

Upper Intermediate Tests Answer Key

Mid-course Test A

1

- 2 behaviour
- 3 anxiety
- 4 exhhaustion
- 5 security
- 6 confidence
- 7 relationship
- 8 tolerance
- 9 employee
- 10 conformist
- 11 fanaticism

2

- 2 a
- 3 a
- 4 b
- 5 a
- 6 b

3

- b 4
- c 2
- d 6
- e 3
- f 5

4

- 1 did you get
- 2 is being
- 3 were having
- 4 don't understand
- 5 had decided

5

- 1 insecure
- 2 bad-tempered
- 3 restless
- 4 depressing
- 5 mismanaged

6

- 1 can use credit cards in all the major department stores
- 2 spend a lot of money on upgrading gadgets
- 3 scored five goals in yesterday's match
- 4 are going to build hundreds of new houses in the village
- 5 thought (that) the ruin was an ancient temple

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- 1 I'll be
- 2 I'm going to be
- 3 we'll be sailing
- 4 bound
- 5 will fall

8

- 1 will/'ll have finished
- 2 haven't spent
- 3 Have you met
- 4 hadn't had
- 5 won't have got

9

- 1 a shock
- 2 to work
- 3 lost
- 4 better
- 5 home

10

- 1 c
- 2 b
- 3 a
- 4 c
- 5 b

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- 1 Pessimistic
- 2 panicky
- 3 upset
- 4 impatient
- 5 cheerful

Upper Intermediate Tests Answer Key

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- 1 reunion
- 2 dating
- 3 meeting
- 4 get-together
- 5 conference

13

- 1 defeated
- 2 exploring
- 3 set
- 4 found
- 5 developed

14

- 1 up
- 2 through
- 3 at
- 4 with
- 5 up

15

- 1 b
- 2 b
- 3 a
- 4 a
- 5 b

16

- 2 f
- 3 a
- 4 d
- 5 b
- 6 e

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(Model answer)

It all started out quite normally, just another routine workday in the small town where I live. I woke up at my usual time, got ready for work and set off for the bus stop where I knew I'd have to wait ten minutes for my bus. As it was raining heavily, I decided to take shelter in the newsagent's and while I was waiting, I bought a lottery ticket.

When I got to work, everyone was talking about that evening's lottery draw being the biggest ever. All my colleagues were fantasising about what they would do if they won. I said nothing. 'Oh come on Laura, what would you do?' they all kept on encouraging me to join in. 'I don't do the lottery, so I can't say,' I told them.

When I got home that evening, I carefully unfolded the ticket, turned on the television and waited for the numbers to come up. And now, here I am, enjoying the life I had always dreamt of without a care in the world and feeling incredibly lucky.