend.
- 4 I've just read ___ interesting book on Greece.
- 5 Laura's not at ___ home right now.

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6 Choose the correct answers.

There aren't any / *some* good restaurants in my neighbourhood.

- 1 I don't like to go sightseeing when there are *too many* / *some* tourists.
- 2 We haven't got *many* / *much* time, so let's go now.
- 3 There's *any* / *no* information about city tours at the hotel.
- 4 I'm not taking any more photos of Venice as I've got *a lot of* / *enough* now.
- 5 Would you like *any* / *some* water?

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Vocabulary

7 Complete the sentences with the correct form of the verbs in the box. You won't need all the verbs.

get	appear	become	buy	earn	go	have	learn	start	write
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Linda and Greg got married last week.

- 1 I _____ just _____ a small flat, so now I don't have any money.
- 2 Chris _____ \$1 million last year.
- 3 Lucy _____ to university when she left school because she wanted to work.
- 4 Karen _____ on television several times this year.
- 5 Maria _____ two children before she was 21.

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

I always read Julia's blog because she writes really well.

- 1 Have you ever **s**_____ for your name on the internet?
- 2 I usually **d**_____ mp3 files as I don't buy CDs.
- 3 We often spend time on video-**s**_____ sites as we enjoy making music videos.
- 4 When do you find time to **p**_____ so many updates on your profile?
- 5 I wrote all the content for my **w**_____, but I didn't design it.

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9 Match the words in A with the words in B.

A		B
cycle	<u>f</u>	a mall
1 pedestrian	___	b area
2 shopping	___	c congestion
3 traffic	___	d zone
4 residential	___	e transport
5 public	___	f lane

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10 Complete the sentences with the nouns in the box. You won't need all the nouns.

~~mountain range~~ beach coast desert forest hill mountain island
ocean river sea valley

The Alps are a mountain range in Europe.

- The water in the _____ that flows through the city centre is really polluted.
- We don't get much sun in the _____ because the mountains are really high.
- There's a beautiful sandy _____ outside the hotel.
- It's impossible to grow anything in the _____ because it's too hot and dry.
- I run up and down the _____ behind our house when I want to get some exercise.

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Functional language

11 Cross out the extra word in each sentence.

Can you help ~~for~~ me, please?

- I'm looking up for the shopping mall.
- The post office is on at the other side of the road.
- Take in the second right for the bank.
- Can you give to me some directions, please?
- Go over past the bookshop and you'll see the cinema.

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12 Complete the sentences with a suitable word.

The station is on your left, not your right.

- The bank is _____ the corner.
- Cross the _____ and you'll see the supermarket.
- Go _____ on at the traffic lights.
- Go to the _____ of the road and turn left.
- Excuse _____!

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